

**Slingsby Community Primary School.**  
**Class 3 Curriculum - Autumn first half term.**



**Theme: Changes in Britain  
from Stone Age to Iron Age**

**Geography & History**

- Food
- Technology, Tools & Inventions
- Religion & Ritual
- Homes & Everyday Life
- Culture & Art

**Geography:**

Human and Physical - using basic geographical vocabulary to refer to key physical features, forest, hill, river, soil, valley season and weather.  
Key human features – village and farm  
Using aerial photographs

**History:**

Late Neolithic hunter gathers and early farmers – Skara Brae.  
Iron age hill forts, tribal kingdoms, farming art and culture.

**Music**  
Music in our surroundings

Exploring rhythmic and musical patterns with a steady beat or pulse

**ICT**

Connecting computers

PowerPoint presentations

**Science**

Rock Stars – investigating rocks and fossils

**French**

Moi (me), greetings and numbers to 10, alphabet, classroom language

**Numeracy**

Place value  
Addition and subtraction  
Problem solving  
Times tables

**PE**

Basic movements and balance  
Dance

**RE and PSHE/RSE**

New beginnings  
How to look after class and school

**Art/DT**

Observation drawing assessment  
Cave art  
Tie dye techniques

**Literacy**

Creative writing  
Short stories linked to the Stone Age – Stone Age Boy, Ug, How to Wash a Woolly Mammoth, Stig of the Dump,  
Instruction writing and poetry

**Important information**

- Class 3 will be taught by Mr. Cash, with teaching assistant support from Mrs. Turner and Mrs Smurthwaite.
- A class trip to Star Carr archaeological site is to be confirmed.
- Please try and listen to your child read as often as possible. In school, each week your child will be heard read once with a comprehension focus and once with an inference focus, following our guided reading approach. We will also listen to individual readers each week.
- Children will change their reading books when they have finished their current book.
- Spellings will be given to pupils on Monday/Tuesday and tested on the following Monday so they have the weekend to help learn them. Please encourage your child to complete their 'look, cover, write, check' grid and write 5 interesting sentences, using words from their list and a range of punctuation.
- Children will require their P.E bags in school **all week** – including a pair of socks. PE sessions for Class 3 are timetabled to take place every Monday and Friday.
- Please actively encourage your child to learn their multiplication tables thoroughly, as secure knowledge and fluency will help their confidence in many areas of mathematics.