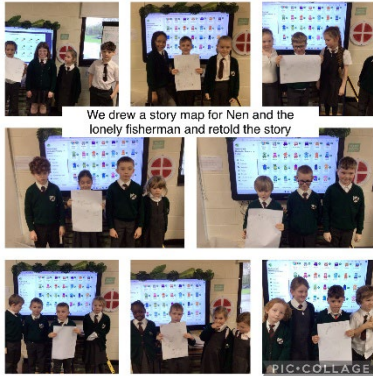


Autumn Term 2 - Year 3

What a busy second half term we have had in Year 3! We have been learning a lot and doing lots of fun activities on the lead up to Christmas!

English



In **English**, we have based our work around the book 'Nen and the Lonely Fisherman'. We have talked about some of our favourite films including 'The Little Mermaid' and 'Luca' and how our new story is similar. We have done lots of different activities, including drama and creating our own characters which has all led up to us writing our very own fantasy story!

Maths

In **Maths**, we have been learning about addition and subtraction. We have been using different methods to problem solve, including using number lines and the column method. We have also started learning about multiplication and division and have been looking at multiplying trickier numbers, like our 4s.

History and Geography

In **Geography**, we have learnt all about Global location and place knowledge.

This has involved using atlas's to locate different geographical locations, human and physical features and learning all about the world's biomes.

In **History**, we have learnt all about the Stone Age, Bronze Age and the Iron Age. We have looked at the different tools, weapons, homes and food in each age, and how these changed over time. We have thought about what it might have been like to have lived through this pre-historic time.



DT



In **DT** we have been planning, creating and evaluating our own soup. We have been tasting and evaluating different store-bought soups, planning our own soup, and chopping vegetables to make the soup. We then were able to try our very own soup and discuss the flavours. We evaluated what we liked and disliked about our soup, and what we would do differently if we were to make a soup again.

Science

Our **Science** lessons this half term have been focused on Forces and Magnets. We have been learning all about different forces, including gravity, air resistance and pushing and pulling. We have been taking parts in lots of experiments to measure these forces, and have also been using magnets to investigate magnetic force.

Additional Activities

This half term we have also been lucky enough to visit the cinema as part of our Infinite Eight. We went to watch *The Grinch* and enjoyed snacking on popcorn!



We have also enjoyed taking part in a Christmas Poetry workshop where we looked at shape poems and worked in pairs to create our own.

What a busy half term it's been! Well done Year 3! We hope you all have a fantastic Christmas and we look forward to seeing you in the New Year!