

Science - Year 3

Forces and Magnets – Block 3FM

Amazing Magnets

Session 1

Resource Pack

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The British Scientific Society

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Dear Class,

My name is Mr Andrew Newton and I am President of the British Scientific Society. You are probably aware that each year we stage The Big Science Fair. This is a large event that promotes science in a way that is exciting and fun. This year the theme of the fair will be Forces.

Each year we ask schools to help us think up great learning activities that will appeal to children who visit the fair and we have selected your school to help us if you can. We understand from your teacher that you are hard working and dedicated young scientists.

The theme of Forces is quite broad so we were wondering if your school could focus particularly on magnetic forces. Your teacher tells me you might be happy to take on this task as you begin to learn about magnetic forces yourselves. If you agree, we would like you to come up with a series of exciting activities on the theme of magnetic forces that will teach children visiting the fair, all about the science involved whilst exploring and having fun.

Thank you for considering our request. Your teacher has agreed to let me know your decision as soon as possible.

Yours sincerely,

A. Newton