

Maths

This half term we will be learning to:

- represent and count in multiples of 4 and 8 and explain the relationship between adjacent multiples of 4 and 8.
- explain the relationship between multiples of 2, 4 and 8
- use knowledge of the divisibility rules for divisors of 2, 4 and 8 to solve problems
- scale known multiplication facts by 10 and scale division derived from multiplication facts by 10
- subtract pairs of 2 and 3-digit numbers using column subtraction, with and without exchange, and solve subtraction problems
- use the terms '*minuend*' (the number we are subtracting from) '*subtrahend*' (the number we are subtracting) and '*difference*' (the answer to a subtraction calculation)



Hartford Junior School Learning Leaflet Year 3

Spring 2nd Half Term 2026

Welcome to our **Year 3** Learning Leaflet.
This page will give you all the information you need to 'bring out the best' in your child.

Mrs Sara Turner
Class Teacher in Beech

Miss Charlotte Deaves and Mrs Vic Hollison
Class Teachers in Chestnut

Our weekly planning time (PPA) is every Wednesday

Our Teaching Assistants:
Miss Leah Culpin & Miss Violeta Stef

English

This half term we will be learning to:



- Write a poem using repetition, onomatopoeia and description.
- sequencing parts of a narrative
- using a model text to explore and map to rehearse
- using story starters such as questions and onomatopoeia
- using story starters such as speech, speech punctuation
- exploring sentence types – verb, person and character description
- exploring sentence types – emotion word comma sentence
- planning, writing and editing a narrative

Key texts: 'The Iron Man' by Ted Hughes and 'And Tango Makes Three' by Justin Richardson and Peter Parnell



French

This half term we will be focussing on:
Les Instruments (Instruments)



- Recognise, recall and spell up to 10 instruments in French with their definite article/determiner.
- Understand when and why to use the determiners le/ la/ les
- learn to say and write 'je joue' (I play) with up to 10 different instruments.

Homework

Homework will be set on a **Friday** via **Seesaw** and needs to be completed by the following Wednesday. Please support and encourage your child, although it should primarily be their own work. All work will be checked by the class teacher. We will also be sending out weekly spellings on a Friday. Your child would also significantly benefit from **daily reading** using the book sent home to reinforce fluency.



PE

2 PE sessions each week, 1 indoor and 1 outdoor session

Beech Class: Thursday and Friday
Chestnut Class: Thursday and Friday

Tennis and Fundamentals



PE kits in **school colours** worn to school on PE days.
Earrings cannot be worn, and long hair must be tied back.
Unfortunately, we cannot remove earrings.

PSHE

This half term we will be learning about:

Relationship and Sex Education



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This half term we will be learning about:

How do people pray and what is prayer?

