

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

Week commencing: 6th April 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 | Read every day, enjoy the peace and quiet of disappearing into a story! May we recommend The lion, the witch and the wardrobe? It may take the whole Easter holidays and beyond, try not to watch the film before you finish the book though, then you can compare the two and see which you preferred! If you do read it, then watch the film and let us know what you thought; which was better and why?  <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.  How are you getting on with your diary during your time away from school? Remember you can use a dictionary or thesaurus (if you have them) to help with spellings and word choices. Most importantly, enjoy it!  Have a go at some grammar and poetry this week! Have a listen to Michael Rosen’s poems (link on document). Spellings to practice will also be on the poetry PDF. We have practiced all of the Year 3 spellings and will keep practicing them! |
| Maths | Please see Mathletics to see which work you should be doing – a bit of revision during the ‘holiday’ to keep your Maths mind ticking over!  We have put some worksheets on the website.  Don’t forget times table rocks stars too.  <https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/year-3/> this site has daily learning activities for you to do that we would have been looking at together in class. This is going to help move your learning on! |
| Science, History or Geography | Science – I’ve seen some of you have been planting seeds whilst you’re not at school. We’d love to see how they’re getting on and if they’ve germinated!  Geography – Without doing any research, as we’ll be looking at these after the ‘holiday’. What can you tell us about ‘megacities?’ Create a mind map/poster letting us know anything, think about the word ‘megacity’. |
| Physical Education | Joe Wicks (the body coach) is doing daily PE lessons (Mon-Fri) on YouTube at 9am (I’ve been doing this with my children, it’s good fun, exhausting but good fun!) 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. |
| Arty crafty ideas | If you could have any sandwich you desired what would it be? Can you design a delicious sandwich? Think about which type of bread you’d choose… brown, white, brioche, bagel, roll? What would you put in it? Can you make a healthy version? What would you put in it tom make it healthy? If possible ( I know this may be very tricky at the moment!) can you make it, take photos of it and send it to us on the home learning email? If not, could you draw a picture and label it?  We look forward to seeing your delicious healthy ideas. |
| Easter activity ideas | You could…   * <https://cafod.org.uk/Education/Primary-teaching-resources/Home-learning-primary> have a look here as there a some more lovely ideas of things to do to celebrate Easter. * have an egg and spoon race (hard boil them first!). * Paint an egg, create an egg character (hard boil them first!). * Have a treasure hunt, can you find five different types of leaves, a stone or rock, a spotty pebble or stone, something red, something brown, a stick. * Create an Easter garden in a lid or small pot. * Make rabbits and bunnies using thumbprints. * Decorate an Easter tree. |

We really are thinking about you all every day and keep you in our prayers at this time.

We can assure you we miss you all very much, those smiling little faces that bring light to our days!

Please keep sending in your photos, we are loving seeing them and responding to them.

With very best wishes, the year 3 team.