

### Reading

Read for **15 minutes every day** with an adult.  
Listen to stories read by others.

### Maths

**2Dos on Purple Mash** — set every Friday.  
**Timetable rock star** — 10 minutes every day  
and/or  
Challenge yourself with daily maths questions — make  
it fun and practical (e.g., while cooking or shopping).

### Spelling

**Spelling worksheet** — give out every Friday.  
Spelling Bee challenge.  
Practise the Year 3/4 statutory word list.

### English

Focus: Greek Myths & Legends, Poetry,  
Information Texts

- ❖ **Poetry Challenge:**  
Write a haiku about a natural disaster  
(volcano, earthquake, tsunami). Decorate it  
with fiery or stormy artwork.
- ❖ **Disaster Reporter:**  
Create a short TV news report about Mount  
Vesuvius erupting – include the 5 Ws and a  
“witness quote”.

## Year 3 Spring 1 – Angry Earth

Yellow boxes are non-negotiable  
Blue boxes are optional

### Geography Focus: Campania, Italy

- ❖ **Italy Postcard:** Write a postcard from Campania  
describing Mount Vesuvius and the landscape.
- ❖ **Compare & Contrast:** Draw or write one way  
Campania is similar to / different from where you  
live.
- ❖ **Tourism Poster:** Create a poster explaining why  
tourists visit Campania.

### RE

Focus: Galilee to Jerusalem

- ❖ **Journey Map:** Draw Jesus’ journey from  
Galilee to Jerusalem with key stops.
- ❖ **Diary Entry:** Write a short diary entry as  
someone who followed Jesus.
- ❖ **Reflection Drawing:** Draw a picture showing  
how people might have felt during Jesus’  
journey.

### DT (Design & Technology)

Focus: Cooking – Eating Seasonally; Textiles

- ❖ **Mini Chef:** Help prepare a meal and weigh  
ingredients.
- ❖ **Stitch Spotter:** Look for stitching on clothes at  
home – what types can you see?
- ❖ **Design It:** Draw a pattern that could be made  
using cross-stitch or appliqué.

### Science

Focus: Nutrition, Skeletons, and Muscles

- ❖ **Rock Detective:** Collect or observe rocks and  
group them by appearance (hard/soft,  
smooth/rough).
- ❖ **Rock Fact Card:** Make a fact card for igneous,  
sedimentary, or metamorphic rocks.
- ❖ **Fossil Maker:** Press shells or small toys into  
clay/playdough to make “fossils”.