



Half Termly News Year 3

Year group 3	Term - Autumn 1	School Value - Empathy
Year 3 News	Reminders	School Diary
We would like to welcome you to Year 3. We are excited for a fun filled year with lots of different learning opportunities taking place! Please name everything. School Clubs Letter t...	Reading books and diaries Homework to be completed and handed in by Thursday PE kit (white t-shirt, black shorts/joggers and trainers/plimsolls) is needed on Gavin Class- Tuesday and Friday Dahl Class- Thursday and Friday	2/9/26 - Children return 7-11/9/26 - Author and British Values week 22/9/26 - School tour 9.30 28/9/26 - School photos 1/10/26 - Poetry Day 5-9/10/26 - Harvest Week 9/10/26 - Global Friday 2/10/26 - Books and Biscuits 16/10/26 - School tour 9.30 16/10/26 - School Disco Y1-6 21-22/10/26 - Parent Consultations 23/10/26 - Non-uniform and break up at 3.15pm for half term
Trips and events	Rewards used	Homework and projects
Please edit this list for your year group 9/9/26 - Y3 Meeting with new parents 21/10/26 Celtic Harmony Trip	House points/Dojos Headteacher awards Stickers Star of the Week award Attendance awards Reading and Spelling Certificates Times Table Rockstars Certificates	Challenge task - Times Tables! How fast can you get at TT Rock Stars?
Subject	Key Learning and vocabulary	
Reading Writing	Daily whole class reading lessons on a variety of different texts - fiction and non-fiction. VIPERS- Vocabulary, inference, prediction, explanation, retrieval and summarise. Text: Star in the Jar Key Skills: - Noun prefixes (anti-, super-, auto-) - Word families based on common words, showing how words are related in form and meaning - Expressing time, place and cause using conjunctions	



	• Prepositions • Introduction to inverted commas
Maths	Place value - numbers to 1000 Addition and Subtraction of 3 digit numbers (mental skills and written calculations)
Science	Rocks- Key vocabulary metamorphic, igneous, sedimentary, fossil Scientist: Mary Anning
Computing	Sending Emails
Geography	The UK Use the 8 compass directions to find a location on a map; name the seas that some rivers flow into; find the names of rivers on a map; name counties local to their area; use a legend to find areas of higher ground on a map; explain why London has changed since AD 43
History	Stone Age to Iron Age
Art	Gestural Drawings with Charcoal Focus: Drawing and sketchbooks
DT	Food - healthy and varied diet Project- Healthy dip
French	To locate France, Paris and a few key cities on a map. Say our name, how we are feeling, learn up to 10 colours and count from 1-10 in French.
PE	Tag Rugby and Hockey
Music	Writing Music Down - Recognising a time signature and using this to begin grouping notes together in bars. Recognising and responding to standard written notation.
RE	Christianity What is it like for someone to follow God, looking at the Bible and exploring different ceremonies?
PSHE	Keeping/staying safe Staying safe Leaning out of windows



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Enrichment tasks	Times Tables! How fast can you get at TT Rock Stars?
Other Messages	Link to the class information and long term plans https://www.leys.herts.sch.uk/ki-classes-leys.html