**Year 3 – week beginning 23rd March**

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| **Reading** | * Read for at least twenty minutes each day.
* Choose an activity each day from the reading rainbow activities.
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| **Handwriting** | * Choose an extract from the book you have read each day (this may be a sentence or a longer paragraph). Copy the extract out in your neatest handwriting making sure to spell the words you are copying correctly.
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| **Writing** | By the end of this week you will have a created your own published final copy of your own boat journey story. Use the following steps to help you:* Thinking about the “little boat” animation we looked at in the last few weeks, decide on your own boat that could go on a journey. Draw your own boat design and label it with key features and description.
* Begin to plan out the journey that your boat will take along a river or across an ocean. Create a comic strip/ story board for the journey thinking carefully about where it will pass through (Cities? Jungles? Forests? Or your own made up locations?). Add as much detail as you can to your drawings to help your description later – what time of day is it at each location? What is the weather like? Are there any animals or people? How will the boat change along the journey? Make some short notes with key words for each scene.
* Start to write your own story in full sentences. Try to use some of the amazing fronted adverbials and sentence starters that you practised at school! Challenge yourself with your description of the boat, the weather, the water, and the surroundings; try and pick the best words and add extra detail to your sentences. Don’t forget your punctuation!
* Edit and improve your story. Can you spot any spelling mistakes or missing punctuation? Can you up-level your word choices or extend any sentences with different conjunctions? Make it as engaging as you can to make the reader want to read more and more!
* Make a neat, final copy of your finished story. Share it with someone at home and ask them to give you some feedback. What have you done well? What could you do to make it even better?
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| **Maths** | * Follow this link to the White Rose Home Learning page <https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/year-3/> . This week, complete lessons 1 & 2. For each lesson, you can watch the video before completing the worksheets. If you can’t print the worksheet, you could draw out the questions into your book/ onto paper, or just write the answers if you want to. Use the answer sheet on the White Rose Home Learning website to mark your answers and correct any questions where you may have made an error.
* Log on to TTRS. See how many coins you can earn and try to buy a new item (a guitar/ hat/ background/ etc.) and challenge one of the teachers!
* Complete two purple mash tasks.
* Explore some maths games on the nrich website at <https://nrich.maths.org/9413>
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| **Curriculum Task** | This week we will look at a Geography topic. We have been learning about rivers at school and would like you to research and find out more about one of the world’s great rivers. Pick from the Nile, the Amazon, or the Mississippi and present your research in your own way. This could be a poster, leaflet, booklet, or a creative way of your own!You can use these links to start your research off: <http://www.sciencekids.co.nz/sciencefacts/earth/rivers.html><https://www.coolkidfacts.com/famous-rivers/> |