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Year 3 Summer Term 2024 Curriculum Letter

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back to the Summer Term in Year 3.

The following table allows you to see at a glance, our main learning for this term:

Topic Focus	Dynamic Earth
Subject	Main Learning Focus
English	Narrative: The Canal (warning stories) Explanatory texts: How Honey Bees Make Honey Persuasive texts: Healthy Eating
Maths	Fractions Measurement: Mass, Capacity, Money and Time Shape Statistics
Science	Plants Investigations
RE	What is peace? Should we give it a chance? Whose world is it and should we look after it?
Computing	Introduction to Office 365 Word processing
PSHE	Sex and Relationship Education - parts of our body, trusted adults and personal hygiene Personal safety – keeping safe, support networks, online safety Healthier lifestyles – healthy eating and physical activity
Art and DT	Art: Hokusai - artist study and art in the style of; colour mixing and blending with watercolours and pastels DT: Earthquake resistant buildings; sewing
Geography	Dynamic Earth: Volcanoes, Earthquakes and Tsunamis Mountains
Music	Singing: Beethoven's Ode to Joy Composer study and composition: Carnival of the Animals
PE	Athletics Swimming (starts 25th April)
MFL	Animals Instruments Ice cream flavours

Homework

We would like the children to practise their weekly spellings using **Spelling Shed**, and to complete at least **five games each week**. We would also like them to learn their times tables using **TT Rock Stars**, **Top Marks**, **Times Tables.co.uk** or by using any other means. Each month we will have a Battle of the Bands competition between the three classes. See below for weekly reading expectations too.

Children will be set an open-ended task every two weeks (approximately). Children will be given the opportunity to share their learning with their friends in class. We have been really impressed with the projects the children have already brought in.

Please see the table below for homework dates:

Homework Set	Due Date
19 th April	1 st May
3 rd May	15 th May
17 th May	5 th June
7 th June	19 th June
21 st June	3 rd July
5 th July	17 th July

Reading

We will be continuing with the **Accelerated Reader** system this term. Your child will be bringing home a school reading book linked to the AR system along with a reading record. Please encourage regular independent reading of this book and reading to an adult wherever possible. As a guide your child should read at least five times a week at home and should be also aiming to read 100+ minutes each week. We urge you to keep reading with your child every day to support their wider learning in school and across the curriculum. Extra reading of home fiction, non-fiction, magazines etc. is encouraged and welcomed.

PE days/kits

PE kits will be required on **Tuesdays and Thursdays**, as well as swimming kits/towel on **Thursday mornings**.

Please ensure that your children arrive wearing their PE kits on Tuesday and Thursday.

PE kit consists of - a white t-shirt, trainers, jogging bottoms/dark shorts and a sweatshirt (**no hoodies**). No jewellery except stud earrings and watches should be worn in school and these must be removed for all PE activities, as it is not acceptable to use tape to cover earrings. We would therefore advise that children leave any earrings at home on their PE day. Long hair must be tied back.

Thank you for your continued support,

Mrs. Grimbaldston (3 Beech)
 Mrs. Koslowski-Smith (3 Maple)
 Mrs. Wood and Mrs. Barnes (3 Willow)

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	9:00	9.05 - 9.30	9.30 - 10.30	10.30 - 10.45	10.45 - 12.20	12.20 - 1.20	1.20 - 3.15
Monday		Zoom assembly	English	Break	Maths Guided reading	Lunch	Spellings B - Geography M - Computing W - Science
Tuesday	Registration	Tree cluster assembly / E safety	English		Maths Guided reading		PPA Spanish, Music and PE
Wednesday		Key stage assembly	English		Maths Guided reading		Hand-writing B - Computing M - Geography W - Art
Thursday		Swimming group 1(S1) - leave 9.30			S1 - back by 11.15, snack and Guided reading		PSHE circle time B - Art M - Science W - Geography
		Guided reading and snack Swimming groups 2 & 3 (S2&3) - leave 10			S2&3 - back at 12-12.15		
Friday		Whole School Assembly (Zoom)	English		Maths Guided reading	Handwriting	B - Science M - Art W - Computing