



Year 3 Spring Newsletter

Welcome Back!

Dear Parents & Carers,

Welcome back to the spring term. We would like to wish you all a very happy new year and hope you enjoyed the Christmas break.

The children worked exceptionally hard last term and we commend them on the superb work they produced across the curriculum, from making tacos in D&T, to their Stone Age diary entries in English and prehistoric pots in art. The school website has updates across the term so you can see our work in progress!

This term we will be working on an equally exciting array of topics. Let us take this opportunity to remind you all that our message to the children is simply: do your best and don't stop until you are proud.

This term we are going to be focusing closely on the children's times tables and trying hard to push them along so that they are efficient and successful in their recall. Please can we ask parents to support the children with their times tables and encourage the use of TT Rockstars whenever possible!

What will we be learning?

Reading: Me and Mister P

Writing: Non chronological report on polar bears. Journey unit of work

Maths: Number, fractions and units of measure

Science: Forces and Magnets

Geography: Rocks, relics and rumbles

Art: Ammonite and patterns followed by people and places based on the work of LS Lowry.

D&T: Moving toys

PE: Gymnastics and floor ball

RE: Good and Evil (Diwali) followed by exploring the key events of Holy Week.

PSHE: Goals and Dreams

French: The Weather and Fruits

Computing: Emailing and Online safety

Homework

Homework will continue to be set each week through Atom Learning. Log in details for the children have been sent home so this can be accessed. Homework will be set on the following days:

Maths - Set on a Monday, due Friday.

English - Set on Wednesday, due the following Tuesday.

Reading - Read at least 3 times a week; reading diaries will be checked on Mondays.

Thank You...

The children's commitment to their work and to school life made for some very proud teachers last term and we are very much looking forward to spring. We thank you for your support in promoting these positive attitudes at home. Here's to another term of working hard. As always, our door is open if you have any queries or concerns.

Mrs Tamsett-Tate, Mrs Webb, Miss Davies and Miss Clarke