

Year Three Autumn Newsletter 2024

Dear Parents and carers,

Welcome back! We hope you had a great summer holiday and are ready for an exciting half term in Year 3. Thank you to those who attended our Introductory Meeting on Monday 16th September. Don't worry if you could not attend, as the PowerPoint presentation of the meeting will be uploaded to the school website shortly.

As in Key Stage I, the children are encouraged to read as much as they can from a range of books, either ones they have at home or from the local library. We aim to change your child's reading book weekly, or when they have finished their book. Now that the children are a little older, we want to encourage the children to be more independent with changing their own books. Please ensure that your child's reading book and reading record are in their book bag every day so they can do this. The children will also have the opportunity to visit the school library and take home library book every week.

Outdoor P.E. is on a **Monday** morning this half term for both classes; please make sure the children come to school in their named PE. We will also go outside everyday (weather permitting) to complete the Daily km. This is a lovely opportunity for the children to get some fresh air and exercise in the afternoon.

It's thirsty work in Year 3 so please make sure your child has a named filled water bottle in school every day. Your child will also need a fruit based snack, as this is not provided by school in KS2.

The children also have the chance to purchase a snack from the tuck shop on Thursday morning, you will need to send your child with no more than £2 to spend at the tuck shop.

Thanks again for your continued support,

Miss Jebson, Class 7 teacher Mrs Myers Class 8 teacher



Year 3 2024 Autumn Term Curriculum Overview

Subject	Areas of study
Maths	White Rose Maths
1 146113	Number: Place Value,
	Addition and Subtraction,
	Geometry
	Length and Perimeter
	Times tables focus: 2, 5, 10 and 3 times table.
English	Whole School Unit: 'Here We Are'
	Narratives: 'Stone Age Boy', 'Oliver and the Seawigs'
	Non-fiction: Instructions - How to Wash a Woolly Mammoth.
	Biography – Margaret E Knight
	Poetry: 'Lost Words' acrostics. Performing poetry.
Science	Light
	Forces and Magnets
RE	Creation Stories
	Christian Values
	Christmas
Computing	Touch typing, Coding,
	Online safety
History	Changes from Stone Age to Iron Age
Geography	Ancient Settlements in the British Isles
	Maps of the British Isles
Art	Light and Dark
	Stone Age cave art
DT	Gift Bags
French	Phonics: vowels. Grammar: nouns and determiners.
	Vocabulary: greetings, classroom language
	numbers I-II
Music	Singing - Charanga
	Note value, rhythm – Glockenspiels
PE	Invasion Games - Netball / Basketball, Rugby
PSHE	Relationships
	Health and Wellbeing
	Anti-bullying
	MyHappymind – Meet Your Brain, Celebrate units.