



## Year 3 termly information sheet

### Summer Term

Welcome back to our final term this year! Please remember to send your child in every day with a vegetable or piece of fruit for a mid-morning snack and a named water bottle.

#### **Field Fridays Parent Volunteers**

This term, we would like to go to the Normandy Road field at **10.15-11.15am on Fridays**. If there are any parents willing to help us walk the children there and back, please sign the sheets outside the Year 3 classrooms.

#### **Speaker's Corner**

These continue into June. Please check the list outside the classrooms and ask if you have any questions.

#### **P.E**

Amber have PE on Mondays and Thursdays and Vermillion on Thursday and Fridays this term. Please ensure PE kits are in school every day.

#### **Music**

Every Tuesday Year 3 learn the recorder with Miss Sazanova (recorders are provided by the school). Please encourage your child to practise their recorder at home as we have a concert at the end of term.

On **Thursday mornings** the classes will be taught by Mr Clements and Mr Bushell.

Children will need to check with an adult if they are ready to change their book. We will be asking to see the reading records and the expectation is that there is a minimum of 3 comments every week. Diaries will be checked once a week.

Homework will be set on Friday using Google Classroom. Please let us know if you would prefer to receive the homework on paper.

Spellings are set and tested weekly, we give out a paper copy but they are also available on the Google Classroom. It is vital that your child practises their times tables frequently so they are fluent and ready for the Year 4 multiplication tables check at the end of Year 4. The test is done online, so practising on Times Tables Rockstars is very helpful.

How you can help at home:

- Listen to your child read **at least 3 times** a week
- Ask questions about what they have read (Who? What? When? Why? How?)
- Encourage your child to practise their weekly spellings.
- Practise the 2, 5, 10, 3, 4 and 8 times tables and log on to TTRockstars.

Please do not hesitate to speak to us at any time during Soft Start or after school in the playground or via the office.

Best wishes,  
The Year 3 team

### English

Narrative writing based on the Dream Giver and writing linked to our History topic on the Romans including a diary entry and newspaper report.

### Maths

In Maths we are dividing two digit numbers by a one digit number. Then we will move onto telling the time to the nearest minute, analogue and digital time and telling the time using Roman numerals 1-12. We will also learn about months of the year and calculating a duration of time. We will also introduce tenths and decimals and apply this practically using money. There will also be work on 3D shapes.

### Science

Our science topics are investigating magnets and plants.

### P.E

Athletics, tennis, cricket and yoga

### R.E

Learning about Ramadan. Exploring the Christian creation story.

### History

In History we will learn about the Roman Empire and its impact on England. We will also look at Roman culture and beliefs, as well as the Roman army and its weapons.

### Art

We are working with clay, practising rolling, pinching and joining and making clay pots with a local ceramic artist.

### Design & Technology

We will be designing and building Roman weapons, using levers.

### PSHE

E-safety. Understanding hazards in and outside the home.

### Music

Recorders: Learning the new notes "E" and "D" and learning how to analyse and retain new pieces of music through the recognition of rhythmic and melodic patterns. Preparing for our Summer recorder concert.

### Spanish

Topic: Les animales. Parts of the body linked to 'Little Red Riding hood'.

### Computing

Explore using a green screen and create conditional code.