

### Year 3 – Week beginning 11<sup>th</sup> May

<b>Reading</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Read for at least twenty minutes each day.</li> <li>• Choose an activity each day from the reading rainbow activities.</li> </ul>
<b>Spelling</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• On the website is the Year 3/4 spelling list. Pick 10 spellings that you find tricky and practise them in 3 different ways (this could be 'look, write, cover, check', 'rainbow writing', 'pyramid spell', creating mnemonics, or your own creative way!). If this spelling list is a bit too tricky, try finding some words on the 'High Frequency Word List'.</li> <li>• Once you have practised your spellings, make sure you know what each of them mean and use them in a sentence! Try to challenge yourself to write a sentence that has all 10 of your spellings in!</li> </ul>
<b>Writing</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Poetry Skills</b> – This week we would like you to try the poetry unit (5 lessons) on Oak National Academy. This unit covers some poetry reading and writing skills, as well as developing the children's understanding and use of expanded noun phrases. The unit can be found on the following page below the instruction unit. <a href="https://www.thenational.academy/online-classroom/year-3/english#subjects">https://www.thenational.academy/online-classroom/year-3/english#subjects</a></li> <li>• <b>Writing Task</b> – Write a poem about the Stone Age. You can use ideas from the poetry unit or just make up your own. This can be a rhyming poem, list poem or even a shape poem. It's up to you!</li> </ul>
<b>Maths</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Mental Maths</b> – Practise times tables and number bonds. Suggested resources include: Hit the Button and Loop cards on <a href="http://www.topmarks.co.uk">www.topmarks.co.uk</a> and <a href="https://trockstars.com/">https://trockstars.com/</a></li> <li>• <b>Problem solving and reasoning</b> – This week we'd like you to try problem solving on the '<b>I See Maths</b>' website (5 lessons). Gareth Metcalfe from 'I see Maths' has put together some excellent problem-solving lessons and we love his enthusiasm. <a href="http://www.iseemaths.com/lessons34/">http://www.iseemaths.com/lessons34/</a> Try the following lessons: <b>Shape puzzles part 1 and 2</b> and then jump to <b>Odd one out</b>, <b>Guess the shape</b> and <b>Shape properties</b>. Each video has a recap from the previous lesson. The resource sheet and answers are in blue below each video. There are some less challenging resources on there too if the children struggle.</li> <li>• <b>Alternative</b> – If you have any problems with your internet connection during the week the children could practise telling the time, weighing ingredients or role play using money in a shop.</li> </ul>
<b>Curriculum Task</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>VE day</b> - This week we will move away from our topic. On Friday was VE day. We'd like you explore the meaning of this special day. You could present it as a piece of art, poster, diary entry, quiz or even a video news report. What is special about this day? What did you do on Friday to mark this day? Why? Why should we remember?</li> </ul>

Remember to do what you can. Take care and see you soon.

Mr Brewster and Miss Wood