

Year 3 **Autumn Term** Newsletter



It was a real pleasure to welcome your children back to school and we are looking forward to being with them this year. We have had a great start to the new school year and it has been lovely getting to know the children even better. We would also like to say how smart they all look too!

If you have any concerns or uncertainties about your child in school, please feel free to contact us after school or by Dojo. Please also remember to check for Dojo's and letters from the school providing key information to parents on a regular basis.

Thank you for your continuing support.

Year 3 Team Miss Cunningham, Mr Edensor, Miss Meredith, Miss Kelsall and Miss Barber



Homework

Homework will be sent home on Friday and will need to be completed and returned by the following Thursday. Homework will normally consist of a mix of Maths, English, Topic and Science. All homework will have been covered in class that week and is a great opportunity for your child to show their fantastic learning!



We encourage children to read for at least 10+ minutes a day. Although there will be opportunities during the school day, we ask that you also encourage your child to read at home. Please sign their diary every time they read at home and bring your book in every day. If a child has read 3 times in one week then they earn a raffle ticket. This then goes into a half termly prize draw to win a book token.

P.E

Our P.E. lessons will take place on a Thursday and ALL children should come to school in their PE kit. Please ensure your child's kit, in line with the school uniform policy, is in school and clearly named. Most lessons will split between indoor and outdoor sessions. Earrings should be removed on PE days.

Dojos

Please ensure you have signed up to Class Dojo to receive updates and reminders.



Times tables and basic skills provide the basis for the more complex maths work that we are doing in Year 3 and so it is crucial that these skills are mastered as soon as possible. All children are working on the JWPA Times Tables Challenge. Please ask your child which times tables / number facts they are learning!

Time Tables

Spellings

Most children will have weekly spellings to learn unless they are still doing speed sounds phonic lessons. We are following a spelling scheme where the focus is on spelling rules and using phonetic knowledge.

Uniform



Please write your son's/daughter's names in jumpers /cardigans to reduce the number of lost property items.

Water Bottles & Snacks

Children in key-stage 2 are not provided with fruit so please can you child bring in a snack for break time and a refillable water bottle.

Autumn Term's Topic

This term our topic is 'Go with the flow'. Our curriculum map will be posted on Dojo and our website soon.





