

## Curriculum Information

### English

Our focus for English this half-term will be sentence construction, descriptive writing and punctuation. We will be reading “Gorilla” by Anthony Browne and “The Tin Forest” by Helen Ward and other texts linked to our “Bright Sparks” theme. Our reading focus will be identifying the different skills for reading comprehension.

### Maths

Over the next half-term, the children will be learning about numbers and place value using numbers up to 1000. Our times table focus will be multiples of 3, 4 and 8. We will then move on to addition and subtraction, both mentally and in writing, using numbers with up to 3 digits. We will also use this knowledge to reason and to solve problems.

### Topic (Science)

This half-term, our topic is ‘Bright Sparks’ which looks at electricity. During this topic, we will be applying our knowledge and skills:

- To research (using technology)
- To give reasons for particular events and changes
- To carry out investigations
- To plan, design and make products
- To develop our scientific skills

### R.E.

We will be looking at what it means to be Jewish and why Christians follow the Bible.

### P.S.H.E.

During this half term, year 3 will look at ‘Dreams and Goals’.

### P.E.

**Outdoor PE:** Tuesdays (both classes)

**Indoor PE:** Thursdays (both classes)

If your children wear small studs for school, please ensure they are removed before school on PE days. PE kit must be in school on these days.

### Homework

Homework will be sent out on a Tuesday to be returned by the following Monday.

**Continuing reading** – It is vital that children in Year 3 continue to read at home every day. Reading books should be taken home from school and changed on a regular basis.

***It is the responsibility of parents/carers to ensure home learning takes place.***

### Important Dates/Events

11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> September – Parent information sessions.

2<sup>nd</sup> October – Parents coffee morning (9am).

2<sup>nd</sup> October – Year 3 class assembly.

Friday 26<sup>th</sup> October – School closes for half term.

Monday 5<sup>th</sup> November – School re-opens for Autumn 2.

### **What do we need?**

- School uniform must be worn; this includes sensible black school shoes.
- Be in line for quarter to nine. Learning starts straight away so don't miss out.
- It is important that you check your child's bag and student planner every night for any home learning or letters that have been sent home.

If you have any queries, with regard to your children's learning or well-being, do not hesitate to speak to a member of the Year 3 team.

**Miss D Wilson & Mrs L Tomlinson**

Year 3 Learning Support

**Miss A Harrison & Mrs J Hagan**

Year 3 Teachers



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**Year 3**

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