Curriculum Year Three and Four



Theme Overview

"Rocky the Findosaur" is a thematic unit based around rocks and fossils, with a key focus on science. It teaches about different types of rocks and fossils, looking at how they are formed. This theme also teaches about solids, liquids and gases.

Maths Liks

Addition and subtraction, Multiplication and Division, Measure

Literacy inks

Fiction, Non-fiction Writing and Poetry

Art

Drawing

Drama

Interview "rocks" to find out information about them, including fictional information such as who found them and how they felt when their new owner found them. Next, pupils take turns as part of a living rock display, or as visitors to the rock display, discovering real information about different types of rock.



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Music

Look at the use of a variety of materials as percussion instruments. Starting with stones, learn about ringing rocks and use stones to develop rhythm patterns. Then, they will find out about Aboriginal clapping sticks and make their own to use in keeping the beat. Finally, they will investigate junk percussion and learn about 'Weapons of Sound' and 'Stomp', producing their own junk percussion piece.

PSHE

Safe relationships, Respecting ourselves and others

Computing

Design and play Kodu Rock Quest

RE

How do festivals and family life show what matters to Jewish people?

PE

Netball and gymnastics

MFL

Gender, about me, names, Christmas

