



YEAR 3 - NEWSLETTER

SPRING TERM

Happy New Year.
We hope you all had a lovely relaxing break.
We've got an exciting term ahead and we thank you for your continued support.

Zoom To The Zoo

The children are super excited about the new 'Zoom to the Zoo' challenge, which we launched this term, to reward the children for completing all their home tasks. The children are busy collecting all their stars so they can visit the zoo. Keep up the good work.

Homework

Children are expected to read aloud **daily** at home and this should be signed by an adult in their reading diary. If the children have only read part of a book please could you indicate in their diary the pages they have read. Children's reading books will be changed on a Monday, Wednesday and a Friday. However, children are expected to bring their reading book and diary to school daily.

Spellings will be given out weekly on a Monday. These will then be tested the following Monday. It is really important that these spellings are practised at home so that the children learn the rule and then apply this to their writing. All the children have access to Spelling Shed which has their weekly spellings on along with other games to help with their spellings.

The children are working hard with their weekly times table challenges; it would be really helpful if you practised these at home. The children have also been given a Times Table Rock Stars login to help.

One piece of homework will be given weekly/fortnightly (on a Wednesday) which will be due in the following Monday. These will be based around areas of the curriculum we have been learning in school.

PE Days

Spring Term 1

3C: Monday and Tuesday
3O: Monday and Tuesday
3M: Monday and Tuesday

Spring Term 2

3C: Tuesday and Thursday
3O: Tuesday and Thursday
3M: Tuesday and Thursday

PE kit includes a pair of black pumps, a t-shirt and shorts. PE kits will be sent home to be washed and name checked every half term. For health and safety reasons please can we ask that children don't wear earrings to school on these days.

Reading

We are thrilled with the effort the children are putting in to ensure that they are reading at least three times a week. Along with our bookworm badges awards to achieve, our Golden Ticket box is bursting with new books to earn in exchange for reading.

Staff Working in Year 3

Teachers

Miss Ottewell (3O), Miss McGuire (3M),
Miss Cox (3C).

Mr Airnes (P.E), Mrs Jemson (Music),
Mrs Chella (Spanish)

Support Staff

Mrs Fulton and Mrs Barker

