

### **English**

During this topic the children will be exploring explanation texts. The children will be creating a leaflet or technical manual to explain how something works.

### **RE**

Jesus – an inspirational leader  
Why is Jesus important to Christians?

### **French**

The children will continue to learn a range of words and extended phrases.

### **Computing**

The focus will be on staying safe online.

### **Science**

The children will be learning about different types of forces. They will be experimenting with magnets will be working scientifically. The children will be recording their results and drawing conclusions. A key focus will be on friction and using these ideas in their DT work.

## **Year 3 Curriculum Map Spring 1**

Mighty Metals

**Focus:** Science and DT

### **PE**

In gymnastics the children will be exploring a range of different balances and modes of travel to create a gymnastic sequence using a range of apparatus. The children will learn throwing, catching, jumping and running both in isolation and games.

### **DT**

We will be examining playground equipment and the children will be designing a piece of their own. They will be applying their knowledge of forces when designing their playground equipment. The children will also apply their understanding of how to strengthen, stiffen and reinforce a more complex structure. They will use levers and linkages.

### **PSHE**

Healthy Me