



TOPIC WEB YEAR 3 AUTUMN TERM

NOAH & HIS ANIMALS



English

- Spellings are looked at and explored each week following a spelling pattern based scheme.
- Grammar has a focus on basic punctuation, nouns, adjectives and verbs.
- Reading carousel takes place 3 times a week with a variety of reading and comprehension based activities.
- Handwriting lessons take place regularly throughout the term, using topic-related pieces for teaching and practice.
- Poetry appreciation and writing using different techniques (haiku, etc)
- Persuasive writing techniques – let me on the ark!
- Research skills and ‘Mr. Man’ style information book on animals – Read to Pewley Year 1
- Noah headlines

ICT

- Internet Safety
- Computing in everyday life.
- Publisher poster for the ark
- Teacher Robot
- Simple algorithms (beebots)

Music/Drama

- Singing
- Wackadoo Zoo Showcase
- Weather compositions (rhythm and pitch)
- Music appreciation – Sans Saens

RE

- The story of Noah
- God’s characteristics

DT

- Biscuit making
- Felt animal puppets
- Pivot mechanics cards.

Art

- Colour mixing
- Painting (in the style of Rousseau!)
- Sketching techniques

Science and Geography

- Floating and sinking investigation
- Weather and the water cycle
- Animal classification
- Food chains
- Our climate (zones/biomes and vegetation)

Maths

- Mission impossible place value challenge.
- Measuring animals for the ark.
- A variety of problem solving activities
- Addition and subtraction focus
- Mental math’s carousel
- Doubling and halving – Shrinking Noah to fit on the ark.
- 2D shape and their properties.
- Perimeter zoo design



Also our Chantries day, a trip to Marwell Zoo and a visit from ‘The Lizard Man’!