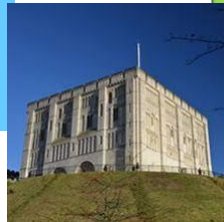


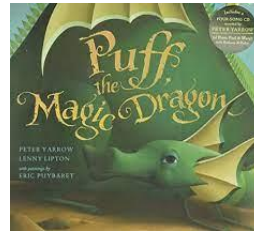
Kingfisher class will continue to have PE on Thursdays, please come into school in your kit. Year 3 will be swimming this half term, beginning 11th January; please bring swim things, hat, towel and a coat. Our English and Maths plans for Spring term will be available on our class page on the website. Fridays we celebrate our readers so please keep recording your child's reading at home so we can celebrate them. Spellings continue to be on Fridays and new spelling lists will be coming home on Friday 6th January 2023. We send marked home learning books on Mondays during term time. Thank you for your ongoing support.

As scientists, we will identify and compare animals in order to classify them, learn about their needs and their young and their skeletons.

As geographers, linked to our work in history, we will study types of settlement, land use, distribution of natural resources and trade links. We will name countries in the UK and the flags that make up the UK. We will find the answers to; Why is it called the United Kingdom? What countries are in the United Kingdom? And map castles around Great Britain, linking them to our history timeline.



As historians we will learn about the lives of significant historical people such as The Vikings and William the Conqueror. Whilst sharing stories such as George and the Dragon and King Arthur.



As linguists, we will listen and engage with stories and songs in French. .



Dragons

As musicians we will think about how does music make the world a better place? How does music help us understand our neighbours?

We will explore block coding and coding beebots in Computing.



In R.E. we will learn about other religions and develop a deeper understanding of our own. Our big questions will be 'What is right and what is wrong?' and share the story of The Good Samaritan and thoughts around 'Is being happy the greatest purpose in life? Does religion bring peace, conflict or both?'.



As artists and designers, we will create Chinese Dragons by studying the history of Chinese dragon painting and finding out about well known artists in this area.



We will be sharing our love of reading in class with these whole class books.

