

Lent Term Newsletter

Dear Parents,

I hope you all had a wonderful break and feel suitably rested ready for the term ahead! Having made such a brilliant start to Year 3, I can't wait to see what the Lent term brings for the children. As always, if you have any questions, concerns, words of joy or just want a chat you know where I am! Just come over in the playground after school or send me a message on dojo.

With all best wishes for the term ahead

Miss Cattermole

Reading

Please encourage and support your child to read at home. Reading is so important, it supports the children's creativity, language development, empathy, concentration, social skills and of course parent and child bonding. Please note any reading done at home in the children's organisers — the children can complete this themselves!

<u>Maths</u>

We will continue our work on Multiplication and Division before exploring Length and Perimeter. After half term we will explore Fractions, Mass and Capacity.

Important Information

- Hair must be tied back.
- Children must wear a school tie with a white shirt or polo shirt.
- Socks and tights should be plain white or grey.
- Shoes must be black leather or leather type, no boots or trainers.
- Plain stud earrings only but these must be removed or covered with tape in PE.
- Please, please, please name all uniform.
- PE is on a Monday and Wednesday, please ensure the children have the correct kit including a jumper for outdoor PE.
- Children need a water bottle every day.
- Children must have their reading book and organiser in school every day.

Topic

History — Ancient Greece: We will take a look at life in Ancient Greece including Alexander the Great, the Athenians and Spartans, the Olympics, Greek gods and goddesses and the Trojan War.

Science – Light: We will explore light and dark and find out how shadows are formed.

After half term we will explore:

- Geography Volcanoes
- Science Animals including Humans
- Art Ancient Scrolls

<u>RE</u>

Our first RE focus is 'Galilee to Jerusalem'. We will retell the visit of the Magi, think about the Kingdom of God and explore some different parables.

After half term we will move on to 'Desert to Garden'.