

CLASS 3W and 3C Newsletter - Summer Term 2021

Welcome back to a new term. This final term is shaping up to be a busy time. We are hoping to have a great "new normal" in our Summer Term. We will be continuing to support the children's individual needs, where some children will be in extra interventions.

Work:

English: In our daily English lessons, we will be focusing on the following novels: 'Harry and the Poisonous Centipede' and the 'BFG'. Through our Novel Study, we will encompass a number of grammar, comprehension and writing skills. Your child will continue to be given weekly spellings; 5, 8 or 12 words. These spellings are linked to the Year 3 and 4 statutory word list, our novel or our topic.

Please continue to read daily with your child and ensure your child has their reading book in school each day. Any other books the children are reading at home, we encourage these are recorded in their Reading Passport.

Maths: In our daily maths lessons, we will continue to follow the Essential Maths sequence of learning as our core resource. We will continue to adapt the sequence to meet the needs of the children. Each lesson will begin with a short mental arithmetic session. In school, we will continue to test the children on their timetables twice a week through TT Rockstars. We encourage the children to log onto TT Rockstars at home daily. It is the expectation that at the end of Year 3, the children know all their timetables up to 10 x.

Other topics we will be studying this term are:

Science	Animals and plants
Computing	e-safety
Art	Georges Seurat
D&T	Cooking and nutrition
Geography	A local study of Cheshunt
Music	Playing the Glockenspiels
RE	Islam
PE	Cricket & Athletics
PSHE	Relationships and Changes

Miscellaneous

Please can we remind you that every child will need to have an indoor PE kit and tracksuit and trainers for outdoor PE in school every week. Navy or black is preferable. The children will be working outside as much as possible.

Please ensure that all your child's belongings are clearly marked with their name. At the end of last term, we had a lot of unclaimed and unnamed items, these will be transferred to lost property located in the art block. All coats and jackets need to have strong hanging loops so that they stay on the pegs and do not end up on the floor.

We will be using the school library on a regular basis, we encourage you to share your child's library book at home to support their reading,

Thank you for your continued support,

Yours sincerely,

Mr W. Weatherhead, Mrs N. Aliberti and Miss J. Roe