Amethyst Class, Autumn, 2026

Dear Parents and year 3 children,
This term promises to be another exciting one as the children work their way up to the Christmas break. Our parent event this term will be the lower key stage two carol concert. A date for this will be sent to you as soon as possible.
Our PE day this half term will be on a Tuesday. Please ensure your children have their indoor and outdoor kits.
Many thanks for your support with this.

As mathematicians we will:
Complete our work using the col method for addition and subtraction calculations. Then we will look at how knowledge of our times tables can help us solve reasoning problems. In Amethyst we will use a range of learning games to help with our quick recall of multiplication facts. Such as;
https://play.ttrockstars.com/auth/school



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In arts, we will be exploring innovative ways in which we can create an Ancient Egyptian scroll.



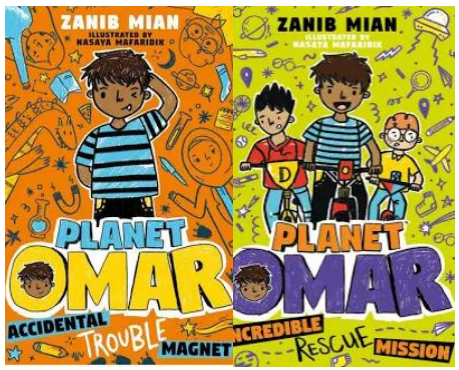
As readers we will:
Examine the various text examples to see how an author uses vocabulary to catch the readers imagination.
We will also learn the best way to answer a comprehension question and so improve our retrieval skills.

In humanities, we will continue to explore the stone age and how wonderful monuments such as Stonehenge were constructed. We will then look a little further afield and investigate the Ancient Egyptians.

Our design and technology work will begin this half term break. We will follow a chosen recipe and using seasonal foods, cook a delicious plate of food.

As scientists we will discover the force of magnetism. This will then progress towards conducting some exciting experiments in class.





Our exciting class text this term is 'Planet Omar' by Zanib Mian.

As authors we will look at how we can create depth to our writing. Using expanded noun phrases is going to be a big part of this over the next few weeks so please ask your child if they've used any when they come home.