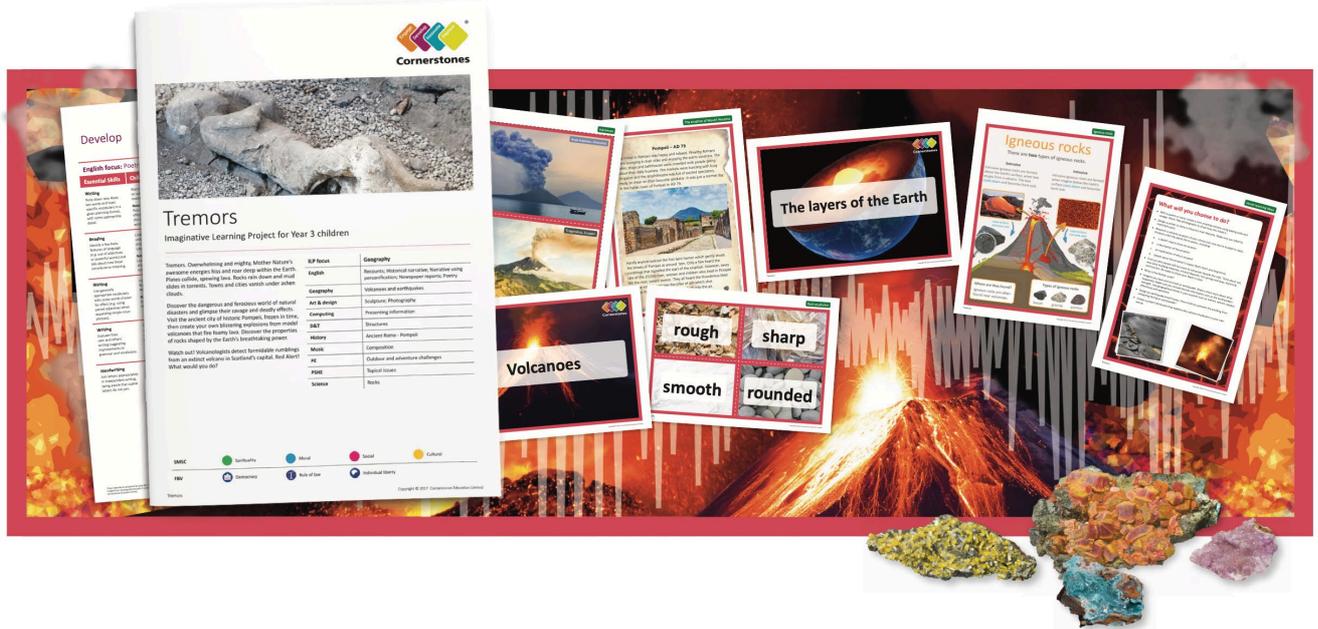


Our Imaginative Learning Project (ILP) for this half-term is...



Tremors



TOPIC OVERVIEW

What happens when the Earth shakes? In this project, we'll find out about the dangerous world of natural disasters and their deadly effects.

This half term we will find out about different types of rocks and sort them according to their properties. By carrying out research, we'll investigate the Earth's layers and the location of volcanoes, discovering what causes them to erupt. We'll write a narrative story inspired by a natural disaster and explore poems on our topic. Working as archaeologists, we'll locate Mount Vesuvius on a map and imagine what it was like to live in Pompeii during the eruption. We'll also use different art materials to create a volcano collage and a mod-roc volcano.

ENGAGE EVENT

We will use our art skills to create our own volcano collages and mod-roc volcanoes.

EXPRESS EVENT

Enjoy our art exhibition to see the volcanos we made and find out what we have learned.

WHAT WE WILL COVER AS PART OF THE ILP THIS HALF-TERM:

ILP Main Focus	<i>Geography – volcanoes and earthquakes</i>
English	We will write our own disaster story based on the book 'Escape from Pompeii.' We will write biography by exploring the life of Mary Anning.
Science	We will sort and classify rocks depending on their properties. We will learn about how fossils are created and different types of soil.
Art and design	We will use mixed media to create a picture of a volcano using collage materials and mod-roc.
Geography	We will learn the difference between man-made and natural features, as well as the process of erosion, deposition, transportation and weathering. We will discover the 'Ring of Fire' volcanoes and use compass points to identify points on a map.
History	As part of Black History Month (October) we will explore the life of Rosa Parks.

SUBJECTS THAT WE WILL TEACH IN ISOLATION THIS HALF-TERM:

Mathematics	We will recap some of our learning from the end of Year 2 including place value, addition and subtraction, multiplication and division. We will learn different representations of 100 and will learn about number looking at ordering and comparing numbers up to 1000 and place value.
Computing	We will learn about word processing and staying safe on-line.
Music	Charanga – Let Your Spirit Fly.
Physical education (PE)	Gymnastics and Real PE
Religious education (RE)	Our topic will look at Hinduism including the celebration of Diwali.
Personal, social, health and economic (PSHE) education	A wide range of topics including, rules, personal hygiene, physical illness, sleep and our mental and physical health and wellbeing and safety.
MFL – French	We will learn the French words for greetings and numbers.

Your child will have two home learning grids for this half-term: one for the Imaginative Learning Project and one for Mathematics. They should aim to complete a minimum of 3 activities on each grid by the end of the half-term and submit via Google Classroom.

At Hackbridge Primary School our school curriculum follows the framework for the national curriculum, supported by the use of Cornerstones materials alongside other learning and experiences, to offer a curriculum which is balanced and broadly based.

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