

There's Two Sides to Every Story!



Enchanting English

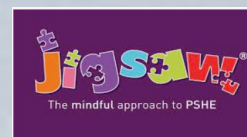
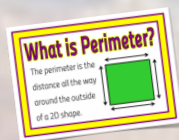
Mirror, mirror on the wall, who is the smartest of them all? Year 3 certainly were when they discovered some fairy tale characters had visited Bourne Elsea Park. The children used their inference skills to think about which mischievous characters had popped by! As a result, we have decided to spend this term going on a journey of intrigue and discovery. We intend to delve into the lives and times of fairy tale characters, getting to grips with their personalities, their backgrounds and possibly, their motivations. We will use the text 'Inside the Villains' to help us create our own villain and write a description about them. These characters will then be used in our own narratives, but as we will also be influenced by the incredible twisted fairytales by author, Bethan Woolvin, will our stories end happily ever after? We will also be creating our own mechanical puppets with moving parts during our DT work inspired by our fairytale characters.



Magnificent Maths

In Maths, we will be continuing to develop our speedy recall of our times tables. We will consolidate our 2, 3, 4, 5, 8 and 10 times tables. We are also going to be learning different methods of division, and consolidating our ability to use the inverse. We will be learning how to multiply and divide 2 digit numbers, both mentally and using formal written methods.

During our measurement learning, we will use practical activities to help us to measure the perimeter and length of objects and shapes before moving onto working out simple fractions. We will use Math Talk to develop our reasoning skills.



Our Christian Value for this term is **Courage** as well as revisiting **Perseverance** and our Bible Story is 'David and Goliath.'

In RE, we will be exploring the Christian worldview of the Trinity through our learning about the symbolism of water, Jesus' baptism and the Grace prayer.

In Geography, from a Birds' Eye View, we will learn about weather patterns through fieldwork whilst using 4 figure grid referencing to locate features on a map.

In PSHE, our next Jigsaw module, Dreams and Goals will help us discuss our aspirations, how to achieve goals and understand the emotions that go with this.

In Computing, we are excited to use a new stop frame animation application to create some animations of our fairytale stories and some creative publishing with Canva.

This term we will have P.E on **Mondays** and **Thursdays**. But please ensure your child has their full P.E kit **everyday** including tracksuit bottoms and jumpers as the weather continues to be cold.

A new homework grid has been sent out but please remember to practise timestables as well as reading at home.

If you have any questions or queries, please do not hesitate to speak to your class teachers.