

# St. Mark's Primary School

## Welcome to Year 3! Key Messages



### Meet the team

Mrs Boyle and Mrs Spiers (3SB) Heads of Year 3

Miss Wheeler (3SB)

Miss Tamblyn (3T)

Miss Crow (3C)



# Welcome to KS2



## Differences from Key Stage 1

- French lessons
- Hampshire music lessons for all – ukulele, violin & African drums
- Bring own fruit snack for break
- School dinners

## Reminder

Children need a water bottle in school everyday and this must be water

# Autumn 1

## Dig and Discover

### Stone Age to Iron Age



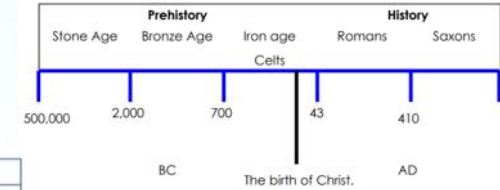
**BIG QUESTION:** Why do we live differently to our ancestors?



# Knowledge Organisers

## Dig and Discover Knowledge Organiser

Topic Vocabulary	
Stone Age	The Stone Age is the name given to the earliest period of human culture when stone tools were first used.
Bronze Age	The Bronze Age is the time period when bronze replaced stone as the preferred materials for making tools and weapons.
Iron Age	The Iron Age is the time period when iron became the preferred choice of metal for making tools.
Neolithic	The Neolithic is the youngest part of the Stone Age. The word 'Neolithic' comes from two words in Greek: 'neo', meaning new and 'lithic', meaning 'Stone'. This was also the time that farming was invented and when people started caring for animals, such as cows, sheep and pigs.
Prehistoric	Prehistoric means the time before recorded history.



**Important Places**

**Skara Brae** — Skara Brae is a stone-built Neolithic settlement, located on the Bay of Skall on the west coast of Mainland, the largest island in the Orkney archipelago of Scotland.

**Stonehenge** — A prehistoric monument in Wiltshire, England. It consists of a ring of standing stones, with each standing stone around 13 feet high, 7 feet wide and weighing around 25 tons.



### TIMELINE

The word fossil comes from the Latin word 'fossilia', which means 'dug up'.



Rocks that are broken down do not change their structure. A grain of sand is still the same as the rock it came from. Erosion does not change the makeup of the particles.

Rocks have been used by humans for hundreds of years for **WEAPONS** and as **CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS**.

Science Vocabulary	
Rock	A hard, solid material that is made of minerals and is found in nature.
Soil	The top layer of the ground, in which plants grow; dirt.
Fossil	The remains of a plant or animal that turned to stone over a long period of time. Mostly found in sedimentary rock.
Metamorphic rock	Rock formed when any type of rock goes through changed caused by extreme heat and pressure, like marble or slate.
Sedimentary rock	Rock formed when sediment is pressed together over time. Formed over a long period of time, like limestone or sandstone.
Igneous rock	Rock formed by cooling and hardening of hot magma or lava. Formed by volcanoes, like basalt and granite.



- Things to try at home to support learning...
- Go to the beach for a stone hunt.
  - Stone hunt in garden/park and compare.
  - Build a den using natural resources
  - Make a fire with adult supervision.

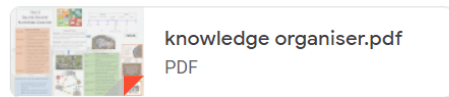
## Knowledge Organiser

Dig and Discover Knowledge Organiser

Posted 12 Sep

Here is your knowledge organiser for our first project 'Dig and Discover'.

Have a little look and start to learn facts on here.



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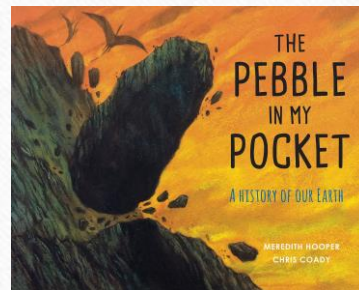
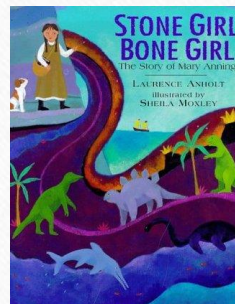
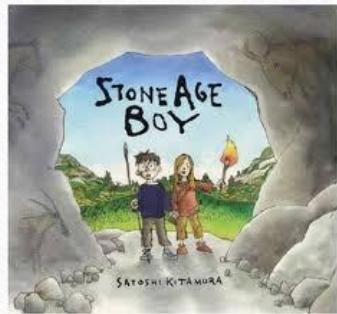
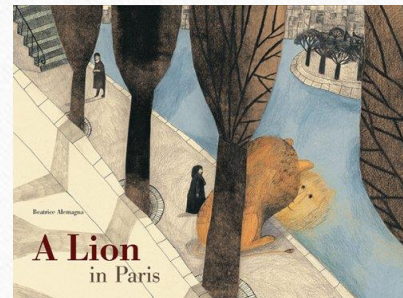
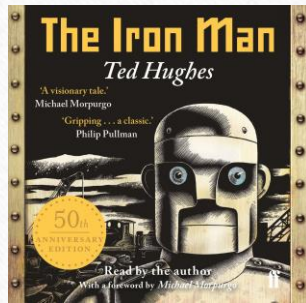
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English  
Reading and  
writing



