

# Class 3 WFH Curriculum Update 22nd June

Welcome to another WFH update. It was great to hear how some of you have been doing and getting on with working from home and how you are keeping motivated. If I haven't spoke to you yet then I will next week. If your child is around and they want to say hello then I would love to hear from them. Thanks to those that have sent their work in, especially for the virtual science fair. It is great to see what you have been up to. The virtual science fair is still open so please keep experimenting and sending your videos on so I can pass onto Mr Ford. I hope that you keep doing bits and pieces each week to keep your learning going. Learning is not just at school. It might not be the same as school but WFH is important, especially linked to reading, writing and maths skills. Are you reading any stories? Or have you been listening to more audiobooks?

## As a global citizen

## Values for June: Diversity and Respect

Thanks to those who shared their poems about respect, they were great to see. This week is School Diversity Week 2020, with the theme 'Just Like Us'. **As a global citizen** below are some activities for you to try.

### Identity Flag

The rainbow flag has been a symbol for LGBT+ people for almost 50 years. LGBT+ people use the flag at Pride parades to proudly show their identity.

### Message of Support

During lockdown, young people all across the country have been putting messages of support in their windows to make others feel positive.

Create a message to stick in your window. It could encourage people to **be kind**. It could be a message to **cheer people up if they're feeling low**. Perhaps you could mention how it's important we all **work together and support each other despite our differences**.

Be sure to write **#SDW20** on it and send your messages to Just Like Us too.



What is identity?

Your identity is made up of all the things that make you who you are, and make you unique! It might include where you're from, the school you go to, your religion, the things you like doing, as well as many other things.

### Create your own identity flag

What would a flag that shows your identity look like? Try creating one yourself on a sheet of A4 paper. Make sure it's bright and colourful.

**Mental health and well-being** – You may be worried about your child's mental health at this strange time. This website provides some great links including links to some Newsround articles that might help with routine, working from home etc <https://www.place2be.org.uk/about-us/news-and-blogs/2020/march/coronavirus-information-for-children/>

## As a mathematician

The focus for the White Rose maths this week is linked to angles and different types of mathematical lines.

<https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/year-3/>

Do the best you can. We are lucky to have such an easy resource for you to use at home with a video that makes it easy to follow. Keep trying your best!

## White Rose Maths Summer Term

22<sup>nd</sup> June - 26<sup>th</sup> June

**Lesson 1** – Right angles in shape

**Lesson 2** – Compare angles

**Lesson 3** – Horizontal and vertical

**Lesson 4** – Parallel and perpendicular lines

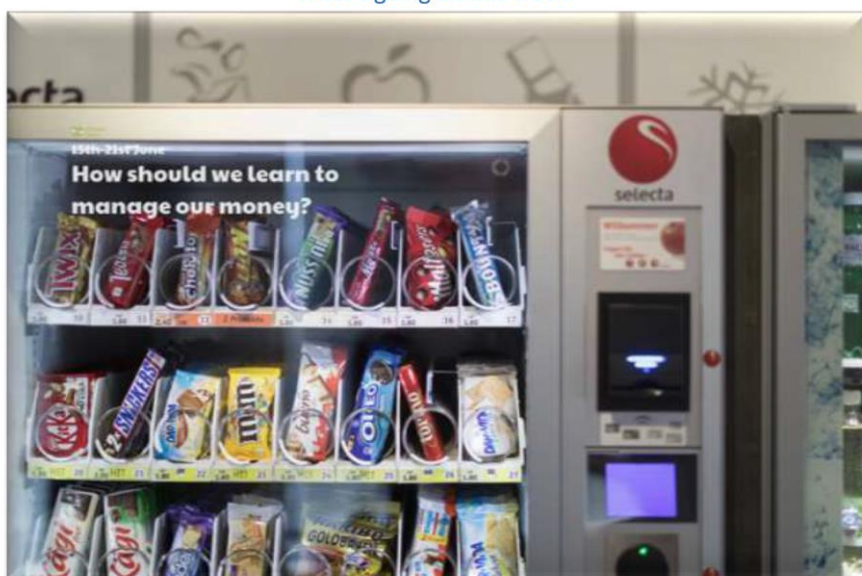
**Lesson 5** – Challenge day.

