



# Seven Worlds, One Planet

## Year 3 Term 1 (2024-2025)

What a way to start our year, one of the most explosive topics you could dream of...  
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During our English learning, we will be letting the children's imaginations run wild following our thought provoking 'hook' lesson. Their word smart skills will be showcased as we explore high quality texts to support the children when writing letters and explanation texts. They will learn about the important work that bees do and how they impact our environment. They will write persuasive letters to Sir David Attenborough to continue his work to protect these endangered creatures. They will have lots of opportunity to improve their speech and language skills, as they take part in a number of drama activities, as well as being able to rehearse and perform their writing.

In our Maths lessons, we will be developing our Maths Mastery in place value, addition and subtraction, and multiplication and division.

Our Science topic for this term is Let There Be Light. We will be studying light and dark, observing shadows, investigating reflective materials and learning about the biggest light source of them all, the Sun. We will also be carrying out a number of experiments set by Professor Abbey to develop our Scientific Enquiry skills.

Climate and weather will be the focus in Geography. We will compare the climates of different countries and identify the reasons for this linking to the equator. This knowledge will then help us to compare the precipitation and temperatures of contrasting places.

During our P.E lessons, we are going to be learning the skills and tactics needed to be fantastic footballers and netballers. We've been incredibly inspired by the England football teams success, we can't wait to get started developing our own sporting strengths!

P.E lessons are on Monday and Friday, but P.E kits should be brought to school on Monday and taken home on Friday in case we have bonus P.E sessions!

This term's Christian Values are Creation and Creativity. Our Bible story for this term is The Creation Story.

Throughout our R.E work, we will be learning about the key concepts of Hinduism, and how the belief in Dharma and Samsara impacts on the lives of those who follow this faith.

We will shortly be sending the children home with this term's Palette of Choice. Please complete at least 4 activities and, if possible, bring them to school on a Wednesday so they can be marked by the Friday. The children are incredibly excited to start using our TTRS app. This can be used to supplement homework activities. As usual, we would love to see the children reading with you on a daily basis. Thank you again for your support and encouragement with your child's learning. Please get in touch if you have any worries or questions. 'Our door is always open.'

