

Curriculum News

Literacy

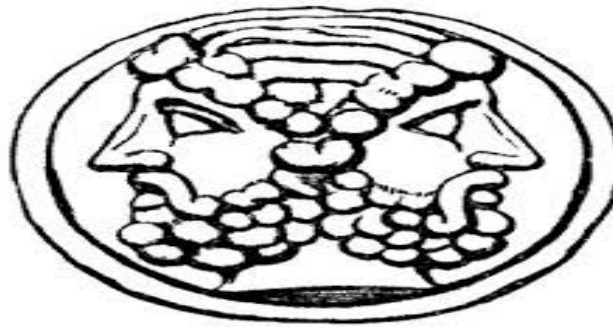
This week in literacy we have been looking at the past tense and using Janus the ancient God as a starting point for reflecting on the last year and considering the future. We have applied our understanding of the past tense to writing re-counts of a strange event involving Richard.

Maths

To welcome the children back we have had a big focus on telling the time. We have looked at o'clock, quarter past, half past and quarter to. We have also looked at the five minute increments around the outside of a clock. Can your child tell you what the time is right now?

Topic

Our new topic for the spring term is 'The Ancient Greeks'. As a starting point at home could your child investigate one ancient Greek God. In RE we are using our Bibles to investigate Bible heroes. This week we looked at the story of Abraham and Isaac.



JANUS THE GOD OF BEGINNINGS AND ENDINGS



Reminders and Notices

PE

Wednesday is our PE days every week. 3N are doing Gym and 3G are doing dance. **3C are swimming** this term. Please ensure that your child has the correct kit. Hats and goggles are optional.

The year 3 team would like to say a huge thank you once again for your kind Christmas gifts.

**HAPPY NEW YEAR FROM THE
YEAR 3 TEAM**

SCIENCE

Our new science focus is sound. This week we have been experimenting and investigating how sound is made. We have been using string telephones, elastic bands, rice on a drum and glasses filled with different amounts of water. We recorded our initial thoughts and over the coming weeks we will test whether these are true.