

We are Year 3



I cannot believe we are already in the summer term. This year is going very fast! The children in Year 3 have settled back seamlessly after the Easter Break; we can't wait to make even more memories during our last term of Year 3.

We have high expectations for all of the children in Year 3, and not only do we wish for them to be responsible learners but also responsible for their belongings. Please make sure all uniform is labelled clearly. We expect the children to be willing to learn and grow as individuals and be the very best they can be by respecting and growing in the Catholic ethos of our school. We ask that children will take every opportunity given to them to develop to reach their full potential and achieve their goals. All we ever ask in Year 3 is that everyone tries their best!

Reading: Reading is the most valuable homework that your child could ever do and in Year 3 it is expected that they read for about 15 minutes each day outside of school. Please actively encourage your child to read for pleasure. They have a home reading record, which should be completed daily, detailing what they are reading and with whom. I ask for your support in encouraging and monitoring your child's reading. This should be brought into school every day, even if your child has not finished their book.

Spelling: Every Friday, Year 3 will be tested on their spellings. This test will consist of 5 words from the Y3/4 statutory word list (set the Friday before) and 5 words that are chosen in relation to testing the spelling rule that we have been focusing on in lessons that week.

Timetables : Please make sure your child is practising their timetables regularly; it is such an important part of their subject knowledge in maths. All children have a login to Timetable Rockstars which is a fun and engaging way to consolidate and extend their timetable knowledge.

SPaG.com: Homework will be set fortnightly on SPaG.com. SPaG.com allows the children to consolidate and revise their learning. This should be completed independently, as it will be used as a tool to assess understanding.

Spring Curriculum

English	The text types we will be focusing on this term are narrative writing and different recount writing.
Maths	In maths, we are using many concrete resources to develop our mathematical understanding. We will be focusing on different measurements, money and interpreting and presenting data.
RE	This terms values and virtues are Grateful and Generous . In our RE lessons, we will preparing for our Holy Communion and exploring the eucharist is a thanksgiving to God.
Science	Plants and Animals
PE	Please make sure PE kits are in school on Mondays and Wednesdays.
History	Ancient Egypt
Art	Hieroglyphics
Geography	Africa

We are extremely excited about the rest of the year and look forward to continuing to help your child develop academically, socially, emotionally and spiritually.

Should you have any questions, comments or concerns that you would like to raise with me, please feel welcome to email: Madison.hayden@allsoulsschool.co.uk

Many thanks,

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