

## Year 3/4 Topic Overview- Autumn 1: Sunny Hunny

### English

In English we will start by focusing on using key punctuation and grammar correctly in sentences. We will also be writing a recount about our trip to Hunstanton.

### Maths

Both Years 3s and Year 4s will be beginning the term by covering place value and addition/subtraction. Year 3s will do this with 3 digit numbers while Year 4s move on to 4 digits.

### Science

Our science unit this half term is plants. We will be labelling scientific diagrams of the parts of a plant and carrying out an experiment to explore what plants require in order to grow and survive.

### Geography

In Geography, we will be:

- Comparing human and physical features in Hardwick/Cambourne and Hunstanton
- Developing an understanding of coastal erosion and the impact it has on people living in the area
- Using fieldwork to sketch maps and understand how land is used

### RE

Our big questions is: Are Rules Important? We will be reflecting on this question and looking at rules within religion, such as the 10 Commandments and the 5 Pillars of Islam.

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## Computing

In computing we will be consolidating key skills of logging on, saving and opening folders. Then we will learn about how digital devices work and are connected.

## PE

We will be developing accuracy in boccia and new age kurling. Outdoors, a selection of pentathlon activities will give the children the chance to practise running, jumping and throwing skills.

## Art

We will be learning about sculpture and then using our observational skills to sketch and carve a sculpture of a shell.

## Music

We will be listening to and appraising Reggae songs with a focus on Bob Marley's 'Three Little Birds'.

## PSHE

Our PSHE units this half term are:

- Beginning and Belonging - making the classroom a safe and happy place, building collaborative relationships, identifying support networks and knowing how to ask for help
- Rights and Responsibilities - recognising the difference between wants and needs, understand why rules are needed and how they have responsibilities at home and at school

## Spanish

In Spanish the children will recap basic greetings, practise counting to 10 and beyond, and learn to say how old they are.