

Sparkling Start Creating an active volcano		Year 3 Angry Earth - Rock the World		Fabulous Finish Layered Rock Masterpiece	
Science, Geography and History	History / Geography Key Questions: What causes a volcano erupt and which are the famous volcanoes in the world? How do volcanoes impact on the lives of people and why do people choose to live near them? How can we recreate an erupting volcano? What is a tsunami/earthquake and what causes it? What are the after effects of the tsunami/earthquake? How can we recreate extreme weather?		Science Key Questions: How can you sort these rocks? What are fossils and why are they fascinating? What can you find out about the different types of rocks? Where would we find these rocks? How do you know which are igneous and sedimentary rocks? How are rocks formed? Why is a diamond a 'girl's best friend'? How is soil form? Can you collaborate to make a presentation about rocks?		
	Basic Skills	Readers	Year 3 will be reading non-fiction books about volcanos and articles concentrating on the layout They will also be focusing on technical vocabulary.		
Writers		Year 3 will be creating their own newspaper article and report on volcanos and earthquakes. The children will write letters and invitations.			
Communicators		Year 3 will be communicating the traumatic effect of an earthquake or volcano erupting.			
Mathematicians		We will be studying these mathematical areas: Solving problems involving measure and subtraction of 3-digit number. Identify, name and draw different size angles. Recognise angles within turns. Measure the perimeter of 2D shapes.			
Art and Design We will be creating a modern rock sculpture to represent human emotion.		Technology We will be constructing an erupting volcano focusing on the children producing a chemical reaction.		Computing Year 3 will be using green screens to create their own news reports.	
PE Year 3 will be developing their skills in athletics. In Outdoor and Adventurous Activities we will be focusing on co-operation and problem solving		PSHE The children will be planning for change and recognise different emotions.		RE Year 3 will be looking at where Christian symbols can be found and what they mean.	
Music We will be continuing to learn to play the recorder and perform in a recorder concert!		Languages The children will be learning the French alphabet and naming colours.			
Learning Drivers	Motivation To appreciate the power of nature.		Responsibility The children will be using Starz to create their own blogs and emails with an awareness to E-Safety.		Collaboration To work together to create, produce and edit a newspaper.
	Perseverance Can we make an active volcano?		Discovery Investigate how rocks are formed and that the earth is constantly changing.		