

# St Catherine's Catholic Primary School



## Year 3 Autumn Term 2

### English

In English, we will continue learning about and creating our own persuasive adverts. Using exciting vocabulary and creative styles to entice our audience. We then incorporate our History learning into our English lessons by following instructions on How to wash a woolly mammoth and the exciting adventure of the Stone Age Boy. Children will explore their own writing style through the supportive structure of sentence stacking lessons and experience days.

### Maths

We will continue to practice times tables and related division facts. We will start to look at our 3x tables as well. We will revise units of measure in length, mass and capacity. We will solve practical and abstract calculations using all three different types of measurement and solve problems too. We will use different types of practical resources to help us with our learning.

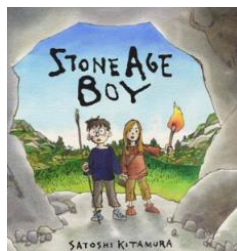
We will practice how to measure accurately using rulers for millimetres and centimetres and metre sticks and tape measures for metres. We will also revise how to convert

### Science

In Science, we will investigate different rock types, their properties and uses. We will then delve into how fossils are formed and found. Children will get to handle different rock types and also a real fossil.

### RE

This half term we will continue to learn about the Promises made during the Sacrament of Baptism. We will learn about the different signs and symbols used and the importance of each part. We will also discuss what kinds of demands Visitors bring to our homes, our attitudes, acceptance and love of visitors into our hearts and homes and lastly what it would have felt like for those who waited patiently to visit Jesus when he was born.



### History

In History we will learn about the changes, inventions and improvements to lifestyles from the Stone Age to the Iron Age. Children will look at the periods of time chronologically, how life started and how humans adapted to use their resources and make life better and easier for themselves. In the Stone Age we will look at the first farmers, then move onto how Bronze was used to further develop inventions, then how things changed even more as we move into the Iron Age.

### Computing

In Computing, we will practice safe and appropriate online behaviour and know how to speak out if we do not feel ok or comfortable online.

### DT

In DT we will learn about levers and mechanisms in making our own pop-up book. Children will follow step by step instructions as they design and create their own pop-up books to share with friends in school.

### Music

In Music, we will learn basic notes and rhythm using a glockenspiel and listen to some RnB music.

### PSHE

In PSHE, we will learn about the Gospel story Jairus' daughter in various creative and reflective ways. Through story and discussion, children will learn that they are designed for a purpose and how they should live in light of this. A second session unpacks the Sacraments of Baptism and Reconciliation as a foretaste of heaven and a wonderful part of our relationship with God.

### PE

In PE, we will be developing our skills in invasion, net and wall games with the NUFC coach, Evie and with Miss Haddow we will be learning about the rules and game play of basketball. We will apply our team building skills whilst developing ball skills.

### French

The children will continue to practice saying numbers, things within our classroom and how to start a conversation in French.