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<p><b>Religious Education:</b></p> <p><b>Pentecost:</b> We will be finding out how the Holy Spirit can help us. We will be exploring when the Consecration takes place in the Eucharistic Prayer.</p> <p><b>Sacraments:</b> We will be focussing on the story of the Feeding of the 5000 and looking into the different parts of Mass in preparation for some of the children receiving the sacrament of Holy Communion.</p>	<p>Talk about the children's First Holy Communion, what it means and why we celebrate the sacrament of the Eucharist.</p>	<p><a href="http://www.portsmouthdiocese.org.uk">www.portsmouthdiocese.org.uk</a>  <a href="http://www.bibleforchildren.org">www.bibleforchildren.org</a>  <a href="http://www.stbedesbasingstoke.org.uk">www.stbedesbasingstoke.org.uk</a></p>
<p><b>English</b></p> <p>We will be continuing with our topic of castles and exploring different genres of writing: blogs, non-chronological reports and a variety of fiction texts about castle life. Dialogue and Plays: We will look at different play scripts and write our own scripts that will include speech and stage directions.</p>	<p>Continue to learn your weekly spellings.</p> <p>Visit the library to research into topics of interest.</p> <p>You could visit the local theatre and watch a production.</p>	<p><a href="http://www.woodlands-junior.kent.sch.uk">www.woodlands-junior.kent.sch.uk</a>  <a href="http://ictgames.com/literacy.html">http://ictgames.com/literacy.html</a></p>
<p><b>Mathematics</b></p> <p><b>Measurement:</b> we will continue to look at converting units of measurements, measurement word problems and measuring objects. We will be focusing on using our reasoning skills.</p> <p><b>Shape/Geometry:</b> we will be looking at the differences in the properties of 2D and 3D shapes, getting better at using the key vocabulary for the topic and using this vocabulary to reason.</p> <p><b>Consolidation:</b> At the end of the term, we will consolidate the knowledge and different skills that have been taught throughout the year within the different strands of maths.</p>	<p>Continue to learn your tables and complete Times Tables Rock Stars practise, as often as possible.</p> <p>Explore the range of games on the MyMaths website using your login.</p> <p>Practise measuring objects using measuring jugs, rulers and weighing scales.</p> <p>Discuss different 2D and 3D shapes.</p>	<p><a href="http://www.bbc.co.uk/skillswise/game/ma22leng-game-build-a-shed">http://www.bbc.co.uk/skillswise/game/ma22leng-game-build-a-shed</a></p>
<p><b>Science</b></p> <p><b>Living things and their habitats</b> - we will be exploring how environmental change affects a range of habitats and how different organisms are affected in various ways by environmental change. We will investigate how humans have a significant effect on the environment and create a campaign to help reduce plastic waste.</p>	<p>Research different habitats and look out for articles in newspapers, and on the news, about environmental change.</p> <p>Discuss how you can reduce your plastic waste at home and help to save the planet!</p>	<p><a href="https://www.bbc.com/bitesize/topics/zbnbn9q">https://www.bbc.com/bitesize/topics/zbnbn9q</a>  <a href="https://www.edenproject.com/learn/for-everyone/rainforests-and-climate?gclid=EAIaIQobChMI75u8-qzr4QIVFIjVChOUVwu2EAAYAiAAEgKvrfD_BwE">https://www.edenproject.com/learn/for-everyone/rainforests-and-climate?gclid=EAIaIQobChMI75u8-qzr4QIVFIjVChOUVwu2EAAYAiAAEgKvrfD_BwE</a></p>
<p><b>Computing - Power Point</b> - we will be learning how to use the different features of Power Point and creating a presentation based on our most memorable times in year 3.</p>	<p>Create a Power Point at home together about a subject that interests your child.</p>	<p><a href="http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/typing/">http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/typing/</a></p>

<p><b>P.E.</b>  <b>Athletics:</b> In preparation for Sports Day, we will be looking into the different styles of running and racing. We will be improving our skills of throwing with the javelin, shot put and discus.</p> <p><b>Striking and fielding games:</b> We will play various ball games, including rounders and cricket. Our focus will be ball skills, fielding skills and batting skills.</p>	<p>Practise catching and throwing at home.</p>	<p><a href="http://www.roundersengland.co.uk/">http://www.roundersengland.co.uk/</a>  <a href="http://www.ecb.co.uk/">http://www.ecb.co.uk/</a></p>
<p><b>Creative Curriculum</b>  <b>Castles: towers, tunnels and turrets!</b> We continue with our Castles topic with our visit to Windsor Castle. We will create our own castles and look at different styles of dancing, music and art in the medieval period.</p>	<p>Try and visit a castle.</p> <p>Read a variety of books, fiction and non-fiction, about castles.</p>	<p><a href="http://www.primaryhomeworkhelp.co.uk/castles/index.html">http://www.primaryhomeworkhelp.co.uk/castles/index.html</a>  <a href="https://www.english-heritage.org.uk/visit/familydaysout/top-10-castles/">https://www.english-heritage.org.uk/visit/familydaysout/top-10-castles/</a></p>
<p><b>MFL</b>  Continuing from Summer 1, we will further our ability to introduce ourselves and express ourselves in French. We will focus on specific vocabulary including colours, animals, feelings and time.</p>	<p>Encourage your child to practise what they have learnt in school.</p>	<p><a href="https://www.bbc.com/bitesize/subjects/z39d7ty">https://www.bbc.com/bitesize/subjects/z39d7ty</a></p>
<p><b>P.S.H.E.</b>  <b>In Someone Else's Shoes:</b> We will be looking at our own feelings and those of others. We will be exploring how we don't all have the same opinions and will be talking about the importance of valuing the views of others. We will be looking at how society is made up of different groups of people and how we should value diversity.</p> <p><b>Changes:</b> We will be looking at changes that occur in our lives and how they make us feel. We will consider how we can best cope with changes in preparation for moving to Year 4.</p>	<p>Talk to your child about their opinion of a topic. Do you hold the same view? Discuss why you may have differing opinions.</p> <p>Talk about changes that have happened in your life. How did they make you feel? How did you cope with them?</p>	<p><a href="http://www.citizenshipfoundation.org">www.citizenshipfoundation.org</a>  <a href="http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/websites/4_11/site/pshe.shtml">http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/websites/4_11/site/pshe.shtml</a></p>
<p><b>Music</b>  <b>Medieval music</b> - We will be using the musical instruments to create our own simple medieval music as part of our castles topic.</p>	<p>Listen to a wide genre of music including classical music and music from the medieval ages.</p>	<p><a href="https://www.bbc.com/bitesize/subjects/zwxhfg8">https://www.bbc.com/bitesize/subjects/zwxhfg8</a></p>

