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Year 3 Newsletter ~ Autumn Term

Important Reminders

Homework will be given out on Fridays

Children no longer receive free snacks at breaktime

Reading books will be changed weekly

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Our Learning this Term

Dear Parents/Carers,

This term in **English** we will be learning about the Stone Ages and writing a portal story about being transported back in time! We will also complete a non-fiction text where we will write a set of instructions.

In our **Guided Reading** lessons, we will look at a range of text and question types encouraging pupils to read a broad selection of genres and styles. Please can you encourage children to read regularly at home and record this in their reading record.

In **Maths**, we will be consolidating knowledge of place value and moving on to completing addition and subtraction involving three-digit numbers using a formal written method. This year in Year 3, we will focus on learning the 2, 3, 4, 5, 8 and 10 times tables.

In **Science**, we will first cover Rocks and Fossils before moving on to learning about Light, reflections and shadows.

This term in **History** our unit Stone Age to Iron Age will supplement our writing in English and give children an insight into prehistoric Britain. In Art, we will complete Stone Age paintings.

In **Geography**, we will learn about Food, Farming and Counties in the UK. This links to our DT topic of seasonal foods where we will be cooking!

Homework will be given out each **Friday** to be returned the following Friday. There will be one piece of either maths or English that links to current learning.



P.E Lessons



In 3JJ, PE will be on **Thursday** morning and **Friday** afternoons.

In 3AS, PE will be on **Monday** morning and **Friday** afternoon.

School PE kit consists of a plain white t-shirt, black hoodie, plain black shorts or tracksuit bottoms and trainers or pumps. Please ensure your child brings the correct PE kit on their PE day.

Please keep in touch using Class Dojo as we will be updating you with important information and notices on there. Both class teachers will be available outside after school if you have any concerns or questions.

We look forward to the term ahead and we are excited for a brilliant year!

Miss Jackson, Miss Spencer, and the Year 3 team