

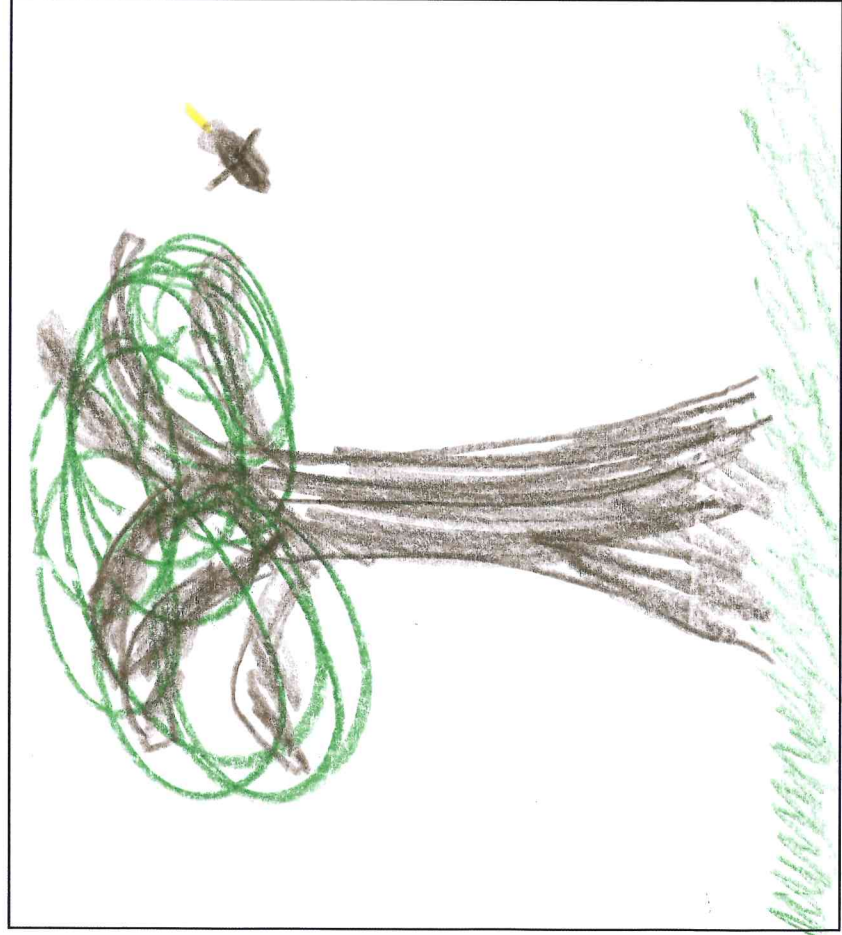
St Joseph's RC Primary School

Class 3 Curriculum Overview

Summer 2018

Term dates:

May Day: Monday 7th May 2018
 Back to school: Tuesday 8th May 2018
 Summer half-term: Friday 25 May 2018
 Return to school: Monday 4 June 2018
 Summer Holidays 2018: Friday 20 July 2018
 Return to School: Wednesday 5th September 2018



During this term our topics are Habitats and Living Things and Inventions.

English:	Children will be introduced to some short story fiction from around the world, based on our topic of habitats and living things. They will be predicting and summarising texts and answering comprehension questions based on the text. The children will be creating a fact file, exploring haikus and cinquains in poetry, and writing a persuasive advertisement linked to our topics.
Maths:	The children will continue to build on their knowledge of addition, subtraction, multiplication and division. They will be working on mental addition and subtraction, times tables, written multiplication and division, measurement and money.
Science:	Habitats. Exploring the school grounds and discussing what living things are found there. Investigating how to classify groups of living things and what all living things need for healthy growth.
History:	Inventions and Inventions – Reading about local inventors, such as George and Robert Stephenson. A detailed look at life in Victorian times and how the invention of the steam train changed travel for the Victorians.
Geography:	Comparing and contrasting countries – linked to the 2018 World Cup.
Art:	Drawing and painting the natural world using a variety of techniques.
D&T:	Designing, building, testing and evaluating a bug catcher.
Computing:	Looking at how to use the world wide web for research. Including finding out how a search engine works, evaluating digital content and making informed decisions about the online material they find. Looking at blogs and websites and discussing internet safety.
RE:	New Life, Building Bridges and God's People.
PE:	Athletics and games.
Music:	Practising a range of skills with the Charanga music programme and singing sessions with Durham Choristers.
Languages:	French with our language assistant Amelie.