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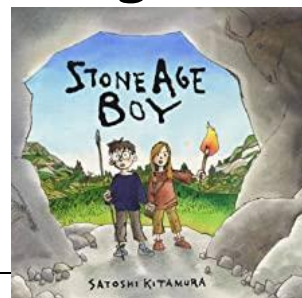
Team 3 Spring 1 Home Learning

This half term, our learning theme is: **What's below the surface?**

The text we will be using to support this learning is:

Stone Age Boy by Satoshi Kitamura

You can support your child's learning at home in the following areas:



Maths

This half term we will be learning about:



- Focusing on rapid recall of our multiplication and division facts and understanding their relationship with each other.
- Learning the 3, 4 and 8 times tables and their corresponding division facts.
- Multiplying a 2 digit number by 1 digit.
- Dividing a 2 digit number by 1 digit.
- Solving word problems using multiplication and division.
- Learning what mass and volume is
- Money

Times Tables

This half term we will be learning the following times tables-

2,3,4,5,8 and 10

We will be having a strong focus on the related division facts this half-term.

For example:

$$2 \times 3 = 6$$

$$3 \times 2 = 6$$

$$6 \text{ divided by } 2 = 3$$

$$6 \text{ divided by } 3 = 2$$

It will support your child's Maths to use TTRockstars at least 3

times a week. They can also practise using



<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button>

They will have a times tables test every

week to monitor and support their progress.

These are marked and returned home.

Spelling

We will be learning the following common exception words this half term:

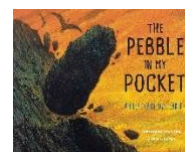
strange, February, different, notice, remember, peculiar, build, continue, believe, possible, history, women, interest



Recommended to read together for this topic:

The Pebble in my pocket

By Meredith Hooper



Stig of the Dump

by Clive King



Children are encouraged to **read for 10 minutes, 5 times a week at home** and to **record this in their reading record at least once per week.**

Reading

Our spotlight author this half term is:

Anne Fine



Download the BorrowBox app to download and read books free from the library.

<https://apps.apple.com/app/borrowbox-library/id562843562>

The link below explains how to register for this app

<https://www.cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk/residents/libraries/audio-downloads-eBooks-and-eMagazines.aspx>

We will also be reading 'The Iron Man' by Ted Hughes as a class novel.

If you would like to enrich learning further, here are some suggested practical activities:

- Create your own natural art using the materials that they would have had available in the Stone Age!
- Test out your knowledge of rocks- what types of rocks can you find in your house or garden? What have they been used for and why?
- Take a climb up Helsby Hill-can you see why they would have chosen it for a Hill fort in the Iron Age?

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