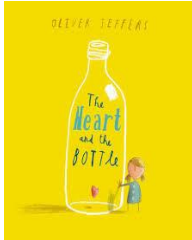
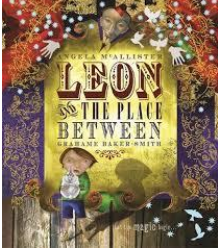


# Year 3 Newsletter

## Autumn 1



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| <p>Core text(s) for English and Reading</p> | <p><b>The Heart and the Bottle</b><br/>Author: Oliver Jeffers</p>  <p><b>Leon and the Place Between</b><br/>Author: Angela McAllister</p>   |
| <p>Reading for pleasure</p>                 | <p><b>Ice Palace</b><br/>Robert Swindells</p>   |
| <p>Focus areas for English/outcomes</p>     | <p>Character descriptions<br/>Writing a postcard<br/>Diary entries</p>  |
| <p>Grammar focus</p>                        | <p>Identifying questions, adjectives, nouns, conjunctions<br/>Including noun phrases<br/>Identifying different types of sentences<br/>Identifying fronted adverbials<br/>Informal writing</p>   |
| <p>Maths focus areas</p>                    | <p><b>Place Value</b><br/>Representing numbers to 100 and 1000<br/>Partitioning numbers into hundreds, tens and ones<br/>Ordering numbers on a number line<br/>Estimating and comparing numbers</p>   |
| <p>Foundation subjects</p>                  | <p><b>History: Changes in Britain from Stone Age to Iron Age</b> – Invasion, law and order, settlements, progress and change, beliefs.<br/><b>Science: Rocks and Soil</b> - exploring igneous, sedimentary and metamorphic rocks, identifying how rocks can be weathered, how fossils are formed, identify different types of soil.<br/><b>Computing: Systems and Networks</b> - Identify how digital devices work, identify parts of a digital device, identify how digital devices help us, how digital devices are connected.<br/><b>DT: Making a Toy</b> - Identify mechanical systems, creating mechanical systems, testing and evaluating.<br/><b>PSHE:</b> recognise families, positive aspects of families, caring for each other, trusted adults, online safety.<br/><b>Spanish</b> – Phonetics and Aprendo Español (I Am Learning Spanish)<br/><b>RE: Philosophy</b> – What is Philosophy and how do people make moral decisions?</p> |

