

YEAR 3 SUMMER 2

CURRICULUM NEWSLETTER 2023

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"Happy together in God's family,
we love, grow and learn."

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back, we hope you all had a sunny and restful half-term break.

This term promises to be a fun fun-filled finale to the end of Year 3. The children are enjoying their swimming lessons and have displayed excellent behaviour during our visits to Holt Park. During health week, we will participate in a range of physical activities as well as visit the farm to support our learning in science.

In English this half term, the children will be further developing their knowledge of various genres with a clear focus on use of a range of taught punctuation and continuing to consolidate the use of inverted commas within narrative writing. We will work on a variety of fictional pieces, including a diary entry and a narrative. We will also embed some of these skills through cross curricular contexts such as a non-chronological report about Egypt. As usual, we will continue to begin each lesson with a grammar starter, recapping both Year 2 and Year 3 objectives to revise and embed the concepts as much as possible.

We will continue to read for pleasure using our novel 'The great Egyptian grave robbery' which the children are thoroughly enjoying. As mentioned previously, please can your child bring their reading folder to school each day in their bag as we like to hear them read as much as possible.

In maths this half term, we will be continuing to work on multiplication and division facts, regularly revisiting and recapping the 3, 4 and 8 times tables and beyond for those children that are secure in those already mentioned. Any practice, especially on TTRS that you can do at home to consolidate this would be hugely appreciated. We have started our unit on shape, and will apply this to problem solving questions within each lesson. We will then move on to statistics we will focus on interpreting data in both maths and science. We will continue to have a short session each week (Monday morning) working on arithmetic skills, mental maths and times tables.

To find out more about the other curriculum areas we will be studying this half term, please refer to our knowledge organisers.

Please don't hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or concerns.

Many thanks,
Mrs Harrison



Important Days

Monday:

Reading books changed
Mental maths mini test
Spelling Test

Tuesday:

PE lessons (come in PE kit and bring swimming kit too)

Friday:

PE lessons (come in PE kit)

Important Dates

16/6/23 – Uniform sale.

19/6/23 – Health Week.

21/4/23 – Farm Visit.

22/6/23 – Open the book assembly.

23/6/23 – Sports Day 1pm.

27.6.23 – Year 3 class assembly 9.15am.

29.6.23 – Whole School Mass led by Y6. 9.15am

12/7/23 – Transition morning.

13/7/23 – Transition morning.

14/7/23 – Reports to parents.

17/7/23 – Meet the new class teacher 9.15am

19.7.23 - School disco, non-uniform.

21.7.23 – Whole School Mass. 9.15am.

21.7.23 – school closes.

