

Welcome to Year 3

Dear Parents,

Welcome Back! What a week (well three days!) it has been! It's been so lovely seeing everyone again and being together in class. I can't even begin to tell you how much I have missed all their smiling faces and I am so proud of how well they have settled back in to school life! I can't wait to get back into the swing of things even more next week!

A few notes on how we are going to be doing things in Year 3!

Next week we will be doing baseline assessments across school. These are to enable us to understand where each child is at, and to know where the gaps in their knowledge are so that we can deliver a quality recovery curriculum that enables every child to catch up.

These assessments are not for anything other than for us to be able to plan appropriately so please do not worry about them.

Homework in Year 3

Homework will be given out each Friday and need to be done by the following Friday.

Spellings - Each week your child will be given a list of spellings to learn. They will either follow a spelling rule or be words that your child has identified as needing to learn. Whatever way you want to practice these is fine. Tests will be the following Friday.

Times Table Rockstars – Each child has been set up with an account on Times Table Rockstars; a website we use at school for children to build their fluency in times tables. There are loads of things we can do with this but at first I just want the children to practice their times tables using the Studio game so I can get an idea of where they're at!

Each week I will be setting different tasks for homework, so please remind your child to log on!

Their login information is in their reading diary – or you can message me on ClassDojo and I will try to get it to you if they have lost it).

Reading Plus – Reading plus is another online resource that we use at school to build their reading skills. We will be looking at this together in class next week so there is no need to do anything with this at the moment. I will be in touch when we have set them all up and are ready to go with that explaining what to do.

There will also occasionally be some topic homework sent out, it may be a creative project, some research or something that I need them to do in preparation for a new topic. This will be communicated by me either on ClassDojo or their reading diary.

PE

This will be on Mondays with Tom (our coach), Wednesdays with me and Fridays for Enrichment.

Please send your child into school dressed in their PE kit. We are wanting to eliminate the chance of spreading germs by eliminating the possibility of spreading clothes around school.

I will be updating the school website with what we are doing in class on a weekly basis. This information can be found on the 'Home Learning' section of our website.

If you have any questions please feel free to catch me at the end of the day or message me on ClassDojo,

Thank you so much for your support!

Miss Clark