

Year 3 Learning Journey
Fortnight Commencing: 15th January 2024



English:

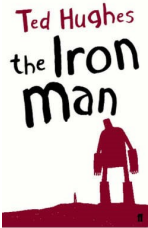
In English, we will be using the book 'The Iron Man' to write a story based on how the Iron Man got to Earth. We will then write a set of instructions on 'How to build an Iron Man' after building our own class model.



Maths:

In Maths, we will continue using our timetables knowledge to learn how to multiply 2 digits by 1 digit.

Reading:



During our reading lessons, we will use our class text, The Iron Man, to learn new vocabulary and deepen our understanding of the text by developing our comprehension skills.

Science:

We will be investigating light and how it can be reflected off different surfaces. We will then progress to understand reflections and how shadows are formed.

Foundation Lessons:

Geography: Linking to our 'Iron Man' topic we will identify the features of a coast and how these features are formed.

Art: We will look at the great artist 'Van Gough' and use him as inspiration for our own self portraits focusing on improving our drawing techniques.

Personal, Social, Health Education: Year 3 will be learning about what influences our decisions and road safety.

Religious Education: In RE, we will be learning about the religion, Islam. Focusing on their main beliefs, festivals, special places, their holy book and symbols. We will be using this to answer the enquiry question: 'What similarities can you see between Islam and other religions?'

Music: We will begin to learn how to hold and play the toot.

Home Learning

Monday – My Maths

Wednesday – Oxford Owl (choose your child's book banded colour.)

Daily - Reading

How You Can Help At Home:

Reading Matters! Please read with your child daily and ensure that this is recorded in their planner. Ask them questions about what they are reading to support with comprehension.

Support your child with Mental Maths:

- Counting in 2's, 3's, 4's, 5's, 8's and 10's from any given number
- Add and subtract 1s, 10s and 100s from any 3 digit number.

The following websites will support your child with these Math skills:

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button>

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/mental-maths-train>

Reminders:

Please ensure your child's jumper and water bottle are labelled to help reduce the amount which are going missing.

Please also bring in cardboard boxes and tin foil, if possible, so we can make our class Iron Man models.

