

St Edmund’s & St Joseph’s Catholic Primary Schools

Week commencing: 1st June 2020 Year group: 3

Below are some suggestions for learning that your child can do at home this week. We understand that the situation is unprecedented, however we do recommend that the children stay in touch with their learning using the ideas given below. You can help keep your child in contact with the school via the email link shown at the end of this message. Your child may want to share their achievements with their teacher by photographing or scanning it and sending it via email. A teacher will reply with a comment about the work shared.

Please email any completed activities/work to: [homelearning@st-edmunds.suffolk.sch.uk](mailto:homelearning@st-edmunds.suffolk.sch.uk)

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| Subject/ Theme | Learning ideas and activities |
| English | **Reading** – Have you read Fantastic Mr Fox by Roald Dahl? Or The Secret Garden by [Frances Hodgson Burnett](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Frances_Hodgson_Burnett). If not they’re a couple of great books.  Please continue to read lots! Make sure you’re logging on to accelerated reader! We’d love to see your quizzes and word counts going up! Make sure you do one this week! So please, please, see the email that Mr Scales sent out re Accelerated reader and the importance of reading, logging in and the quizzes the children are doing. Read every day, enjoy the peace and quiet of disappearing into a story!  <https://readon.myon.co.uk/library/browse.html> this link Accelerated reader have opened up myON - which is an online library free of charge. For Yr3 all these books can be quizzed on in the normal way by putting in the title.  **Writing** – This week have a go at the BBC Bitesize daily lessons, we’ve had lots of positive feedback about them! Try some of the creative writing prompts on the website this week.  <https://www.thenational.academy/online-classroom/year-3/english#subjects> setting description – there are 5 lessons on the National academy about setting descriptions. A lesson a day for this week.  Thie week there are some **paragraph** lessons with activities.  **Spellings-** There is an updated list of spellings the children should be practicing each week. The list now combines Year 3 and Year 4 words. Try picking 7/8 to practice this week.  **Reading**-Try some reading on a voyage with Columbus-very interesting!  **Daily Journal**- Have a go at documenting a few of your days next week with the ‘My Day’ template. It’s a great way of reflecting and recording your feelings during this strange time. We’re really enjoying reading these.  **French** - une cocotte en papier.  Have a go at creating your own French fortuneteller - style craft, using the templates provided in the French activity document on your class's homelearning page. It'll be a great way to revise a few basic phrases like numbers, colours etc... Once completed, you can enjoy playing with it and impress everyone with all your French knowledge! Have fun. |
| Maths | **NEW Fractions** – you should be really great at them now! Practice makes perfect! <https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/year-3/> (Summer term, week 6) this site has daily learning activities for you to do that we would have been learning together in class. There is a video to watch to help explain and then you can complete the activities, by pausing the video and using pen and paper to solve the calculations.  White Rose have now collaborated with BBC Bitesize and last week’s Maths lessons and White Rose Maths lessons were really useful so please continue with these, as they most definitely support the learning your child would have been doing in class. We’d like to recommend that these White Rose lessons and or BBC Bite size are completed to keep your child’s maths learning exactly where it should be.  <https://www.thenational.academy/online-classroom/year-3/maths#subjects> there are 12 Fraction lessons here to look at too.  <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/daily10> this can be used as a mental maths warm up, the children know this from class and often enjoyed choosing their own challenges!  Please see Mathletics to see which work you should be doing – we set work for you ready for Monday morning linked to your White Rose learning.  Don’t forget times table rocks stars too, we have added some Battle of the Bands and don’t forget to do a soundcheck! We are checking to see how you’re getting on.  All this is going to help move your child’s learning on! |
| Science, History or Geography | **Science** – What is light? <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zbssgk7/articles/z2s4xfr> This half term we are learning about light, let’s hope the sun stays out and we need our sunglasses on outside!  **History** – How the Romans conquered Britain - <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zqtf34j/articles/z9j4kqt> This half term we are learning about The Romans – so exciting!  [www.wildlifetrusts.org](http://www.wildlifetrusts.org) are also doing a 30 days wild. Have a look and see what you think! |
| RE | To understand the power of the Holy Spirit. Imagine you were one of the apostles in the room when the Holy Spirit came. Can you write about what happened – what you saw, heard or felt. Try to explain how the Spirit changed you and what you did to tell other people about Jesus.  Please feel free to use this link to the Article of the week. This links to our rights respecting school work - <https://www.unicef.org.uk/rights-respecting-schools/resources/teaching-resources/guidance-assemblies-lessons/article-of-the-week/> |
| Physical Education | We have put some ideas for PE sessions on the home learning page as well as;  Joe Wicks (the body coach) is doing daily PE lessons (Mon-Fri) on YouTube at 9am.  Oti Mabuse (from strictly come dancing) is also doing a daily dance session at 11:30am again on YouTube.  Cosmickids.co.uk is a lovely way of relaxing doing yoga together. You could practice catching and throwing balls in the garden.  https://family.gonoodle.com/ Go noodle provides a variety of dances/Zumba/movement/mindfulness exercises for children. |
| Music and Arty crafty ideas | Have a look at the home learning page as we have put some art activities on there for you to try.  Don’t forget.... **Young Voices at Home** is happening **THIS COMING WEEK!** Simply register free using the link, learn the song ‘Power in Me’ and join in singing it on **Tuesday 2nd June** at **2.30**!  If you are registered to take part you will receive a link on Monday 1st to the video you will need for your final performance on [www.youngvoices.co.uk/powerinme](http://www.youngvoices.co.uk/powerinme) The video will have exciting footage of people singing from around the world and will start with special warm ups from some amazing choir leaders including David Lawrence.  Wear something special and perform the song along with the video at home – you could even sing out of a window or outside so other people can hear. Don’t forget to let us all know how you get on - we would love to hear!  This week Miss Eden has written the music for The Blessing which has been shared a lot recently. Please find the youtube links of different versions for anyone who hasn't heard it yet and wants to play it. The first version is adults singing, the second children, the third is in french and the forth in Polish. Lots of countries have done their own version in other languages too if you may to want to search for others too.  <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PUtll3mNj5U>  <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uiWZXLsdE9w>  <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9PW0YtrFVdM>  <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=G46iVjRwdbo>  [https://www.classicfm.com/classical-100/abrsm-music-education-resource-free-lockdown/](https://www.classicfm.com/classical-100/abrsm-music-education-resource-free-lockdown/%20) Use the resource above to access free classical music lessons. |

We hope that you are all well and had a restful half term break.

We can’t believe that we are now in the second half of the Summer term!

We were so proud of the work that you achieved at home last half term, please keep sharing it with us [homelearning@st-edmunds.suffolk.sch.uk](mailto:homelearning@st-edmunds.suffolk.sch.uk)

Your emails of your work brighten our days. Keep up the super motivation towards your learning.

We really do miss seeing you and those smiling faces!