

Year 3 – Could Jurassic Park Be Real?

Our class novel this half term is
The Enormous Egg – by Oliver
Butterworth



The Big Idea – Prehistory (prehistoric) is a term used to describe the time before history was officially recorded. This period of history includes everything that came before the invention of writing systems and recorded history began, therefore it refers not only to the age of dinosaurs but also early human existence.

Entry Point – We are going to live a day in the land of Dinosaurs and hunt for fossils!

PE this half term is dance.
PE will take place every
Tuesday, please send your
child to school in their PE kit.
They will stay in their kit all
day.



As **scientists** we will be conducting investigations to test the physical properties of different kinds of rocks and compare and group them on the basis of their appearance. We will explore scientific vocabulary to effectively describe how fossils are formed. We will also identify how soils are made.

As **design technicians**, we will be designing and making 3D sculptures of Stonehenge. We will then be discussing which materials would be most effective and make our sculptures stronger.



Our Grove House Values are:
Courage and Compassion



As **historians**, we will be focussing on the study of prehistoric animals that extends pupils' chronological knowledge as well as the changes in Britain from the Stone Age to the Iron Age.



As **artists**, we will be using different materials to create abstract art. We will be using clay to investigate textures by describing, naming, rubbing, and adding dots and lines. We will also be experimenting with different grades of pencil to achieve variations in tone.



As **geographers**, we will name and locate counties and cities of the United Kingdom. We will also learn to identify human and physical characteristics.