

Year 3 Curriculum Letter Autumn Term 2022



Mathematics

We will be developing our understanding of place value and working on our addition and subtraction skills. We will be working with two and three digit numbers, the fluency of both mental and written calculation skills. We will be exploring the relationship between multiplication and division. We will recap work on the 2, 5 and 10 times tables before moving on to multiply and divide with 3, 4 and 8.

P.E - please wear Academy PE kit for the day and have earrings removed or covered with plasters. Year 3 have PE on: WEDNESDAYS and THURDSAYS

English

Our lessons will use a range of books to explore settings, character and plot. We will be focussing on spelling, punctuation and grammar to develop our writing. Writing opportunities will include character and setting descriptions, diary entries and recounts. During Guided reading, we will read and discuss a range of genres. We will read aloud to develop fluency and learn how to use the text to help us answer comprehension questions. We will also explore the vocabulary and techniques used by the author to keep us interested in a story.

Wider Curriculum

We will be learning about some features on maps such as tropics of Cancer and Capricorn. We will be learning about Europe including populations, rivers and mountains.

We are heading back in time to the Stone Age where we will be exploring our ancestors, their way of life and the impact it had on human development. We will be learning about animals including humans and finding out about nutrition and our bodies. We will also be learning about different types of scientists and the skills we need to be scientists.

Class Dojo and Parent Hub

We will be communicating via Class Dojo and you can message us too! Parent Hub is also an important source of communication, so please keep an eye out for any messages.

Homework: Keep a close eye on Class Dojo for any links to videos or activities that will help reinforce your child's learning. These will be posted on the class story.

Ongoing homework:

Maths: Can you recall all of the multiplication facts for the 2, 5 and 10 times tables? Keep practising them to develop speedy recall! If you are already confident with these, start working on the 3 and 4 times tables!

Reading: daily reading aloud, to an adult, will help develop your child's fluency.

Scholastic Reading Pro: A great way to access free online books that can be read with a quiz to complete to show understanding of the text. You can find the link on the school website.

Please make sure that your child is well prepared as the weather is unpredictable at the moment. A water bottle should be in school every day, along with their book bag and reading book.

Please can you name each of these items so that if they are misplaced they can be safely returned.