

Welcome To Year Three



Curriculum



English



Where possible, English lessons are linked to our topics. We also incorporate SPAG into our lessons, where appropriate.


Children will be expected to continue to use their cursive handwriting in all their work to increase fluency and control.

There will be a big focus on spelling and we are now introducing a Super Speller of the week.

We cover a range of genres, including:

- Diary entries
- Instructions
- Reports
- Twisted traditional tales
- Poetry
- Letters
- Play scripts



READING
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Reading

& Over the period of two weeks, children will have two guided reading sessions and will be read with on a one to one basis at least once.

& As a year group we focus on fluency, expression, reading and understanding punctuation and comprehension.





Maths

We will be covering a range of units;
for example;

- Number and Place Value
- Addition and Subtraction
- Multiplication and Division
- Fractions
- Geometry (Shape)
- Statistics (Data Handling)
- Times tables. 3' s, 4' s and 6's.
- Measure



Visits

**Autumn – Macclesfield Forest – linked to our
Science topic of rocks and soils**

Spring – Gladstone Pottery Museum

Summer – To be confirmed

Homework

We are continuing to use a range of homework activities this term, you will need to choose at least 3 of these and continue with weekly spelling, reading and times table practice (3s, 4s, 8s).

Spellings will be sent out weekly (5 common exception words, 5 taught spelling rule) These will be sent out on Friday and tested the following Friday

Intervention

- There may be a variety of reasons that your child may have an intervention, so please don't worry. This may include confidence building, to extend their learning or to support their understanding.
- If your child is completing a regular Intervention, you will receive a letter to explain.

Forest Schools

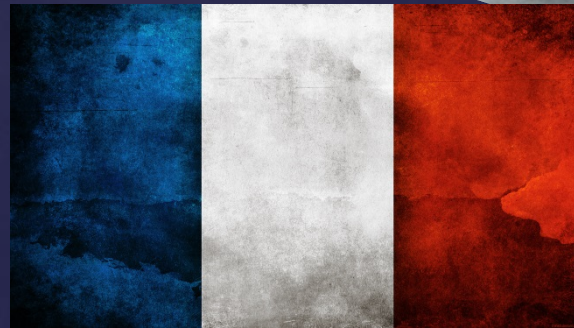
- Forest Schools is beginning this week.
- The topic for these sessions is linked to our topic of the Stone Age.

Parent Engagement .

- Miss Falato and Miss Price from Monday 9th October for 4 weeks with a parent engagement for each class (Miss Falato – 7th October and Miss Price 14th October)
- Children benefit from working in a team and it improves their communication and confidence. It also helps with their problem solving skills.
- Led by special forest school leader Mr Fox

Year 3 extras

- As your child is part of our KS2, they will engage with a variety of new experiences.
- Ukulele
- Violins
- Young Voices
- Inspire Dance
- French



School Website

- Topic maps
- Policies
- E-safety
- Trust newsletter
- Federation Update
- Homework menus



<http://kingsfield.staffs.sch.uk/>

- ⌘ Swimming starts after October half term on 4th November and is every Friday 10 weeks
- ⌘ Your child needs to have their PE kit in school every day.
- ⌘ Juice money – collected in on Friday £1 per week.
- ⌘ Home School Links Books to come into school every day.
- ⌘ Please write in your child's blue book when you have listened to them read.
- ⌘ If your child has had a bump at home, please let us know.
- ⌘ If you think your child may be eligible for free school meals, please talk to a member of year 3 staff or the office.
- ⌘ Please supply your child with a piece of fruit or healthy snack for playtime.

Get involved...

-We always need help in school. Hearing children read, photocopying, laminating, cutting out, going on visits and supporting at swimming. Please speak to your class teacher or the office.

-PTFA – If you want to get involved please let us know or come along to our AGM which is scheduled for 25th September.

And finally if you have any question please speak to a member of staff from your child's class 😊