

# LOLO - School Learning

Dear Parents,

Our topic 'Island Life' explores the features of islands. We will learn how they are made, where they are in the world and research facts about climate etc. We will study current events.

*The Year 3 Team-*

Mary Mother of God: Mrs Leach and Mrs Blainey

St. Joseph's: Mrs Watts

## Year 3 Autumn 'Island Life'



### Maths: Y2 revision

- place value
- addition and subtraction
- multiplication and division

### Computing

- e -safety
- using the Internet safely, to do research e.g. [Kidrex](#), [Wacky Safe](#) and [Kiddle](#)
- programming

### Come and See

- homes
- promises
- visitors

### PSHE/SRE

- families and Friendships
- safe Relationships
- respecting ourselves and others

### English

- revision of sounds
- volcano poems
- reading comprehension
- island facts
- labelling maps
- spellings, punctuation and grammar (see weekly homework)

### DT/Art/Music

- island art - using a range of media
- design and make a healthy, tropical fruit mocktail
- design and make a volcano
- music and wellbeing
- rhythm and pulse
- reading music

### PE

- daily mile
- health related fitness

### French

- Language Angels Topic: "I am learning French"

### Geography and History

- studying climate
- human and physical features
- map work
- using atlases
- personal research of an island of choice
- water cycle
- volcanoes

### Science

- plants

# LOLOL - Information for Home

## PE Kit

Our amended temporary uniform policy means that children are able to do PE and the daily mile without needing to change.

Please see the [letter](#) on the front page of the website for more information. Our PE days are Wednesdays and Thursdays.

## Reading

Please read daily with your child. We will be sending books home from school which will be quarantined for 72 hours after returning to school.

## Recommended Reads:

‘The Hodgeheg’ by Dick King-Smith (Puffin)

‘Cat Tales: Ice Cat’ by Linda Newberry (Usborne)

‘The Sheep-pig’ by Dick King-Smith (Puffin)

‘The Abominables’ by Dick King-Smith (Puffin)

The ‘Flat Stanley’ collection by Jeff Brown (HarperCollins)

## Home Learning

The most important homework you can do with your child is hear them read! Children also receive daily maths homework and weekly English which will include spelling, punctuation and grammar (SPAG).

## Learning you could try at home

**English:** Read, read read! Read to an adult and also listen to an adult read to you. Talk about the books. Read a range of literature (poetry, fiction, non-fiction etc.)

**Topic:** Pick an island that inspires you. Find out lots of facts about it (use a safe search engine like [Kiddle](#)). You will be asked to present what you have learnt to the class or a small group.

**Maths:** Practise key maths skills by playing games such as [Hit the Button](#), [Numbots](#), [Daily 10](#), [Timestable Rockstars](#). Practise your tables and number bonds daily.

**French:** Login to [Language Angels](#). The username is lolss9 and the password is the same. Practise the games linked to our topics each term.



## Year 3 Autumn 1 'Island Life'

### Diary Dates

#### September

16th - Island Life Entry Point Day

#### October

5th Non Pupil Day

6th Individual & Sibling Photos

21st Inter House Cross Country

23rd Pupil Target Report

26th-30th Half Term Holidays