

# Year 3 Newsletter

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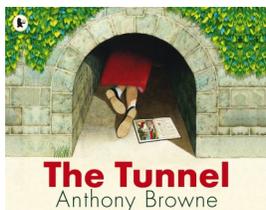
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## Welcome back to Year 3!

Welcome back. We are delighted to have you back in school and hope you are excited for the new learning ahead. Just a reminder the school gates open at 8:35am, ready for a prompt start with first morning lessons starting at for 8.45am. Year 3 would love to hold the title of the attendance trophy this term and be in with a chance to win an in class reward price of our choice! So please try to aim for 100% attendance.

In Maths we will be continuing the topic of money and exploring different methods to subtract money in order to give change. We will then be moving onto statistics - interpreting data and then beginning the area of Measurement- Length and Perimeter.

In English we will be writing to entertain we will do this through the genre of narrative creating our own adventure/mystery stories. We will be exploring these themes through the text of 'The Tunnel' by Anthony Browne.



In Science we will be starting our topic of Light & Dark. We will find patterns in how shadows change and learn about dangers of direct sunlight to our bodies.

History this half term we be continuing our learning of the Romans. We will learn about a queen of the British Iceni tribe named Boudicca



who led an uprising against the conquering forces of the Roman Empire.

Within our computing lessons we will move onto the topic of touch-typing. We will learn how to improve the speed an efficiency in typing words and begin to use typing terminology more readily.

In Art we will be learning about art from different cultures. We will be learning about Rangoli patterns. And learning how to create Rangoli art with a focus to symmetry, geometric shapes, colours and patterns.



Please come and see a member of the team if you have any questions and concerns. Team: Miss Ifon and Mrs McRae.

## Things to remember

**3SI have PE on Tuesday and Thursday.** Please ensure your child brings their full and correct PE kit into school on these days to get changed into every week.

PE kit: - burgundy shorts/dark joggers, white t shirt and pumps/ trainers.

### Reading books

Remember our target is **3 reads a week!** (minimum). Please ensure books and planners are brought in

**everyday** so we can monitor reading and communicate messages to you.

### Homework

Homework will go out on a Monday with an expected return on the Friday. Please ensure your child keeps their homework book till this time to ensure regular practice of spellings for spelling test on the Friday.

## Important information

Reading for enjoyment is a whole school focus so every afternoon for 15 minutes your child will enjoy class novel time! Miss Ifon's class will continue reading 'The Accidental Prime Minister' by Tom McLaughlin .

We look forward to seeing children dressed as their favourite book characters should they wish to Thursday 3rd March.!