

# Spring Term 1 & 2 in Y3

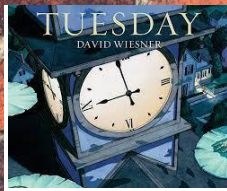


## English

This term, a range of book & Film studies will form our writing lessons, giving opportunities to write through narrative and non-fiction genres.

Reading  
Comprehension skills will be covered so children develop their understanding of the 6 key reading domains in discreet weekly lessons.

We are reading...



Writing genres, we will focus on producing this term are:

- Description
- Diary entry
- Non-chronological report
- Poem
- Letter
- Newspaper report
- Narrative
- Interviews

## Maths

We will be busy learning about the following themes in maths:

- Multiplication and division
- Length and perimeter
- Fractions
- Mass and capacity

## Geography & History

In Geography we will be looking at, Rocks relics and rumbles. This project will aim to teach the children about features and characteristics of the Earth's layers. We will also look at Volcanic tectonic and seismic activity in detail.

## R.E

Christmas - In this unit the story of the shepherds provides a focus for children to reflect on the birth of Jesus Christ and who he is.

Reconciliation - Children will explore human choices, the consequences of sin, Christ's teaching on forgiveness and the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

Lent - Lent is a time when Catholics resolve to change to become more like Christ. In this new topic children will be introduced to new Gospel stories about Jesus bringing change into the lives of the people he encountered.

Holy Week - The children will deepen their knowledge of the events of Holy Week and deepen their understanding of the Church's celebration of the Mass.





## Science

In science we will look at forces and magnets, this will teach the children about contact and non-contact forces, including friction and magnetism. We will investigate frictional and magnetic forces and identify parts of a magnet and magnetic materials.

## Art &DT

We continue to do lots in Art & DT with projects such as make it move, people and places and ammonite.

In make it move the children will experiment with different shaped cams before designing, making and evaluating a child's automaton toy.

In people and places, we will study figure drawings and urban landscapes and look at the artist LS Lowry.

Finally in the project ammonite we will look at artistic techniques used in sketching, printmaking and sculpting.

## Music

Three Little Birds – Bob Marley  
Three Little Birds is a song written and sung by Robert Nesta 'Bob' Marley. During the term we will learn to sing, play, improvise and compose Three Little Birds and we will also listen and appraise other Reggae songs.

## RHE

In RSHE we will be looking at the unit Created to love others. Children will explore the individual relationships we have with others.

## Computing

In ICT we will be evaluating digital activity. The children will learn about search engines and how they use web crawlers to index the World Wide Web.

We will act like web crawlers themselves, indexing a very small portion of the WWW, and we then use this index to respond to search queries.

## PE

This term we will be focusing on Yoga, football and ball skills.

We will continue with our mile every PE session. As the weather begins to warm please pack appropriate clothing and footwear for outside PE.