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# Where in the World?



**Year 3**  
**Spring Term 2012**

**Over the next few weeks, your child will be working on the topic of Where in the World?.**

**They will be taking part in a series of exciting activities:**

- Finding out about continents, countries and capitals.
- Learning about World climate.
- Finding out about Wonders of the World and landmarks and creating related art work.
- Learning about volcanoes and rocks.
- Using the computer to follow directions.
- Learning more about other cultures and traditions.

**Your child needs your help and involvement!  
Please get involved by:**

- Taking your child to the library & get books and resources about the topic.
- Helping your child to use the internet to find out about famous world landmarks / wonders of the world.
- We would also appreciate it if you could send in to school any books, leaflets, artefacts, photographs, postcards or keepsakes from your own trips abroad.
- Look over old holiday photos, talk about weather and climate.
- Research different Flags.
- We would also appreciate it if your child could bring in any holiday brochures for different countries.

# **What does your child know about Where in the World?**

**Before the Topic...**

**After the Topic...**

**Sit down with your child and help them record what they know about the topics, BEFORE and then AFTER they have learnt about it at school.**

# What else is happening?

## Religious Education

Most of our teaching of religious education takes place in separate 'mini-topics'. This half-term, your child will be learning about Christianity and Judaism.

## SEAL Time

Each half-term, we focus on a particular aspect of Social & Emotional Aspects of Learning (S.E.A.L). This half-term, we will be looking at the theme of Good to be Me.

## Homework

Please support your child by making sure that they read on a daily basis and be sure to update their reading record for them.

<b>MONDAY</b>	Reading
<b>TUESDAY</b>	Homework due in.
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	Reading
<b>THURSDAY</b>	Reading
<b>FRIDAY</b>	Spellings and Maths

\* Please note, homework subject and day may change

## Clubs

<b>Breakfast Club</b>	Every morning 8.00 – 8.50am
<b>Skills 7 Football</b>	Mondays 3.20 – 5.00pm
<b>Apps Club</b>	Mondays 3.30 – 4.30pm
<b>Credit Union</b>	Tuesdays 3.15pm
<b>KS2 Gymnastics Club</b>	Tuesdays 3.30 – 4.30pm
<b>Year 3 Cheerleading Club</b>	Wednesdays 3.15 – 4.15pm
<b>KS2 Street Soccer</b>	Wednesdays 3.30 – 4.30pm
<b>Year 5/6 Football Training</b>	Thursdays 3.30 - 4.30pm
<b>Upper Building Games Library</b>	Fridays 3.15pm
<b>KS2 Dodge Ball</b>	Fridays 3.30 – 4.30pm

## Forthcoming Events

<b>Fairlands Fathers 7.30 – 9.30pm</b>	<b>Monday 27<sup>th</sup> February</b>
<b>Year 3 Assembly</b>	<b>Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> February 2.45pm</b>
<b>Parent/Teacher Consultations</b>	<b>Monday 5<sup>th</sup> March 5.30 – 8.00pm</b>
<b>Maths World Day</b>	<b>Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> March</b>
<b>Parent/Teacher Consultations</b>	<b>Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> March 3.30 – 6.00pm</b>
<b>Science &amp; Engineering Week</b>	<b>w/c 12<sup>th</sup> March</b>
<b>Class Photographs</b>	<b>Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> March</b>
<b>Year 6 Parent Assembly</b>	<b>Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> March</b>
<b>Fairlands Fathers 7.30 – 9.30pm</b>	<b>Monday 26<sup>th</sup> March</b>
<b>End of Spring Term</b>	<b>Friday 30<sup>th</sup> March 2.15pm</b>