

# Spring Year 3



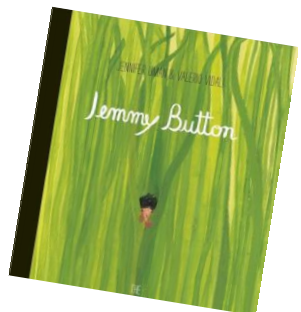
**SACRED HEART**  
CATHOLIC PRIMARY  
SCHOOL & NURSERY

## English

We will be reading the Rhythm of the Rain text and will be writing about a setting narrative by immersing ourselves in descriptive language and imagery.

We will then move onto reading Jemmy Button to inspire us to write a recount about an event and being able to sequence it coherently.

**We are reading...**



purple  
mash

## Computing

We will be learning about coding and how to create a set of instructions to create an algorithm.

We will also learn how to use spreadsheets to collect data.

## Maths

We are learning about:  
Fractions  
Decimals  
Money  
Shape

We will continue focusing on number by applying it to problem solving.

## Science

This term in Science, we are going to be deepening our knowledge of plants and explain the functions of different parts of the plant and how water is transported through their systems.

We will then move onto investigating how to our skeletons and muscles keep us functioning and how we can help to keep our bones and bodies healthy with good nutrition.

## R.E.

We are going to learn about and answer questions on:  
Journeys – Is life a journey?

Listening and sharing- What's so important about listening and sharing?

Lent – Giving All- What makes some people give everything for other people?



## History

### Why did the Romans settle in Britain?

This term, we will extend our knowledge of events that happened BC and AD. We will investigate why the Romans invaded Britain.

We will explore how the Romans have changed the way people lived their lives and we will examine how evidence is used to reconstruct historical lives. We will compare their lives to ours in the present day.

## Art & DT

In Art this term, we will be focusing on drawing techniques and how tone can create intricate details whilst using hatching and cross-hatching skills.

In Design & Technology, we will use Computer Aided Design to devise a shell structure to create a shelter for people.

## Music

This term, we will explore and appraise the different instruments used in a live orchestra and identify the different instruments used in different sections of the orchestra. Including: percussion, strings etc.

We will also be learning how to create a motif using jazz music as a driver.

## PE

In PE, we will be improving our skills in basketball, dance, gymnastics and hockey.

## Geography

### Are all settlements the same?

This term we are exploring different settlements and learning the differences between Urban and Rural areas.

We will identify human and physical features and how they have changed over time by comparing and contrasting the UK to India.

## PSHE

Health and wellbeing: We will explore how life changes can impact us and how we can respond to bullying.

Relationships will explore the dynamics we have with friends, family and others who are important to us.

We will explore how we keep safe online and how we can develop an awareness of health and social care.