

Year 3
Class information
2023-2024
Lent Term 1



St Patrick's Catholic
Primary School

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What to bring to school

- 2 water bottles containing water
- Healthy snack – fruit or breakfast bar

Staff working in Y3

Mrs Gripton, Mrs Wilson, Mrs Thompson, Mrs Kelly

PE Day

Your child should bring their PE kit on Monday and Tuesday

What will we be doing this half term?

English	Maths	RE
The Iron Man	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Multiplication & Division2. Length & Perimeter	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Journeys2. Listening & Sharing
Science	Topic - History	PE
Rocks & Fossils	The Bronze Age to the Iron Age	Dance

English

Our class text for this half term is 'The Iron Man' by . We will be writing in a range of different styles, including narrative (retelling) and newspaper articles.

Maths

This half term we will be focusing on times-tables in our multiplication and division unit. We will also be looking at length and perimeter, whilst continuing to focus our attention on reasoning and problem solving skills.

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English Vocab

narrative	Newspaper article	Adverb	Speech
Direct	Indirect	Fronted adverbials	Setting
Character	Plot	Conclusion	Description

Maths Vocab

Multiples	2-digit	Partitioning	Exchange
Division	Remainders	Scaling	Times-tables
Length	Perimeter	Metres	Centimetres

RE topic word

Journeys	Calendar	Seasons	Liturgical
Ordinary time	Feast day	Our Lady	Listening
Sharing	Eucharist	Gathering	Liturgy

Science key words

Rocks	Granite	Pumice	Grains
Sandstone	Chalk	Marble	Texture
Gneiss	Crystals	Layers	Reaction

Topic key words

Bronze	Iron	Roundhouses	Fort
Archaeology	Evidence	Hill	Broch
Crannog	Wattle and daub	Archer	Ore

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Key Events in Y3

Event	Date and time	Parents invited?
PTA Clothes Collection	Wednesday 17 th January	Yes- donations welcome
National Storytelling Week	Week beginning Monday 29 th January	No
Mass Yr's 1, 3 & 5	Tuesday 30 th January @ 9am	Yes
Traditional Tales Character Day	Friday 2 nd February- all day	No
Y3 Creswell Crags Trip	Monday 5 th February- all day	No
Safer Internet Day	Tuesday 6 th February- all day	No
Interhouse Sports	Tuesday 6 th February- afternoon	No
Y3 Bike ability	Wednesday 7 th February- all day	No
Parents Evening	Thursday 8 th February	Yes
INSET Day	Friday 9 th February- all day	-
Half Term	Monday 12 th - Friday 16 th February	-

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Class Timetable

Year 3	Monday LG	Tuesday LG	Wednesday LG	Thursday LW	Friday LW
8.30am	Arithmetic and TT	Arithmetic and TT	Arithmetic and TT	Arithmetic and TT	Arithmetic TT
9am	Maths - lesson	Maths – lesson	Maths	Maths	Maths
10.00am	Handwriting	Handwriting	Handwriting	Handwriting	Handwriting
10.15am - Break	Break Time				
10.30am	Spelling Lesson	English	English	RE	Science
11.30am	Reading groups	Reading groups	Reading groups	Reading groups	French
Lunch – 11.50- 12.45	Lunch Time				
1pm	PE	Topic	Computing	RE	Music
2pm- brain break	Brain Break				
2.10pm	RE	PE	Singing- 2.00-2.30 RSHE- 2.30-3.00	Science	Art
3.10pm	Story	Story	Story	Story	Story
3.20pm Home time	Home Time				

Keeping in touch

As parents, you are the first educators of your child and at this school we recognise that the partnership between home and school is fundamental to a child's success. School staff are always happy to speak to parents during the week before or after school, please just make an appointment through the school office. This year, to support teachers in their workload management, and to ensure that the e-mail system is used in the most appropriate way, parents are asked to use e-mails to teachers only for the sharing of information about your child. Information can also be passed on at the beginning or end of the day, but parents are reminded to keep this brief, or to pass the information on to the school office. Should parents at any point wish to meet with the class teacher, the school office should be contacted, and they will make an appointment in line with the availability of the class teacher and parents.

My email address is: Year3@st-patricksrsrc.notts.sch.uk

We will also keep you informed when we have additional adults working in a class or when there are changes to the staff members.