

**Curriculum Overview Term 5**  
**Year3 Express yourself. Talk about it.**

**Our Core Text will be 'The Iron Man' by Ted Hughes.**

**Overview – QUESTION. Why do some people treat others badly?**  
This modern fairy tale tells the story of a mysterious iron giant whose destructive quest for food alarms the local farming community. The story is told through the eyes of a young boy, Hogarth, who forms a friendship with the Iron Man. In time the Iron Man turns from villain to hero as the world faces a bigger threat.

**Literacy**

We will be writing diary entries, persuasive letters and poetry alongside descriptive narrative and characterisations.

**Maths**

Children will continue with problem solving in number and will also be looking at properties of shape, mass and capacity.

**DT and Art.**

We will be making our own Iron Man, this will involve design and use of materials to create a larger than life character in our classroom. Children will develop observational skills and use graded pencils to draw fine details alongside painting and pastel work.

**Music -The children will experience composing and performing their own music about the battle of the Iron Man with the 'space-bat-angel-dragon'.  
PE- Focus. Handball - Balance, agility, flexibility, strength and speed.**

**History**

The children will be learning about changes from the Stone Age to the Iron Age. They will appreciate that early Britain's would not have communicated as we do or have eaten as we do.

**Science.**

Continuing learning about bones and muscles. Children will plan investigations and learn how to record data.

**Curriculum Overview Term 6.**  
**Year 3 Well Being Quest.**

**Our Core Text will be 'Arthur and the Golden Rope' by J.T. Stanton**

**Overview- QUESTION. Who is a hero to you?**  
Arthur Brownstone ventures from the small Icelandic town where he was born into the nearby forest. One day a huge wolf extinguishes the fire that gives out essential warmth. So our unlikely hero sets out, he meets mighty Thor who enlists Arthur's help to defeat the wolf.

**Literacy**

Children will learn to extend vocabulary, sentences, write for a range of different purposes and describe settings, characters and plots using question and exclamation marks. Joined handwriting will be taught for fluency

**Maths**

Addition, subtraction, multiplication and division. Children will:- Recall and use multiplication and division facts. They will calculate and solve problems with addition, subtraction and multiplication and division.

**Music**

The children will be learning how to handle and play the ukulele and perform as part of an ensemble.  
PE Focus. Rounders. Team games, throwing, catching and agility.

**Humanities.**

We will be learning about Vikings myths and legends. We will also create scenes from the book using a variety of art techniques.