Central Primary School	Curriculum Overview
Spring 2 - 2022	Voar 3

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English	Guided Reading	Maths	Science	
Recount (Biography): The children will explore biographies using a model text about Frida Khalo before writing their own biography about the life of Muhammad Ghandi. Poetry: Building on their knowledge of Haiku, the children will look at <i>Tanka</i> poems with a nature theme this half term. The focus will be on the structure.	Independent reading will happen every day and some children will read with an adult every day. Additionally the class will have a structured guided reading session with the teacher daily where children will work on the reading skills (comprehension, retrieving, summarising, vocabulary). This half term we will be reading 'The Giving Tree' by Shel Silverstein.	We will be looking at the following areas: Statistics: They will recap their knowledge of measurement. They will convert different units by providing the equivalent value. Students will also calculate the perimeter of a shape. Fractions: Children understand the concept of a whole as being one object or one quantity. They will explore making and recognising equal and unequal parts. They should do this using both real life objects and pictorial representations of a variety of shapes and quantities.	This half term, we will be exploring Animals including humans. The children will explore nutrition	
Geography	Computing	RE	PSHCE	
This half term, we will be doing Geography. Our topic is 'Volcanoes" The children will look at the layers of the Earth and be able to understand the key concept of each layer. They will then look at the locations of volcanoes using an Atlas. They will also look at how they are formed and what causes them to erupt.	This half term, Year 3 will be looking at branching databases. Students will begin with creating yes/no questions and thinking about what the common characteristics are. They will then apply their skills and create a branching database online.	This term, the children will be looking at prayer, worship and reflection. They will understand why Muslims celebrate Ramdan and how it is celebrated by Eid ul Fitr, which takes place at the end of the Holy Month. Students will further look at how Easter is celebrated by Christians. They will also look at Lent and be able to explain what it is and the reasoning behind it.	Our unit this half term will be 'Dreams and goals'. The children will identify their own dreams and goals. They will come up with strategies to cope with disappointment and make new plans and goals when they have been disappointed. They will also work in groups to achieve a goal and identify everyone's contribution to the group's achievement.	

	Autumn 2 - 2021/2022	Year 3	
Music	Art	Design and Technology	PE
This half term, we will	In Art this half term, the children will explore the one point perspective work of Gustave Caillebotte. The children will be taught how to draw lines to create one point perspective and the appearance of three dimensions. They will explore using tone and shading to add depth to an image. The children's final piece will be a one-point perspective piece of a street in Watford.	In DT this half half term, the children will use their designs from Spring 1 and will create their hot air balloons. They will achieve this by using paper mache on a balloon and creating a box from a net. They will connect the two by using string.	PE will consist of Tennis and Dance. Children will take part in both PE and Dance once a week. Please ensure your child is wearing their PE Kt.
Dance	Spanish	Oracy	
To explore and demonstrate a series of dance actions whilst developing teamwork skills and focusing on independent thinking.	In this unit 'En el Mercado' children will learn the name of fruits and vegetables. They will learn to express their likes and dislikes. We will revise our grammar skills by describing the fruits and vegetables. Then to practice they will roleplay buying fruits and vegetables in a market.	Oracy is a significant part of the curriculum at Central Primary School It will make up roughly 40% of our lesson planning in all subjects. Essentially, Oracy aims to develop speaking and listening skills. This half term, we will be focussing on:	
	Information an	d events	