

Year 3 Newsletter

AUTUMN 2:

HISTORY: THE CHILDREN WILL BE LEARNING ABOUT WW1

WHAT WAS LIFE LIKE IN THE TRENCHES?

TO KNOW WHY WW1 BEGAN AND THE USE OF PROPAGANDA

LINK TO THE CHRISTMAS TRUCE 'WAR GAME'

SIGNIFICANT PERSON:

EDITH CAVELL

LITERACY:

Class Text: 'War Game' by Michael Foreman

WRITING: LETTER FROM THE FRONT LINE. (RECOUNT) AND CHARACTER DESCRIPTION.



MATHS:



THE CHILDREN WILL BE WORKING ON: MULTIPLICATION AND DIVISON

MULTIPLYING AND DIVIDING BY 3, 4 AND 8

ALL THE CHILDREN HAVE A LOG IN FOR TIMES TABLES ROCK STARS: A REALLY FUN WAY TO LEARN THEIR TIMES TABLES!

SCIENCE:

FORCES & MAGNETS

CAN I WORK SCIENTIFICALLY?

EXPLORING CONTACT & NON-CONTACT FORCES

FRICTION AND HOW MAGNETS ATTRACT/REPEL

PE:

PE: EVERY MONDAY

THIS HALF TERM THE CHILDREN WILL LEARNING ABOUT GYMNASTICS

NO JEWELLERY OR WATCHES WILL BE ALLOWED TO BE WORN DURING PE AND LONG HAIR MUST BE TIED BACK.

PLEASE DON'T FORGET TO COME TO SCHOOL DRESSED IN YOUR PE KIT ON THAT DAY.



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HOMEWORK

SPELLINGS HOMEWORK WILL BE SENT OUT EVERY **FRIDAY.**
THIS HOMEWORK IS COMPULSORY AND NEEDS TO BE BROUGHT BACK IN TO SCHOOL PLEASE BY THE FOLLOWING FRIDAY.

THE HOMEWORK BOOKLET IS OPTIONAL AND WILL HELP YOUR CHILD LEARN MORE ABOUT THEIR TOPICS.

ART

Artist: Neil Bousfield
Printmaking:: using different rollers and ink blocks
Make a monoprint

Christmas Art using printing techniques

READING



- **ALL CHILDREN WILL TAKE PART IN WHOLE CLASS READING SESSIONS ON FRIDAYS.**
  (INDIVIDUAL READING WILL ALSO TAKE PLACE IN SCHOOL).
- **IT IS EXPECTED THAT ALL CHILDREN READ THEIR INDIVIDUAL BOOKS AT HOME AT LEAST 4 TIMES WEEKLY.**
- **PLEASE FILL IN THE READING RECORDS TO SHOW US WHAT YOU HAVE WORKED ON/READ AT HOME.**
- **BEFORE YOUR CHILD CAN SWAP THEIR BOOK, THEY WILL NEED TO TAKE A QUIZ TO CHECK THEIR UNDERSTANDING OF THE TEXT.**



CURRICULUM

OTHER SUBJECTS THIS HALF TERM:

RE: **CHRISTIANITY**: HAS CHRISTMAS LOST IT'S TRUE MEANING?
PSHE: RELATIONSHIPS, FAMILY & FRIENDS
COMPUTING: E-SAFETY/ANIMATION
MUSIC: HANDEL'S FIREWORKS
DRAMA: BEGIN ACTIVE APPROACHES TO SHAKESPEARE GAMES 'JULIUS CAESAR'
GERMAN: FRUIT SALAD/CLOTHES/ A GERMAN CHRISTMAS



IF YOU HAVE ANY CONCERNS OR WORRIES PLEASE DO NOT HESITATE TO CONTACT US VIA CLASS DOJO OR AFTER SCHOOL.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT.
THE YEAR 3 TEAM

MRS WARDLE, MRS BEBBINGTON
MRS BRADBURY, MRS REDHEAD AND MISS SAJID

