**Geography/ History**

This term, our whole topic is based around the Victorian and the influence and impact which Queen Victoria’s reign had on Britain today. We will investigate how their inventions influenced our lives and how life was different for Victorian children, comparing schools, home and toys to what we have now.

**Physical Education**

Children will access basketball with a local basketball coach.

**PSHE (Personal, Social and Health Education)**

This term, we will focus on learning all about stranger danger and keeping ourselves safe in the community. We will look at scenarios and make sure we are familiar with both physical and internet safety. As the hot weather approaches, we will also focus on how we can keep safe in the sun.

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**Dear Parents/ Carers,**

The Summer term in Y3 will be full of exciting opportunities. As well as introducing our new topic: Victorian Britain, we also have our residential visit booked for this term. We will focus on new class texts such as ‘The Lottie Project’ and ‘Street Child’ and we will explore the Victorian History through art, DT and French. Towards the end of this term, you will receive a report which will provide details of children current assessment levels, their progress over the year and their targets for moving into Year 4.

We are really looking forward to the Summer Term!

Yours sincerely

Mrs J K Fearnley (Head Teacher)
Mr N. Williams (Head of School)
Miss S. Sare (Class 5 Teacher)
**Literacy**

Lots of our writing will be based on our class texts and we will be developing our skills in researching and organising information to create non-chronological reports, diary entries from the characters perspectives and creating nursery rhymes.

**Numeracy**

This term, we will be refocusing on the 4 operations; addition, subtraction, multiplication and division. We will also be using shape and measures to support our DT learning and linking this to our exciting topic opportunities.

**Science**

Our science topic will be focused mainly on rocks and soil. Using investigations and hands on activities, we want to find out and investigate all about the different rocks and soils and how our Earth is made up.

**Real Project**

This term the Y3’s will organise a Victorian banquet where children will be cooking different types of food and serving it to the visitors.

**ICT/ Computing**

In ICT, we will be further developing our skills in computing using programmes such as ‘Book Creator’ and ‘Purple Mash’ to create emails. We will also be using the internet safely for lots of our historical research. Then using iPads and other technology, the children will be creating a silent Victorian movie by applying the skills learnt in ICT.

**Design Technology/ Art**

In art, we will be learning new skills such as sewing, using clay to create Victorian items, weaving and many other exciting materials. This term we will also be looking into the artist called William Morris where we will recreate some of the art.

**Music**

During the Summer Term, we are looking forward to developing our skills in playing a new instrument, the Ukelele.

**RE**

Our studies in Religious Education will be based around the Islamic faith this term.