

Year 3 Newsletter

Autumn 2



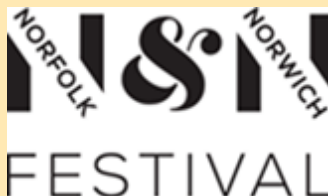
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Dear Families,

We hope the half term has treated you well and you are all feeling refreshed and ready for autumn term 2. We are very excited to get back into our routines and continue with our fantastic learning.

Art:

This half term in art, we will participate in a project named 'The Book of Thetford'. Throughout the project, we will be exploring our local area through art in creative and imaginary ways. This artwork will be shared with artists who are working alongside Norfolk and Norwich Festival and will lead to the publication of the book.



Geography:

Our focus in geography this half term is settlements. We will be learning about different types of settlements and comparing them. We will consider Thetford and the kind of settlement and begin to consider urban and rural areas.



History:

This half term, we will be exploring Ancient Egypt. We will be learning about life in Ancient Egyptian times and how this compares to other time periods we have studied. Our learning will include The River Nile, religion, Tutankhamun and Hieroglyphics.

The Year 3 Team

Important Dates

Fri 1 Dec - Christmas craft afternoon with parents

Wed 13 Dec - Y3 Christmas play to parents

Mon 18 Dec - Glow in the dark dodgeball

Tue 19 Dec - Christmas disco and parties

Wed 20 Dec - Christmas Dinner

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 every other week and TT rockstars—more information to follow)
- Reading (4x a week + reading comprehension will be provided every other week.)

All homework will be sent home in an A4 exercise book and details of log ins provided.



Home Reading Challenge

This half term's reading challenge is **25+ reads**. Children will receive a book mark and the child with the highest number of reads from each class will receive a star reader badge.



PE

This half term, PE will be taught on a **Friday**, the children will be taught PE outside (weather permitting) and so a warm jumper may be required. Please ensure your child wears their PE kit (white t-shirt, black sweatshirt/hoodie, black shorts or jogging bottoms and trainers).



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