## Education City/TT Rockstars/Spelling Shed

**Education City** – Activities are linked to help you with this weeks' offline work. **TT Rockstars** – How did you get on with your 7 times table? Need more practice? When writing this we were losing yet another battle to Year 4. We must need more practice. **Spelling Shed** – This weeks' spellings on Spelling Shed include **some different year 3/4 common exception words (accidentally, breathe, century, consider, eight, guard, heard, peculiar, possible, quarter)** and revision of spellings rules in Year 3 list 1 (**pleasure, island, dislocate, disadvantage, decide, survey, exactly, bravely, ordinary, promise**) . Why not play battleships with a family member with one of these lists? I have put the grid on the WFH page if you want to play.

## Picture News

What's going on this week?



A mother from Northumberland recently spent £100 on a second-hand vending machine to provide an opportunity for her children to learn about money after tiring of them arguing over snacks and other items during lockdown. Mother of four, Sarah Balsdon, was getting so fed up with her children's constant arguments she and her husband, Kyle, came up with the idea to provide them in a limited and controlled way, whilst helping the children learn how to manage money.

Things to think about and discuss

- Have you received pocket money at home before, or do you now?
- Do you think it is a good idea to get pocket money? Why?

To try - **As a geographer**. We use pounds sterling in the UK. Can you find the currencies of these following countries? France, USA, China, Uganda and Australia. Locate each country on a world map. Which continent is each part of?

## As an athlete Stride Active Challenge is Balls Skills

This weeks' challenge is an aiming challenge. Standing 3 metres away, throw/roll a ball into a marked area. Start on one leg and when you score switch to the other leg, then one arm behind your back, then swap to the other arm.

## As a scientist we will continue to look at animals including humans

How did you get on finding out about the main bones in the body? Can you believe there are 206 in the human body?

This weeks' questions to research

Why do animals have a skeleton? What would happen if we did not have a skeleton?

You can use the internet to find out or you may even be lucky enough to have some books or an encyclopaedia.

To try: **Common bone names word grid**

On the WFH page is a common word grid of the bone name. But can you work out which they are commonly known as?

See if you can find out and present your findings in some way. It could be a drawing with labels? Or even make a matching cards game.

## As a reader

### Reading Comprehension

Our comprehension this week is linked to garden birds. It has been very interesting seeing how much closer birds are getting compared to a few months ago. The comprehension is on the WFH page. There are three levels to choose from with answers.

### 60 seconds read - Lord Ganesh

Who is Lord Ganesh? Which religion is he important to? Find out answering just four questions from 100 words.

## As a musician

Did you try any of the week 8 musical ideas that Mr Batstone sent out from the Encore Enterprise Music Service? Last week, it was a great one linked to music and art. When we listen to music we often find ourselves with a picture in our head of what the music is representing or what story it is telling. The challenge is great either **as an artist** create a piece of art inspired by music or **as a musician** create a piece of music linked to art. Be creative, have fun and enjoy the challenge.

## As an artist

Did you have a go at any of Mrs Delahoy's activities last week. Doing the bug with your name is amazing. I tried it and couldn't believe how it looked. If you have had a go send them in. It will be great to see. Remember if you have access to social media follow Mrs Delahoy for even more ideas that she adds too. [https://twitter.com/Del\\_ART\\_ful?s=09](https://twitter.com/Del_ART_ful?s=09) or <https://www.facebook.com/ArtClubwithMrsDelahoy/>

This week why not try the symmetrical observational drawing? I'm certainly going to have a go in my art journal this week.

## As a writer

Lesson 1 - Short burst challenge. See Mr Batstone's update for ideas or write a short newspaper report about why the man is wearing PPE for feeding llamas!

Lesson 2 - Bubbles can be really fun and amazing things. You are an author, in fact a poet and will write a poem to show to other children in and out of school that bubbles are not bad things. You will not believe some of the bubbles in this video from a bubble artist. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QseWXpka6TY> While watching, make a note of as many words linked to bubbles as you can. Can you think of any more words especially verbs (actions)? e.g. floating, bursting etc

Lesson 3 - Now you have your words build them into verses. Even think about adding some adverbs too. Experiment with the lines. It doesn't have to rhyme. It could be an acrostic poem. Just remember to entertain the reader e.g. Bubbles floating gracefully or even longer Bubbles floating gracefully through the beautiful sky.

Lesson 4 - Handwriting practise. It is important to keep practising joining and writing neatly. You will find some more practice on the WFH page.

Lesson 5 - Reading comprehension on Garden Birds.

## Theme - Battlefields

**As a historian**, order the key events of WW2 on a timeline. In history, it is important to understand historical events using date on a timeline. There are some key events from WW2 on the WFH page. Your challenge is to cut them and order them. If you are lucky enough to have A3 paper it will stick on there. If you do not, as you can order them on a table and take a photo to record it.