

Robins class (y3)

	Friday 7 th November 2025: This week we have been...
English	We are using a new book this term to work alongside our topic learning: 'Stone Age Boy' by Satoshi Kitamura. So far we have read the first few pages where our main character (the boy) falls down, down, down and wakes up in what seems to be the Stone Age. We have used the book to infer and then predict what happen later on. We have looked at the structure and punctuation and what effect this has on writing using tools such as repetition (down, down, down). We have used some of the illustrations as a stimulus for drama and learnt about the features of a diary in preparation for some writing next week. Our spellings this week have continued from last week and have all ended with 'ture': Creature, furniture, nature, picture, adventure, capture, future, sculpture, fracture, mixture.
Maths	Addition and subtraction: We have come to the end of our topic on addition and subtraction. We used what we had learnt in column addition and subtraction to solve problems where we had to use complements to 100, some rounding to estimate answers and finally using bar models to solve multi-step word problems and help us identify if the words were asking for an addition or subtraction. We finished with an end of topic quiz. Filip has £206 in his bank account. Filip has £71 more than Nijah. a) Complete the bar model.  b) How much money does Nijah have?
Other Curriculum Areas	• RE - This term we are learning about Incarnation using the big question: what is the trinity? This week we discussed what evidence of the Trinity could be seen in different art work. • Topic - We learnt about what life was like in the Stone Age. • Science - We completed lots of different investigations using rocks to answer the question how can we group rocks? • Art - After talking about the story of the Lion Man (which was found in a cave dating from prehistoric times) we made our own clay version. • DT - We started to design a Christmas decoration which we will make using our sewing skills. • Music - We revised how to play the notes A, B and G and where they sit on the stave. Then we learnt top D before playing 'Mary Had a Little Lamb.' • PE - in football we learnt how to dribble the ball and change direction.
News & reminders	Next Friday is CHILDREN IN NEED and we have decided as a school that children can wear their own clothes with a donation of an item for our mud kitchen please. We will do PE in our own clothes.