

Year 3 - Spring Term Overview

CUSP Reading

- Sam Wu is not afraid of the dark, *Katie & Kevin Tsang*.
- Operation Gadgetman, *Malorie Blackman*.

CUSP Writing

- Formal Letters of Complaint
- Performance Poetry
- Dialogue through narrative (historical stories)
- Third Person Narrative

CUSP Spellings

- Words ending in -tion.
- Year 3/4 Statutory word list
- Adding suffixes to words beginning with vowel letters.
- The /l/sound spelt 'y'.
- Homophones.

CUSP Music

- History of singing.
- Musical notation

Learning for Life (LL)

- Diverse Britain.
- Be Yourself.

RE

- Sikhism
- Christianity – Good Friday

French – Language Angels

- Instruments
- I am able to

PE – Complete PE

- Swimming
- Dance - Witches and wizards.
- Gymnastics – Canon & Unison

Maths – Herts Essentials Planning

- Mental Fluency – Subtraction
- Written Addition / Subtraction
- Problem Solving – Worded Problems.
- Statistics – Interpreting Bar Charts and Tables.
- Fractions – Finding fractions of discrete and continuous quantities.

Spring 2025 – Topics



Geography

Map & Fieldwork skills

Computing (Keychain)

Programming A

Science

Animals, including humans

Geography

UK Study

Design & Technology

Mechanisms

Science

Forces & Magnets

Computing (Keychain)

Creating Media Animation

Art and Design

3D

Homework

Homework will be set on Friday from Google Classroom.

All homework should be completed by the following Thursday. This will include spellings, Mathematics and topic related reading on Curriculum Visions.

Useful Websites

The Curriculum Visions website is a really useful resource to read around the topics we will be covering this term.

<https://www.curriculumvisions.com/> Username

GREENLANES/1 Password Student1

For times tables practise:

Hit the button -

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button>

(press 'play game').

The mathsfactor.com -

<https://www.themathsfactor.com/times-tables-check/#/>

PE

Our PE lessons this term will take place on a **Monday** and **Tuesday** (Swimming)

We will try to do PE outside, where appropriate, so please ensure you have sensible footwear and clothing.

Reading

The Green Lanes expectation is that you read 5x a week to an adult and record this on Boom Reader (formally Go Read)

<https://go-read.co.uk/>

If you are unable to login at home please let us know.

If you would like to come in and listen to readers, please let us know ASAP.