

Autumn I 2026

Raleigh Infant and Admirals Academies

Welcome

Dear families,

Welcome back!

We hope that you have had an enjoyable summer and are looking forward to the autumn term.

This half term, we will be covering a range of subjects and topics—some of which are outlined below:

From the Year 3 team.

Homework is set on a Thursday and due in on the following Tuesday.

Important Dates

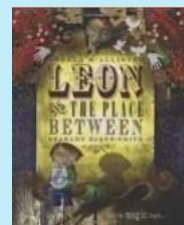


- 28.9.26 – after school clubs start
- 29.9.26 – Parents evening 1
- 30.9.26 – Parents evening 2
- 8.10.26 – Norwich Castle Trip
- Wc. 12.10.26 – Y3 assessment week
- 15.10.26 – School photographs
- 22.10.26 – Last day of term
- 23.10.26 – Staff Training Day

English

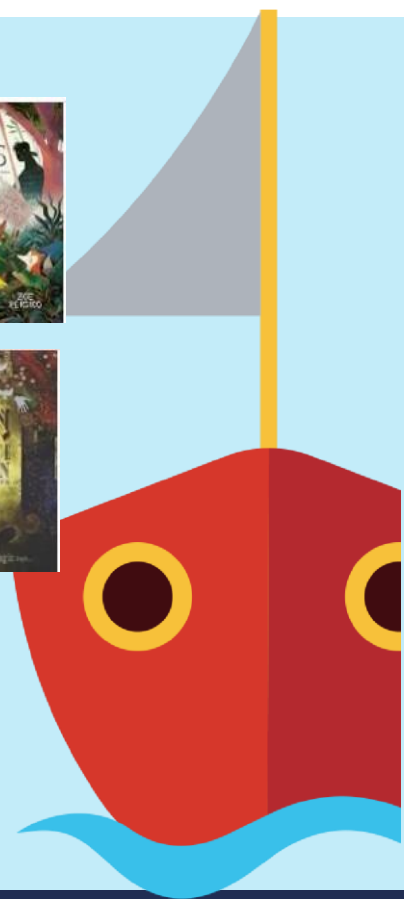
Reading

This term, Year 3 will be reading *Greta and the Giants* (Zoë Tucker) and *Leon and the Place between* (Angela McAllister). We will explore characters, themes, and how the author uses language to create mood and meaning. The children will be encouraged to make predictions, ask questions, and share their thoughts during discussions.



Writing

In writing we will be learning a range of descriptive devices to write first person narrative descriptions and learning how to use a variety of sentence structures and formal vocabulary to write non-chronological reports.



More information can be found online at www.raleighinfant.co.uk



Mathematics

In maths we will be adding and subtracting across 10 working on our number bonds to 10 and 100 and reviewing the column addition and subtraction method.

Home Learning

Weekly homework is set every **Thursday** and is due back into class on the following **Tuesday**.

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.



PE is on a Friday, please make sure your child comes to school in their PE kit.

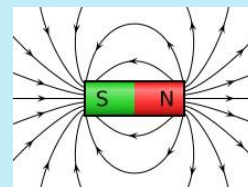
Life Skills



In PSHE this term, we will be focusing on; setting personal goals, self-identity and worth, positivity in challenges, rules, rights and responsibilities, rewards and consequences, responsible choices and seeing things from others' perspectives. *If you would like any more information on these lessons, please speak to your child's class teacher. Mrs Wilsoncroft or the office.*

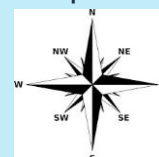
Science

In Science we will be focusing on the knowledge of magnets and forces. Children will investigate and explore these ideas with different forms of magnets and exploring magnetic fields and its strength.



Geography

In geography this half term, we will be looking at spatial sense and be learning all about maps. Within this, we will learn about compass points, grid references and map symbols. We will then use our knowledge to compare San Francisco.



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