Read to Write &  
Write to Read



Encouraging  
A Love of  
Reading  
in Kids

# English Reading



“Reading is the gateway skill that makes all other learning possible.”  
—Barack Obama

- Children who are still developing their phonic knowledge will bring home a RWI book.
- Children who have been taught all of their phonics (sounds) will bring home a book banded reading book matched to their skills.

ONCE UPON A TIME...  
Let your imagination be your guide!  
INSPIRE  
The best place for your nose is in a book  
REAR  
There is more treasure in books than in all the pirate's loot on treasure islands.  
dream  
BOOK WORM

The more you read, the more things you will know. The more that you learn, the more places you'll go.  
-Dr. Seuss

Get LOST in the story!  
Today a reader, tomorrow a leader.

STORY

English



## How you can help at home with English

- Reading daily – Minimum 4 times a week
- Hearing books read to them and answer questions about books
- Reading task – based on listening to text
- Look at vocabulary in books when reading
- **Bug club** – Oxford Owl



English



# Reading in School

*There is no such thing*  
**AS A CHILD WHO HATES**  
**TO READ,**  
*there are only children*  
**WHO HAVE NOT FOUND**  
**THE RIGHT BOOK.**

*-Frank Serafini*



**Every day we:**

- 10 minute silent reading
- 10 minute class reader
- Book club x 5 times weekly
- Reading throughout the curriculum

**Our Aim:**

- Develop fluency and comprehension.
- Develop a **LOVE** of reading!

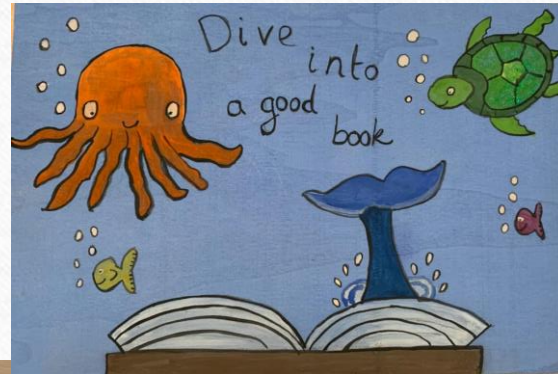
**Star Reader certificates!**



English



# Making reading fun at home!



Reading is a passport to countless adventures



Maths



In School

- 
- Mastery approach followed.
  - Focus on using resources.
  - Units lasting a few weeks.
  - Begin to teach formal methods.
  - Focus on most efficient strategy.
  - Daily Flashback Maths

Maths



How you can help at home with Maths?

- 
- Number bonds  $7+3$   $17+3$   $170+30$
  - Counting in 2's, 5's, 10's, 3's, 4's and 8's
  - TT Rockstars
  - Numbots (use TT Rockstars Login)
  - Tell the time to nearest five minutes

# Homework



# EXPECTATIONS

3SB-2022/23

Welcome to

3SB

2022 - 2023

## Homework - Due 23.9.22



Rock Stars Challenge



Spellings



Reading Activity

# Goggle classroom Top Tips

## 2.10.20 Weekly Spellings

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Due 9 Oct

Here are your spellings for this week. You should be spending 10 minutes a day completing your spellings.

Test day is 9th October 2020.

- ◆ Print or use google document to go over your spellings = 1RP
- ◆ Practise them on Spelling Shed = 1RP
- ◆ Write them creatively and upload for us to see = 1RP
- ◆ Write them in sentences = 2RP's

Don't forget to upload your work to get your RP's.



Spelling Shed - Spelling She...  
<https://www.spellingshed.com/e...>

Your work

Assigned

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+ Add or create

Mark as Done

Private comments



Add private comment...



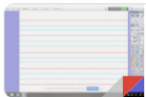
## 25.9.20 Rockstars/ Spelling shed and handwriting

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Due Today

This week you have three jobs:

1. Practise your spellings daily.
2. Go onto rockstars and practise your times tables - we would like to to focus on 2s, 5s and 10s. Play at least 6 games.
3. Complete handwriting and upload. We have included 3 videos - each session should be about 10 minutes. Remember to stay in the lines and use your handwriting book. Please also use pencil so we can see your neat joins.



KS2HW7 Letter \_n\_.webm  
Video



KS2HW12 Letter \_i\_.webm  
Video



KS2HW14 Letters \_l\_ and \_t\_....  
Video

Your work

Assigned

+ Add or create

Mark as Done

Private comments



Add private comment...



Your work

Handed in

No work attached

Unsubmit

# Any Year 3 Questions?

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