

Year 3 Newsletter

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Welcome back! The holidays go far too quickly!

We are looking forward to some new learning & this term our topic is called The Savage Stone Age.

P.E is on Tuesday

Please could you ensure your child has their P.E kit in school all week. **Please remove earrings on these days** - this is an important health and safety issue.



Curriculum information

Our topic in term 4 is 'The Savage Stone Age'



English: This term, we will be learning to write a non-chronological report and a recount.

Maths: In Maths, we will be learning Multiplication and Division, Statistics, Length and Perimeter and Fractions.

Science: In Science, we will be learning about Rocks and Fossils.

PE: We are learning to play Tennis and Tag Rugby.

Computing: This term, we are learning to become vloggers.

Art/DT: The children will be creating charcoal cave paintings, papier mache axes and our very own Stonehenge!

RE: We will be learning 'Why are festivals important to religious communities'.

PSHE: Apple's Friends.

How can you help at home?

Homework will be coming home at the start of each term. There will be a menu of homework to pick from and 3 times a term you will be asked to complete a task from the menu.

The homework dates are: 8th March, 22nd March and the 29th March.

Spelling and Times table

Every Monday, the children will be tested on the new spelling words. These words are learnt in class and used throughout the term. Make sure you are using fun and exciting ways to remember these tricky words!

We are also doing weekly times table tests. The main focus are the 3s 4s and 8s but be sure to look at the inverse too!

Water bottles

Please could you ensure that your child brings a named drink bottle to school each day, to have in the classroom. **This should contain water only, no juice or squash please.**



Clothing

Please make sure all items of your child's clothing has their name on it. It makes it much easier to reunite children with lost clothes and saves you the stress! Please use a permanent laundry marker or sewn in name labels as biro washes out easily. This includes their PE kit, coats etc.

Reading books

Each day your child reads their AR book as well as reading in different situations.

Reading is a tricky skill to master and your child will benefit from reading with you at home as much as possible to build confidence and fluency. In year 3 we aim to be reading 95 words per minute! The only way to achieve this is lots and lots of practise! **Please ensure that your child's reading book is brought into school every day. Thank you!**

