



Year 3

This week's learning at School and Home

Monday 6th October – Friday 10th October 2025



English

Topic: The First Drawing

Lesson 1: To make connections and comparisons with the text.

Lesson 2: To select and sequence key events in a narrative.

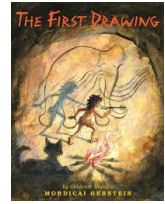
Lesson 3: To apply my knowledge of descriptive devices in my planning.

Lesson 4: To use descriptive devices in my narrative.

Lesson 5: To evaluate the descriptive devices used to engage my reader.

Useful Links: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zrq4qyc>

Key Vocabulary: inference, fronted adverbials, adjectives, expanded noun phrases.



Maths

Topic: Number and Place Value

Lesson 1: To spot the pattern.

Lesson 2: To add 1s across a 10.

Lesson 3: To add 10s across a 100.

Lesson 4: To subtract 1s across a 10.

Lesson 5: To subtract 10s across a 100.

Useful Link: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zy2mn39>

Key Vocabulary: digit, ones, tens, hundreds, thousands.



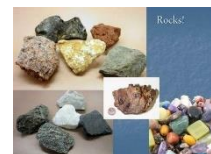
Science

Topic: Rocks

Lesson: To explain in simple terms how fossils are made.

Useful Link: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zt3ntrd>

Key Vocabulary: fossil, remains, observe, rock.



History

Topic: The Stone Age



Lesson: To provide valid reasons for the existence of monuments.

Useful Link: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zqd496f>

Key Vocabulary: Palaeolithic, Neolithic, Mesolithic, archaeology, monuments, artefacts, Stone Age,

PSHE

Topic: Me and my Relationships



Lesson: To express opinions and respect those of others.

Useful Link: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/school-radio/articles/zp8yhcv>

Key Vocabulary: opinions, discuss, respect, differences.

General Reminders

- PE indoor takes place every Monday. Pupils arrive in their PE kit on this day.
- PE outdoor takes place every Wednesday. Pupils arrive in their PE kit on this day.
- Please can each child bring in an old t-shirt or apron that can be used for Art this term. This will stay in their locker for the duration of this term.
- Homework will be starting soon, and logins and password will be shared soon.



Celebration Names



- **Elm Class:** **Jasmine**, for showing all of our Pickhurst values!
- **Cherry Class:** **Dylan H** for putting lots of effort into his listening and learning.
- **Cedar Class:** **Delilah** for her resilient attitude in her learning.
- **Maple Class:** **Lark**, for her great classroom engagement with classroom discussions.

Spellings to be
learnt at home.

Spellings to be
learnt at school.

Wk 2 tested on 26.09.2025	Wk 3 tested on 3.10.2025	Wk 4 tested on 10.10.2025	Wk 5 tested on 17.10.2025	Wk 6 tested on 3.11.2025
Common words from Key stage 1 and setting non- negotiables	Year 3 /4 Statutory Words	Revision of suffixes	Adding suffixes beginning with vowel letters to words of more than one syllable	The /x/ sound spelt y
Monday	accident(ally)	flies	forgetting	crystal
Tuesday	answer	copy	beginning	gym
Wednesday	believe	copier	preferred	hymn
Thursday	breathe	happiest	limiting	mystery
Friday	business	nicest	footballer	myth
Sunday	actual(ly)	tries	forgotten	pyramid
January	appear	copying	beginner	symbol
February	bicycle	happy	gardening	syrup
March	build	nice	limited	typical
April	calendar	pat	writer	Egypt
June	address	replies	writing	bicycle
July	arrive	copied	reading	cymbals
August	breath	happier	reader	cylinder
September	busy	nicer	cleaning	gymnast
October	caught	patted	cleaner	gymnastics
Saturday	centre	patting	prefer	oxygen
May	century	walked	gardener	crypt
November	certain	kinder	limitation	lyrics
December	circle	walk	begin	lynx
month	complete	kind	forget	syrup

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