



THERE'S NO FULL STOP TO LEARNING

YEAR 3 NEWSLETTER – SUMMER 2

Dear Parents and Carers,

Topic:

We shall be carrying on with the Ancient Greeks as our topic this term as the children are really motivated by it and are loving learning all about the Ancient Greeks. We shall be writing our very own epic tale of human endeavour which will be verbally retold initially, as modelled by the Ancient Greeks themselves, and then made into our own books so that they can be preserved forever.

Homework:

CREATIVE HOMEWORK: Please find the creative homework ideas attached. Please bring projects in on the week beginning Monday 15th July. I LOVED seeing all of the homework projects produced last half term – thank you so much! They are proudly displayed in the classroom.

SPELLINGS: There are weekly spellings to learn. Spellings will go home on a **Friday** and will be tested every **Friday**.

MATHS: Maths sheets will continue to be sent home as part of the spelling homework packs. They are to consolidate the learning we have been doing and shouldn't take too long.

TIMES TABLES: As you know, Year 3 have now learned the following times tables: x2, x4, x8, x3, x6, x12, x5, x10 so we are going to spend this half term revising these and getting really quick at answering multiplication and division questions for all of them. Please practise these at home with your children for five minutes a day.

READING: Please hear your child read for 10-15minutes each day.

PE:

PE is on Tuesdays and Thursdays - please ensure your child has a named, school PE kit and brings it to school on these days. We are going to continue to start each day with some yoga like stretching so please ensure that if you child is wearing a skirt/dress, that they have a pair of shorts beneath.

RSE:

This term, we will be learning about Sex and Relationships Education (SRE). Over the coming weeks, we will be covering the following topics. If you would like any further information about these lessons, or if you would prefer your child not to participate, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Please see an overview of the lessons below:

Lesson 1: Body Differences

To understand that all bodies are unique and to recognise some of the differences between male and female bodies.

Lesson 2: Personal Space and Consent

To understand personal space and body boundaries, and to know what to do if someone makes us feel uncomfortable.

Lesson 3: Families and People Who Help Us

To understand that families can be different and to know who we can talk to if we feel upset, worried, or unsafe.

Lesson 4: Staying Safe Online and Getting Help

To understand how to stay safe online and what to do if someone makes us feel uncomfortable or unsafe through a message, photo, or video.

Staying safe in the sun:

Please ensure that your child brings a named water bottle to school each day especially during the hot weather. If your child needs sun cream, please apply sun cream to your child in the morning and then send some in for top ups. Please ensure that your child knows how to apply the sun cream themselves and that the container is clearly named.

What to bring in Year 3:

Please **do not** bring personal belongings such as pencil cases, money or toys as these items are often lost or broken at school.

Monday	Guided Reading	Reading book, reading journal. Water bottle, hat.
Tuesday	Guided Reading PE	Reading book, reading journal. Water bottle, hat. School PE kit.
Wednesday	Guided Reading	Reading book, reading journal. Water bottle, hat.
Thursday	Guided Reading PE	Reading book, reading journal. School PE kit. Water bottle, hat.
Friday	Guided Reading	Reading book, reading journal. Water bottle, hat.

Dates for your Diaries:

Friday 3rd July: Sports Day

Saturday 20th June: Summer Fair

Tuesday 24th June: You Be you workshop, 9:00-3:30pm but be in school around 4:00pm

Friday 17th July: Final day of term

Monday 20th July: INSET Day

All of the best,

The Year 3 Team