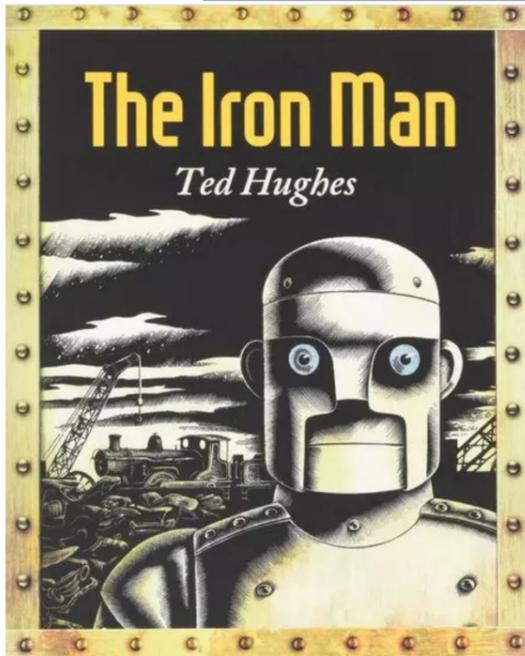


# Year 3 – Autumn 2 Learning Journey



## Reading

This term we are going to be reading 'The Iron Man,' by Ted Hughes. He has created this fantastic science fiction novel about the unexpected arrival of a giant "metal man", who causes trouble for farmers but eventually helps save the world. Each week, we will be focusing on a different reading strategy to develop our reading skills. Some of the reading strategies we will be focusing on are:

- Prediction
- Clarifying
- Questioning
- Summarising
- Inference
- Making
- Evaluating



## Maths



Week 1 – We will be placing 3 – digit numbers accurately on a number line.

Week 2 – We will be focussing on comparing numbers between 0-1000.

Week 3 – We will be focussing on using known addition and subtraction facts to solve problems.

Week 4 – We will be focussing on finding 10 more or 10 less than a 3-digit number.

Week 5 – Pupils will be counting in multiples of 2, 20, 5, 50 and 25.

Week 6 – We will be focussing on units of measure ml and kg.

Week 7 – We will be focussing on estimating numbers on a number line.

## Writing

In English, pupils will use the 'Write Stuff' approach, to build texts by carefully creating a series of sentences, using different 'lenses'. So our focus this term will be basics, punctuation and sentence structure.



In writing, as part of our fiction unit, we will be writing an adventure story based on the character of The Iron Man. Using the plot points of our story, we will continue to develop our writing skills by focusing on different writing techniques during our sentence stacking lessons. We will then complete a final independent piece of writing.

For our non-fiction unit we will be writing a persuasive advert. This will be based from 'The Iron Man' text and children will be advertising their own farm machine.

## PE

In PE, we will be focusing on dance, exploring a range of dance styles. Pupils will be working on their team working skills to perform a piece of dance.

## Science



In science, we will be focusing on our forces and magnets topic. We will be checking our understanding of key vocabulary and recapping our understanding of fair testing and carrying out scientific investigations.

## Art & Design Technology



Our focus is prehistoric art. We will be experimenting with how stone age people mixed their paints. We will also be creating our own textures to paint over, to replicate a cave wall.

## Geography/History



This term we will be learning about changes from the stone age to the iron age. We will be identifying key facts from each time period and will study how life changed for early people in the UK during this time.

## Computing



For computing this term, we will be incorporating the iPads into our learning across the curriculum.

## Music



In music, the children will be participating in violin lessons. They will be learning how to use a violin and bow to perform simple pieces of music.

## MFL

Throughout this term, we will be learning the colours, how to describe size and shape and will focus on Matisse.

## PSHE



Our focus is 'myself and my relationships'. We will be learning about friendship, bullying and how to deal with problems that friends may come across in a supportive way.

## RE

In RE, the children will be learning about why Christians celebrate Christmas.



## Important Dates

Assessment Week – 21.11.22 - 25.12.22

Christmas holidays – 22.12.22 – 3.1.23