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# Year 3

## Spring Term 2024

We are looking forward to an exciting term full of new beginnings and new learning!

# Reminders

Please ensure your child has the following with them in school every day:

- Pencil case (including a glue stick)
- Reading record
- Water bottle

#### P.E.

3FB: Tuesday and Wednesday 3S: Monday and Tuesday 3W: Monday and Friday

## Information

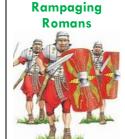
## English and Maths Home Learning

Home learning will be put on Google Classroom each Thursday and is due back the following Tuesday. Remind your child to log-in each week to see feedback on work submitted.

## Reading

Your child is expected to read at home every day and the diary signed at least 3 times a week. We ask that you encourage your child to note down what they have enjoyed about their current text, words that interested or confused them and/or a brief summary of the piece they have read. When you sign the reading diary, you may wish to make comments about their reading

Maths	Multiplication and Division  Money  Statistics	We will continue to develop and consolidate understanding and skills to enable your child to become a confident mathematician. We will build on what the children know from Year 2 and be introducing new concepts such as finding the perimeter of a shape and ordering fractions using language such as denominator and numerator.
	Length and	Learning will continue to focus on:
	Perimeter	Reasoning and problem solving
	Fractions	Reasoning logically Visualising
	Tractions	Looking for patterns
		Working systematically.
English	Narrative	Your child will be learning about narrative writing, story writing, creating a diary entry and developing character descriptions based on a key
	Recounts	text.
	Grammar	Your child will be taught how to write a non-fiction piece of writing and we will also explore how to use paragraphs effectively.
	Poetry	
	(Performance)	Spelling, punctuation and grammar will be integrated into our English lessons as well as taught directly.
Book	'Oliver and the Seawigs' by Phillip Reeve	
Study	'Journey' by Aaron Becker	
-	Lessons include	



### Lessons include

**Computing:** Creating media through animations and programming a sequence

**Science:** Forces and magnets. We will be carrying out enquiries to discover the different types of forces. **Art:** Examine and discuss work by Georgia O'Keefe. Experiment with colour and a range of collage techniques. Create mosaics.

DT: Making Roman bread.

**Exploring Cultures:** Creation stories- Aboriginal, Christian, Islamic, Hindu

**History:** The Roman Empire and the impact it has had on life in Britain.

Modern Foreign Language: French
Music: Use tuned percussion – glockenspiel

PE: Athletics and gymnastics
Relationships and Health Education: Loss and

separation and emotional, social and mental health.

A 'Curriculum Map' showing the detailed focus for our lessons will be made available

shortly on our website.

(Parent Resources section - Curriculum information)

Thank you for your continued support.

The Year Three team

Topic

Class teachers - Mrs Sagar, Mrs Farrell, Miss Baga and Mr Williams Support Teacher – Mrs Joyce

Teaching assistants – Miss Hogan, Mrs Thompson, Mrs McGee, Mrs Baines, Mrs Talabany and Miss Morris