

Parents' Guide to the Curriculum: Year 3, Autumn 1



Notices For This Half Term

Wednesday 10th September

Meet The Teacher 2:45pm

Wednesday 1st October

Wonderdome Workshop in school

Thursday 16th October

Parent Consultations

Monday 20th October

Diwali Party

Wednesday 22nd – Friday 24th October

INSET Days. No children in school.

Monday 27th – Friday 31st October

Half Term

Children return: Monday 3rd November

Coffee Mornings

10th September: Welcome Back

17th September: Arbor

24th September: Phonics

1st October: SEND (external speaker)

How to help at home:

Complete home learning:

- Set on Thursday on Microsoft Teams.
- Due back on Monday in home learning books

Read daily with your child

Practise 2, 5, 10, 3, 4 and 8 x tables

Practise spelling words and writing sentences using the correct punctuation.



MATHEMATICS

- This term, children will work on their number skills, looking at place value.
- Children will also be learning about addition and subtraction.



COMPUTING

Online safety

- Children will discuss the importance of passwords and keeping passwords safe.
- Children will discuss how to use the internet safely and look at blogging.
- Children will learn to touch type.



RE

- This term, children will be learning about Hinduism and will develop their understanding of Hinduism by exploring the story of Rama and Sita.



ENGLISH

- Children will focus on the text Mae Among the Stars .
- They will write a story (narrative) from the point of view of Mae C. Jemison.
- They will write a fact file about space.



PSHE and RSE

- We will be visiting Planet Wellbeing and Planet Character Building as part of our iSpace wellbeing programme.
- We will be learning to explain why democracy is important.
- Children will learn how to focus and develop positive behaviours for learning.



PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT

- The children will be learning to develop their football and fitness skills.

PE Days:

- Tuesday for both classes
- Wednesday (Sapphire Class)
- Friday (Blue Class)
- Children must come to school dressed in their PE kit.



TOPIC

- In History, the children will learn about the Ancient Egyptian civilisation.
- In Art, children will make a collage using inspiration from the artist Robert McColl: The Space Mural – A Cosmic View



SCIENCE

- This term, children will learn about animals including humans.
- They will look specifically at movement
- Children will identify that humans and some other animals have skeletons and muscles, and how this helps them move.
- They will be working scientifically by conducting their own experiments