

Year 3, Term 2

Dear Parents and Carers,

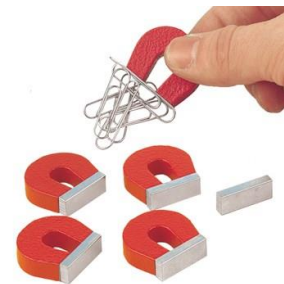
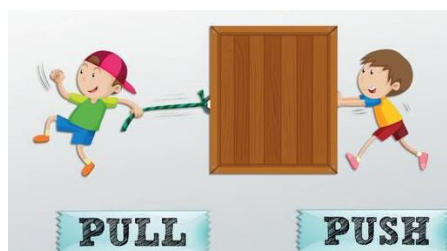
Welcome back! We hope that you all had an enjoyable half-term break and are ready for the new term ahead. We must begin by thanking the children for all their wonderful home learning from last term's topic – we had such an amazing variety of models, raps, posters, pictures and PowerPoints to name just a selection. Your support, time and encouragement with home learning is much appreciated – thank you very much!

This term we are planning our learning themed around the story of 'The Iron Man' by Ted Hughes. We will start by creating a large model of The Iron Man and anticipating with the children who he might be. This book will provide many opportunities to extend and consolidate the children's English and reading skills.

We will be organising a cross-curricular day in school for the children to really get enthused about The Iron Man and immerse themselves in all aspects of the story.

In maths, we will be thinking further about the four operations, including addition, subtracting, multiplication and division.

Our science will see the children examining forces and magnets and carrying out experiments to explore them.



Our thoughts will also turn towards Christmas and this will be reflected in our RE topic, music and art. We will explore some of Christianity's festivals, including Advent and Christmas.

We will soon be sending out the home learning for this term and, as before, if there are any questions, please do not hesitate to speak to one of us.

Thank you once again,

The Year Three Team