YEAR 3 CLASS NEWSLETTER

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Dear Parents and Carers,

A very warm welcome back to school! We hope you all had a wonderful summer break and that the children are feeling refreshed and ready for the exciting year ahead in Year 3. We are looking forward to a fantastic term of learning together.





What We're Learning This Term

Some highlights are:

- Science: We will be exploring plants, identifying the different parts of a plant and understanding the important purpose each part serves.
- Geography: Our focus will be on the regions of the UK. We will look closely at the different types of land features and how they vary across the country.
- French: The children will begin learning some simple greetings and useful words to start building their confidence with another language.

PE and Swimming

Our PE day this term will be on Tuesdays. On this day, children may come to school wearing their PE kit. Please ensure that no jewellery is worn on PE days for safety reasons. Swimming will also take place on Tuesdays, so children will need to bring their swimming kit with them each week.

Reading

Reading at home remains a vital part of your child's learning. We encourage all children to read regularly at home—both reading to an adult and listening to stories read aloud. This not only develops fluency and comprehension but also helps foster a lifelong love of reading.

Maths and Spelling

We will continue to work on strengthening children's basic maths skills. The Star Badges will be a fun way to celebrate progress in this area. We will also be focusing on spelling, particularly the Common Exception Words, to build children's confidence and accuracy in their writing.





How You Can Help at Home

- Support your child with their weekly spellings.
- Encourage regular practice of times tables and number facts.
- Spend time each evening enjoying reading together.

We are excited about the term ahead and look forward to working closely with you to support the children on their learning journey.

Thank you for your continued support Mrs Hibbert and Mrs Simons

Read more on our website class page