



Year 3/4 Autumn Term



Welcome to the Autumn term in Y3/4. We are very glad to welcome children back after a well-earned rest and we are looking forward to another fantastic year. This term, year 4 will be delving into the fascinating history of the Ancient Egyptians and Year 3 will be starting their new topic 'One Hull of a City'.

Key Dates:

Sunday 27th September – Kevin Sinfield running past Costello stadium
Wednesday 30th September – Meet Your Child's Teacher
Friday 2nd October – School Cross Country (children to come in PE kit)
Monday 12th October – Parents Evening
Tuesday 13th October – Parents Evening
Wednesday 14th October – Y4 Egyptian Wow day
Thursday 15th October – Individual and Sibling School Photos
Wednesday 21st October – Halloween disco
Friday 23rd October – School closes for half term
Monday 2nd November – Children return to school
Wednesday 4th November – Y3 Trip to Maritime Museum
Friday 13th November – Children in Need
Wednesday 25th November – White Ribbon Day
Tuesday 1st December – Christmas Fair & Christmas 'Bake Off'
Friday 11th December – Christmas Jumper Day
Friday 18th December – School Closes

General

- PE day is on a Monday. Your child must come to school wearing the correct PE kit: trainers, white t-shirt, black shorts and a CPPS PE hoody or plain black/navy hoodie.
- One pair of single stud earrings is permitted. These must be **removed** on PE days.
- Children can wear a watch or pedometer (Fitbit etc) but smart watches are not to be worn.
- Please ensure that your child's name is written on all pieces of uniform.

Egyptian Wow Day – 14th October

This half term, Y4 are having a WOW day where children can come to school dressed as an Egyptian (Y4). There are lots of great dress-up ideas online so please do not feel obliged to buy your child a special outfit.



Home Reading



All children in years 3 and 4 must bring their reading book and record to school every Friday. This will allow teachers to keep track of books and ensure they are not lost. Even if your child has not finished their book, we would still like them to bring this in so we can track their reading progress.

The three Bs

'Book, bottle & bag': please encourage your child to remember the three Bs in a morning to ensure they are ready for the day's learning!



Autumn Term Trips

This term Y3 will go on a trip to the newly refurbished Maritime Museum where they will take part in a workshop about the whaling industry in Hull.

(We also hope to take Y4 this year)



Times Tables

Did you know that by the end of year 4, children should know all of their times tables?

A rapid recall of multiplication facts up to 12x12 is an essential skill for children in Y3/4.

Please encourage your child to use 'TTRockstars' several times a week to master their tables before their official Multiplication Check at the end of Y4.



Meet Your Child's Teacher

On the 30th September, we are inviting parents in during the afternoon to meet their child's new teacher.

We will also be sharing lots of tips and strategies for times tables, as well as how your child can log in to Times Tables Rockstars to practise at home.



A letter with timings will be sent out soon.

Links to Trawling Heritage

Does your family have any links to Hull's trawling history? If so, please let us know!

Sharing stories and links to Hull's rich maritime history can add real value to Y3's topic and we would love to hear about how your family played its part. Please speak to your child's teacher if you have something to share.



Support Sir Kev!



This month, Kevin Sinfield will be starting his '7 in 7' ultra-marathon challenge, raising money for MND awareness and charities.

On Sunday 27th September, Kevin will be running through Hull and passing Costello stadium. If you would like to show your support and cheer Kev on, he will be passing by Costello between 10-11am. More accurate updates can be found on the day.

Donations can be made through www.kevinsinfield.com

Welcome Miss Dale!

This year we're excited to welcome Miss Dale to the Y3/4 team. Miss Dale brings a wealth of KS1 experience which will be invaluable as children move from year 2 to year 3!



Being safe online: With increasing use of digital devices, online safety is something we constantly remind children of in school. For any guidance on e-safety at home, a great starting point is

www.thinkuknow.co.uk

