



Year 3



Dear Parents/Carers,

The children have had a busy week. We have been really impressed with how ready, respectful and safe they have been. We look forward to continue to get to know them.

In Maths, we have started our place value topic, in English we have been exploring setting descriptions and in RE we have been learning about the Creation Story.

Have a lovely weekend

The Y3 Team

Key dates

Monday 15th and 22nd September – Individual, sibling and committee photographs

Tuesday 23rd September Meet the Teacher Y3– 2:50pm in Kingfishers

Monday 29th September – Flu Vaccine in school

Friday 3rd October – INSET DAY (No children in school)

Friday 24th October – Break up for half term

Helpful Information

- Games – every Wednesday for all of Year 3. Children to come into school wearing their PE kits on games days only.
- PE – Nightingales – every Monday. Children should come into school wearing their school uniforms and will change into PE kit at school.
- PE – Kingfishers – every Monday. Children should come into school wearing their school uniforms and will change into PE kit at school.
- Please name everything your child brings to school to ensure it can be returned to the correct person if it gets lost.
- Please provide your child with a named water bottle every day.
- If your child is having a school lunch, please remember to use the new **Impact Food App** to order your child's lunch the week before they attend school. This cannot be done in class or through the school office.
- We are using charcoal in art this half term. **PLEASE PROVIDE YOUR CHILD WITH AN OLD SHIRT OR APRON TO USE EACH WEEK.**
- **Please provide your child with a glue stick.**

Homework will be set this Friday

mouth

sprout

around

Please see spellings for this week.

sound

spout

ouch

Children have one week to learn spelling words and will be tested on Fridays.

hound

trout

found

proud

Reading

If your child is on RWI they will continue to have books every week and read at home and in school.

If your child is on Accelerate Reader they should read for 15mins every night. When they finish a book they need to complete an Accelerate Reader quiz then change their book in school the next day.

[Find the link to AR here.](#) We would expect children to be completing **one** Accelerated Reader quiz per week (dependent on the size of the book).

The Year 3 Team

Mrs Thomas, Mrs Roussel and Miss Corless

Please see below for guidance on reading in Key Stage Two

Reading in Key Stage 2

Handy Hints



- Make reading part of your daily routine.
- Short sessions - **15 minutes per day**.
- Continue to read out loud to an adult as well as independently.
- Try to read a range of books including fiction and non-fiction.
- Complete the Accelerated Reader quiz at home, ideally within 24-48 hours of finishing the book.

How can parents help?

Reading improves with practice.

Encourage your child to read at home, share your own books, discuss books, ask questions about the book they have read and visit the local library.

Check that your child is completing the reading quiz - this is part of their weekly homework.