



Maths

Recall and use multiplication and division facts for the 3, 4 and 8 times table. To write and calculate mathematical statements for multiplication and division. To solve problems involving multiplication and division, including missing number problems.

Computing

Learning how to stay safe online.
Learning how to sequence programming.

RE

What does it mean to be Hindu?

RSHE

Dreams and goals
Setting personal goals and exploring strategies to achieve them. Discussing dreams and aspirations and selecting ways to make them come true.

PE

Outdoor: Games – Ball Handling – learning varied ways for controlling, throwing, passing and catching a ball.
Indoor: Gymnastics – gaining confidence in using hand apparatus.

Music

Composing and performing with lyrics—ballads

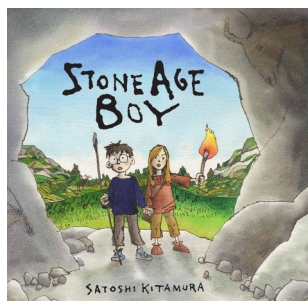
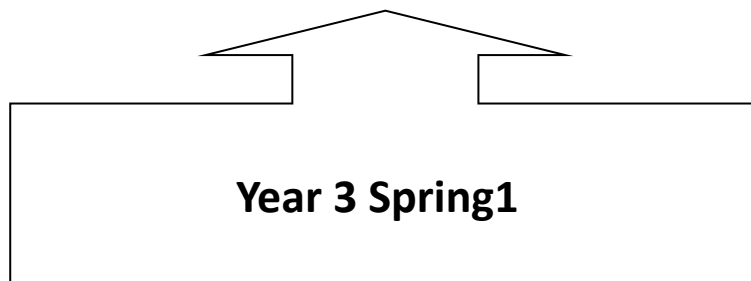
Writing Text:

Stone Age Boy by Satoshi Kitamura

Reading Text:

A Dangerous Game by Malorie Blackman

Educational Event – Visit to the Mandir



English

Learning to empathise with a character through role play and drama. Writing from the point of view of different characters. Writing a historical narrative.

Science

Plant nutrition & reproduction

History

What can we find out about Ancient Egypt? Identify period on the timeline. Describe features of society and rulership.

French

Which superhero am I? Learning to describe a superhero using a colour phrase.

Metacognition

Identifying the characteristics of a successful learner and how to reflect on a piece of work.

Art

Prehistoric pots
Exploring different clay techniques to make and decorate a Bell Beaker style pot.



Ways in which you can support your child at home...

Below is a list of activities available on different websites we subscribe to as a school, for which your child has their own login and password. These activities have been selected for your child to complete this half term, as they support learning in class. If you have difficulty accessing any of the sites, please contact your child's teacher.

Plant nutrition and reproduction

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zy66fg8>

Stone Age– Iron Age

[Prehistoric - KS2 History - BBC Bitesize](#)

Maths Support

<https://play.ttrockstars.com>

English Support

[IXL - Year 3 English practice](#)

Places to visit

We are very fortunate to live in an area surrounded by many wonderful places to visit. To support your child's learning this half term, why not consider visiting the Redbridge Museum, situated within the Central Library in Ilford. It offers interesting workshops about pre-historic Britain and has a bank of resources and artefacts for children to explore and enjoy. It is also a great place for children to learn about the rare mammoth remains found in Ilford!

Reading at home

Please make some time to read with your child and comment in their reading record. We expect year 3 children to read for at least 15-20 minutes six times a week. Please remember to record page numbers when signing your child's reading records.

Your child's password can be found in the back of their reading record. Do speak to your child's class teachers if you have any questions or concerns about your child's reading.

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This half term, the children are working towards achieving the target indicated below. The ultimate aim is for your child to be able to recall these facts **instantly**.

To know multiplication and division facts for the 2, 4 and 8 times tables.

Vocabulary

multiplication
division
multiples of 2
multiples of 4
multiples of 8

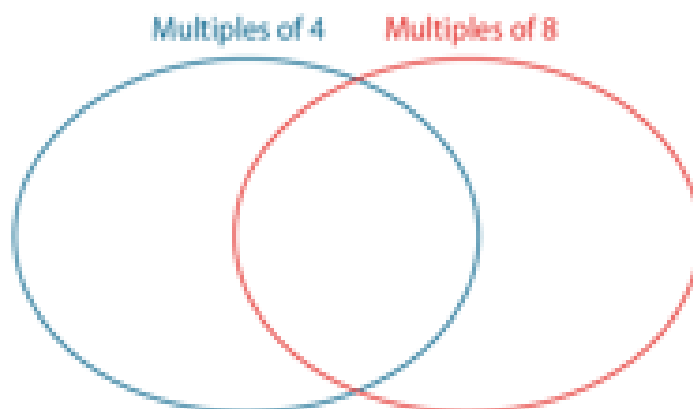
Helpful hints:

- Include quick fire multiplication and division facts in your daily routine.
- Encourage children recall division facts as well as multiplication facts.

Hit the button

[Hit the Button - Quick fire maths practise for 6-11 year olds](https://www.topmarks.co.uk/Hit-the-Button-Quick-fire-maths-practise-for-6-11-year-olds)
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Please encourage children to log in to Times Table Rockstars to practise their times tables. They should aim for 5-10 minutes.



Encourage your child to think about similarities and relationships between 2, 4 and 8. For example, they are all even numbers.

**TIMES TABLES
ROCKSTARS**