

Mathematics - We will use 'Maths Mastery' resources to help support our learning of graphs and addition and subtraction. We will develop our understanding of key mathematical vocabulary through daily Star Words. The children will move through a range of new learning, talk tasks, deepening learning and independent tasks.

English - This half term, the children will be writing a brochure based on The Barnabus Project and a newspaper report based on The Tear Thief.

Text Drivers/Supporting texts -

The BFG - Roald Dahl

I Am the Seed that Grew the Tree (poetry collection)

The Barnabus Project - The Fan Brothers

The Tear Thief - Carol Ann Duffy

Autumn 2 2025 - Class 3P are learning about:



Antarctica

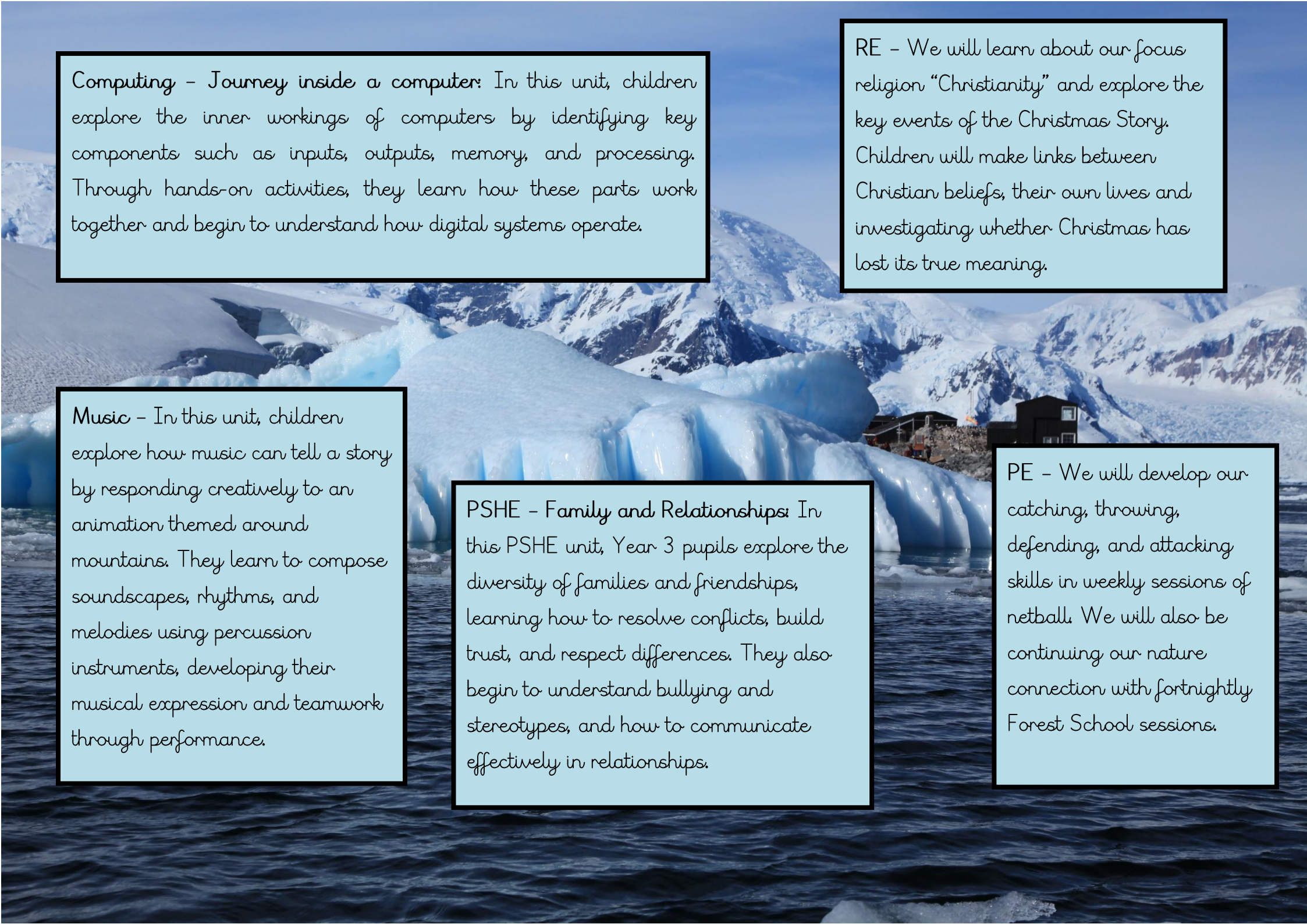


Geography: We will be developing knowledge and understanding of who lives in Antarctica. We will describe the location as well as the physical and human features of Antarctica. Furthermore, we will study the position and significance of lines of latitude and use four-figure grid references to plot Shackleton's route to Antarctica.

Foreign Languages - In this unit, children learn to count from one to twelve in Spanish through traditional games and activities. They also practise asking and answering questions about age, building confidence in speaking and listening

Science - Forces and Magnets: In this unit, children investigate how forces can push, pull, and change the movement or shape of objects. They explore friction as a contact force, and learn about non-contact forces such as magnetism and gravity, using practical activities to understand how magnets attract or repel.

Art - We will be making links to our previous prehistoric unit and the children will have the opportunity to gain a sense of what it was like to create art thousands of years ago. They will be experimenting with charcoal, berries, leaves and homemade prints.



Computing - Journey inside a computer: In this unit, children explore the inner workings of computers by identifying key components such as inputs, outputs, memory, and processing. Through hands-on activities, they learn how these parts work together and begin to understand how digital systems operate.

RE - We will learn about our focus religion “Christianity” and explore the key events of the Christmas Story. Children will make links between Christian beliefs, their own lives and investigating whether Christmas has lost its true meaning.

Music - In this unit, children explore how music can tell a story by responding creatively to an animation themed around mountains. They learn to compose soundscapes, rhythms, and melodies using percussion instruments, developing their musical expression and teamwork through performance.

PSHE - Family and Relationships: In this PSHE unit, Year 3 pupils explore the diversity of families and friendships, learning how to resolve conflicts, build trust, and respect differences. They also begin to understand bullying and stereotypes, and how to communicate effectively in relationships.

PE - We will develop our catching, throwing, defending, and attacking skills in weekly sessions of netball. We will also be continuing our nature connection with fortnightly Forest School sessions.