

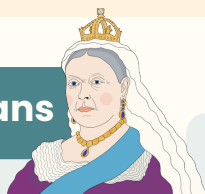


Seals and Sea Lions

YEAR 3 NEWS

AUTUMN TERM 2026

Our topic: The Victorians



This term, our topic is The Victorians! We will be learning about Queen Victoria, Victorian traditions and inventions, the differences between rich and poor children, and influential artists such as William Morris.

If your child has any Victorian artefacts, books, photographs, or interesting facts they would like to share with the class, we would love them to bring them in to support our learning.

Times Tables/Maths



Each week, we will set a friendly class competition on TT Rockstars. Practise in the Garage mode - please don't answer questions on your child's login!



Reading

Please encourage your child to read for at least 10 minutes a day. We will check their reading journals each week and award BEST points.

Spellings

We will be teaching the Y3 curriculum spellings in class. Each week we will set 10 spellings to learn for a test the following Friday.

PE

This term Year 3 PE will take place on Tuesday and Friday afternoons for both classes. Children should come to school in their PE kits on these days.



Preston Manor

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We will be going on a visit to Preston Manor. This is a brilliant way to act out life as a Victorian servant. The children are asked to dress up for the trip but we don't expect you to spend lots of money on their outfit.

We will also be holding an immersive Victorian School Day this half term (date TBC) to see how much school has changed in the last 150 years.

Seesaw



Check Seesaw for some highlights of our learning journey in year 3 and also our weekly spellings to practise.

Curriculum Map - to see our curriculum in detail, visit www.stnicolasmary.w-sussex.sch.uk and head to 'Learning - Curriculum'