

## Year 3 - Autumn Term Two 2025

As **Readers** we will explore a fictional text, *The Secret Diary of Jane Pinny - Victorian House Main and Accidental Detective,* to develop our oracy, comprehension, retrieval and inference skills.

As **Writers** we will be inspired by The Railway Children by E. Nesbit to write letters from a character's point of view and read examples of biographies before writing a biography.

As **Mathematicians** we will continue improving speed of recall of our times tables, using arrays, numberlines and repeated addition to represent our working.

As **Scientists** we will learn about how shadows are formed, link the position of the sun and Earth to shadows and investigate different materials that light can pass through or is blocked by.

As **Designers** we will get creative with pneumatics! Children will design, make, and evaluate their own pneumatic toys, following a specific design brief and criteria. Through experimentation and hands-on construction, they'll learn how air power can bring their designs to life!

As **Historians** we will be learning about the three main periods of the Stone Age, the Bronze Age and the Iron Age, and what life was like in each of them. We will also learn about Skara Brae and Stonehenge and how this is still relevant to our lives now.

Growing together

Opportunities for all

Learning for life

Daring to dream