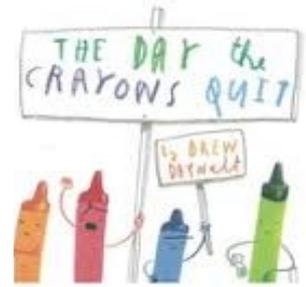


# YEAR 3

What a fantastic last half term it has been in Year 3!

## English

This half term we have been learning about informal letters. The children read the story 'The Day the Crayons Quit' and then wrote letters with a twist as stationery from the school, who have decided to quit. The children have been persuading the teacher to keep them and treat them better.



We have had an amazing summer term so far!

## Maths

In Maths this half term, the children worked hard to find the duration of time showing this on timelines. They also worked hard to solve word problems applying their knowledge of converting minutes into hours and vice versa. We have also looked at angles and compared them to see if they were right angles or greater or less than a right angle. The children enjoyed comparing them by using their own angle detectors. They then linked this unit to turns of direction. Furthermore, we moved on to identifying perpendicular and parallel lines, as well as area and perimeter of shapes. The children enjoyed creating their own shapes to identify the area and

## Science

In Science, the children have had the opportunity to decide what they would like to investigate. We have investigated questions such as 'How are forces affected by different materials?' and 'How weather conditions affect friction?' The children have led their own learning and set up their own investigations.



## Topic

In our topic lessons this half term, we have focused on coastal regions in the UK and around the world. Through using photographs of different coasts, children have used the most appropriate vocabulary to describe a particular coast line. Children have investigated some of the changes that have happened to coast lines around the world and the reasons for this as well as what we can do to stop it.

