

If you see someone without a smile, give them one of yours.

Good Morning Year 3.

I hope you all have had a lovely half term break. What did you get up? I did some more baking and we played in the garden too. We had a water fight...I definitely lost! I also played some football and cricket with George and Harry. Oh and Mr Martin put up a new fence in our garden! I can't wait to hear all about what you got up to.



I would like to start today off with a song. Have a good go and remember to have fun! I know how much you all love singing.



https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HnuxWdesxIO

Next up we have mighty maths! You will need a ruler and your book to write in.



We are going to revisit measurement and today we will be looking at estimating.

Estimate means to find a value that is close enough to the right answer.

Your maths challenge today is to find 5 items that are under 30cm in your house. Estimate their length.

Now measure them with a ruler. How close were you?  $I \ \text{can't wait to hear how you got on.}$ 

Challenge - Can you convert these measurements into mm?

## Our next lesson is English.

I want you to have a good look at the picture below and answer the comprehension questions below. Remember to give evidence for your answer, for example, I think the women in the picture are happy because they are laughing and smiling.



- 1. How do you know the female ladies are relired?
- 2. How do you know the female ladies are very good friends?
  - 3. How do you know the setting in this picture is in Italy?
    - 4. What season do you think this image was taken?
  - 5. Why are the ladies standing up to eat their ice-cream?
    - 6. Have you ever eaten an ice-cream on holiday?

Our final lesson is RE.

# Did you know?

During May half term it is Whitsun week and yesterday it was Pentecost. Pentecost is an important day in the Christian Calendar.

Read the information below and in your books, I would like you to create a fact file about the Pentecost.

Remember these important points.

Where did it happen?

Who was involved?

What happens first?

What happens next?

What happens in the end?

- Pentecost is a Christian celebration fifty days after Good Friday.
- It is said to be the beginning of the Christian Church.

#### **How Pentecost Came About**

After Jesus had risen from the dead, He met with the disciples quite often.

After 40 days, it was time for Jesus to join his Father in Heaven. Before he left, he was on a mountainside, talking to his disciples. He told them that they had the job of telling people all over the world, that God loved them. Jesus said it would be a hard job, but He would send a gift to help them to do it.

Then, Jesus was taken up to Heaven.



### The Gift of the Holy Spirit

One day, the disciples were together when there was a sudden sound of a mighty wind in the room. Then, flames landed on each of their heads, but no one was burned.

The disciples were amazed.

Then, they started talking in different languages! The disciples had been filled with the Holy Spirit. The Holy Spirit was the gift from God!

People nearby heard the disciples talking in different languages.

Peter, the disciple, came to speak to the crowd, and said,



"Fellow Jews and people here in Jerusalem. We have received the Holy Spirit from God. You too can receive the Holy Spirit. You must be baptised. Then, you too can receive this wonderful gift!"

That day, three thousand people were baptised. The disciples started to travel the world, telling people about God's message of love. This was the first day of the Christian Church.

#### Did You Know?

- At Pentecost, the colour red is a symbol of the flames that appeared on the disciples' heads.
- A dove is a sign of the Holy Spirit because when Jesus was baptised, a dove appeared, bringing the Holy Spirit to Jesus.

Remember to complete your daily reading, practise your challenges and get some fresh air outside. Don't forget, you can email me if you need any help.

Have a great day!

Mrs Martin