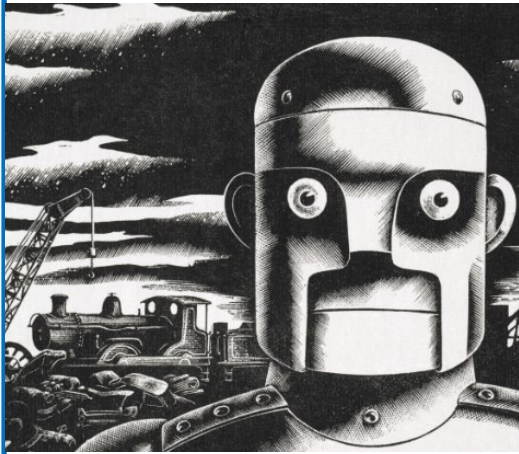


## English

- Our class book is 'The Iron Man' by Ted Hughes. To link with this we will be looking at different types of story openings and will write our own.
- We will continue to practise our writing skills including prepositions and adverbial phrases.
- To apply our skills we will write explanation texts to explain how a machine works.



## Mighty Metals Summer 2 Year 3

## PE

- We will focus on the skills of agility, balance and coordination by taking part in a variety of Athletics events. This will culminate in our Sports Day (date TBC).

## PSHE

- Through discussion we will be learning about health and wellbeing. This will include: balanced diets, exercise and looking after our bodies as we grow.

## Art

- Using foil embossing we will make portraits of the Iron Man.
- We will be using metals to make wearable items.

## RE

- Our RE this half term will focus on the concept of protection and looking after each other.
- We will learn about the Hindu Festival of Raksha Bandhan.

## French

- We will be learning the names of fruits and vegetables in French and how to put these into simple sentences and statements.

## Maths

- In maths, we learn how to scale numbers up by 10 to work out an answer.
- We will continue to practise written addition and subtraction methods.
- Understanding the links between multiplication and division will be a key focus and we will continue to learn the 2, 4, 5, 8 and 10 times tables.

## Science

- As part of our Mighty Metals learning, we will be studying forces, magnetism and how the Earth acts as a magnet.
- We will discover how forces work on objects and how they move on different surfaces.

## Computing

- This half term we will be focussing on 3D design.
- We will use the Digipuzzle website to design and create 3D

How you can help...

Check out the ideas on the reverse of this letter!

## HOMEWORK

This includes:

- Reading daily and completing the Reading Record (or Digital Reading Record) to win prizes.
- Practice Times Tables (Times Tables Rockstars)
- Practice spellings regularly
- Project work
  - Choose at least one of these projects. Hand them in when you choose within the Half Term. Children can share these in class.
    1. Design and make a parachute for a small toy—think about which material will work best—remember you want the toy to fall slowly.
    2. Create a poster of table to show objects in your home that are magnetic or not magnetic.
    3. Create an artwork of your choice that celebrates 'The Iron Man' by Ted Hughes.
    4. Draw and label your own robot. Describe how each part works and what the robot can do.
    5. Create an animation or game in Scratch that is about a robot.

## YEAR GROUP SPELLING LIST

These are the next words from the year 3 and 4 Spelling List. Please take some time to practise these at home.

*actually*

*history*

*extreme*

*imagine*

*February*

*increase*

*certain*

*interest*

*height*

*important*