Rocks, Relics and Rumbles

This half term, Year 3 have started a new topic called 'Rocks, Relics and Rumbles'. They have been learning about the features and characteristics of the Earth's layers including a detailed exploration of tectonic plates. Below are your homework projects. Please choose at least one to be completed and brought back to school by Friday Ist March 2024.

Design and Technology

Create a model of the layers of the Earth using a range of materials. Label each layer and write a short description about each layer's features.

Poster

Make an information poster about Mary Anning, the famous fossil collector. Include images and interesting facts. Share your poster with a family member once it is complete and bring it into school.

Detailed illustration

There are three main rock types. These are sedimentary, igneous and metamorphic. Briefly describe how each type is formed, their properties and at least two examples of each type. Try and draw each type of rock that you investigate.