

Year 3 Spring Information

Happy New Year !

Homework

- The task for each week will be continue to be outlined in front of homework book so you can see what is coming up and plan accordingly (eg trip to library). More detailed instructions will be given as the homework is set.
- Homework will be **set on Monday** and will need to be **returned on Friday** but sometimes longer activities are given more time and these will be indicated on the sheet.
- **Please sign the sheet** when your child has finished their homework and indicated how much support was given, if any.
- On occasion children may be given additional homework to supplement their learning needs or other things that may be going on in school.
- Spellings are set on **Monday** and tested on **Friday**.
- Mathematics will be set twice a week, once on a Monday and once on a Friday.

Please see me if you wish to discuss any problems around completing the homework.

Reading

Throughout this term in Year 3 we would really like to do more reading at home.

Reading – children should be reading at least 4 times a week either by themselves or with an adult. This should be recorded in their Reading Journal which comes to school **every day**. When they have finished a book they will then need to complete a task in their Reading Journal based on the sheet stuck on the inside front cover.

There is a Reading Passport set by Mrs Weeks is an additional, optional reading homework activity.

Procedures for seeing teachers

All meetings with teachers must come via the office. Miss Atkinson is available before and after school for 'a quick word.' Just come to the office and ask them to find her. If your concern requires more time please make an appointment via the office.

Parent Readers.

The available slots are every morning between 9.00 - 9.25

Please sign up for listening to readers at the end of the class briefing – if you ever find throughout the term that you have time to come in during these sessions and hear the children read please just let Miss Atkinson know.

Topics:

These are the topics that we are going to be covering this term.

1. **Humanities**- Ancient Greece
2. **Science**- Rocks, Soils and Fossils.
3. **Art**- Clay
4. **Science**- Forces and Magnets

Things to Collect:

- Plastic bottle/milk lids. As many as possible please!
- Please bring in washed yoghurt pots for painting.