

Our theme this term is
'EARLY MAN'.

We will be exploring the curriculum through the theme, where we will be learning about the Stone Age period and prehistoric living.

English

During the term, we will be looking at various types of writing linked to our text 'Early Man'.

We will be looking at writing instructions on how to play Stone Age football, script writing for a prehistoric football commentary, journalistic writing about archaeological discoveries and explanation writing on how prehistoric people lived.

Maths

This term we will be focusing on Place Value and comparing and ordering numbers from 0-100. We will also be developing our addition and subtraction mental and written strategies, and learning our times tables up to 12x12.

Computing

This term we will be focusing on programming an animation and communicating safely online.

RE

We will be looking at the Creation Story and looking at how festivals and family life show what matters to Jewish people.

DT

We will be developing our sewing skills by making Stone Age inspired clothing and accessories.

Art

This term we will be developing our painting skills using watercolours. We will also be learning how to design and sculpt our own Stone Age jewellery.

History & Geography

During our history lessons, we will be exploring the Stone Age to Iron Age periods through prehistoric records and archaeological findings. Also, in Geography, we will be developing our map skills to locate significant Stone Age

Music

We will be looking at musical composition and composing our own Stone Age tribal music

French

We will be learning basic greetings and numbers.

PE

This term we will be learning skills in football and practising gymnastic techniques and routines.

Science

During this term we will be comparing and identifying different types of rocks, investigating light sources and how shadows are created, and understanding how magnets work.



Children need their PE Kit in school at all times. Although we try and stick to the same 2 days for PE, it is inevitable that for some weeks this will change due to unforeseen circumstances. For this reason, we ask that each child has their PE kit in school at all times.

A PE kit should include a Cam Woodfield Junior t-shirt, black or blue shorts and daps or trainers. It is recommended that children have warm clothes for outdoor PE. This can include a jumper and jogging bottoms.

Finally, if all children's clothing can be named it makes it easier to return if lost.

Homework: will be handed out every **Friday** and children will have until the following **Wednesday** to submit any work. This may change if a homework project lasting more than 1 week is set, however this will be communicated to the children and parents.

Alongside homework, children will have weekly spellings and times tables. They are also expected to read regularly and should be recorded in their reading record/journal. These are considered part of the homework for the week.

This year there will be particular focus on spellings and times tables (including division facts)

Friday - Times table test.

Times tables: As a school we are focusing on times tables. It is the expectation of the National Curriculum that children learn their times tables with rapid recall. This means your child will need to learn each times table off by heart - without having to 'work it out'.

Friday - Spelling test.

Spellings: The Government have outlined both spelling patterns and exception words that your child must learn.

Children will receive spellings each week on Friday and will be tested the following Friday. Please make sure you are practising the spellings regularly throughout the week. It is important that your child can spell these words and use them within the context of a sentence.