

Year 3 Newsletter

Autumn 2



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Dear Families,

Welcome back to school! We hope you all had a fantastic half term and are looking forward to the count down to - dare I say it - Christmas!

Science:

In Science this half term, we will be focusing on life-cycles in nature.

Geography:

In Geography this half term, we will be looking at **Settlements** and focusing on the difference between an urban and rural area. If you wish to support your child's learning then a visit to a city would be beneficial.

History:

In History we will be learning about **Ancient Egypt**. Within this unit, we will be focusing on what life was like during this time as well as how we know about it.



Art:

Last half term, we learnt all about the use of line and so we will be building on this knowledge by looking at still life drawings. We will be developing our sketching and shading skills.



The Year 3 Team

Important Dates

25 Nov - Christmas Craft Afternoon

15 Dec - Christmas Disco

16 Dec - Last day of Term

Home Learning

Weekly homework is set every **Friday** and is due back into class on the following **Wednesday**.

Weekly homework is:

Spellings (1 activity per week)



Maths (1 activity per week + TT rockstars)

Reading (3x a week)



Home Reading Challenge

This half-term home reading challenge is to read 25 or more times. Every child who achieves this will receive a bookmark and the highest number of reads will receive a reading badge.

PE

This half-term, our PE units are: Ball skills and Dance. PE is timetabled to take place every **Wednesday (outdoor) and Friday (indoor)**. Please ensure your child arrives in school in the correct PE kit - A plain white t-shirt, black shorts and trainers. As the weather gets colder, please ensure that outdoor PE kit is warm.



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