



# EMERALD CLASS - Year 3 Homework

## Autumn 1 – Fossil Hunters



Children should complete the weekly Maths and English tasks every week to maintain their core skills. In addition, children can choose one activity from our BIG IDEAS each week. It doesn't matter which order children complete the tasks, but by the end of half term aim to have ALL activities completed! If children need some resources to complete the tasks please ask the class teacher. Each week we will share and celebrate the children's work on THURSDAYS.

<p><b>WEEKLY ENGLISH HOMEWORK:</b> At least 10 mins daily reading practice – AIM HIGH for 15 mins a day! Spelling practice – look, cover check and write these words in sentences. Spelling shed activities. A new set of spellings will be sent home weekly.</p>	<p><b>WEEKLY MATHS HOMEWORK:</b> Times tables practice – games, songs, oral reciting, TT Rockstars etc. can be used to support this at home.</p>
<p><b>Language:</b> Create a glossary for key words that you have learnt about Stone Age Britain. Don't forget to put the words in alphabetical order. Here are some words to get you started: Prehistoric, hunter gatherer, Neolithic, weapons, throwing stones, spears, cave paintings, hand axe, hammer stone, borer.</p>	<p><b>Britain:</b> Research prehistoric sites that can be found today in Britain, for example; Stonehenge and Skara Brae. Make a fact page about what you find out. <b>Challenge:</b> Can you make a model of one of this sites using materials of your choice?</p>
<p><b>People:</b> Who was Mary Anning? What did she discover? Research who Mary Anning was and why she is a famous palaeontologist. Create a poster or fact page to show what you have found out. <b>Challenge:</b> create or look for your own fossils of prehistoric animals.</p>	<p><b>Faith:</b> This half term we celebrate harvest time. Here are some activities linked to harvest: - Find out about harvest time and why people celebrate it. – Write a list or create a poem about the things you are thankful for. – Write a harvest prayer. You can choose one thing from the list or your own idea linked to harvest.</p>
<p><b>Migration:</b> During the late Stone Age period we know there was a massive wave migration of early humans. Think about the reasons why people might migrate to a new place. Write a list in your homework book or make a fact page explaining the reasons why people might migrate.</p>	<p><b>Creativity:</b> Cave paintings are the world's oldest type of art which reflects early communication and they have some spiritual significance. Create your own version of a cave painting which reflects your beliefs/values.</p>