

How can I support my child?

Class 3 have been doing really well with their reading so please do continue to encourage your child to read everyday. Their reading records are checked every morning. Please also support them in learning their weekly spellings and practising their times tables in preparation for their tests each Friday.

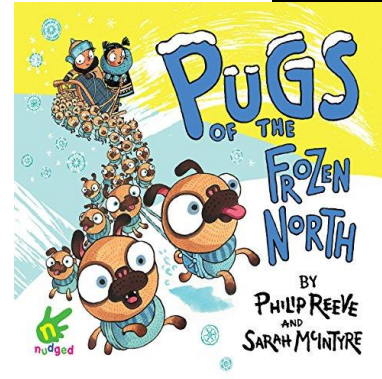
Please ensure that your child has excellent attendance and that they arrive to school on time every day. Children's uniform should be named to ensure that we can find it if it has been misplaced.

Finally, please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any concerns or questions. I am available in the playground from 8.55 am or after school once the students have been dismissed. Alternatively, please do contact the office to arrange an appointment to see me.

Best wishes,
Miss Evans



Class 3 Newsletter



Autumn Term 2 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,
I hope you have had a lovely and restful half term break! I am looking forward to welcoming the children back, recharged and ready for an exciting term ahead.

Literacy: In Literacy, we will be looking at our new book: Pugs of the Frozen North by Philip Reeve and Sarah McIntyre. We will first be writing to inform in the form of a diary entry and then will move onto writing to persuade and to entertain.

Maths: In Maths, we will continue to focus on addition and subtraction before moving onto multiplication and division. Each week we will continue to practise our times tables.

Science: Our science topic this term is "We are Astronauts!". We will look at space and pay homage to Katherine Johnson whilst planning different types of enquiries to answer questions. We will look at recognising and controlling variables where necessary.

RE: In Religious Education, we will be studying Advent and the Epiphany. We will continue to ask big questions and challenge ourselves to find links with other religions.

Geography: We will be looking into the main physical characteristics of Greece and how they have influenced the country's modern day society.

DT: We will be identifying and learning about the key features of a castle before designing and making our own castles out of recycled materials.

Music: This half term Class 3 will be developing their ability to play and then perform simple rhythmic patterns from rhythmic notations.

PE: PE will take place on Thursday afternoons. They will start to develop their throwing and catching skills. Further to Miss Anson's letter, children will now come to school wearing their PE kit on days when they have PE. Year 3 can therefore come to school in their PE kit on Mondays and Thursdays. We will also continue to attend swimming lessons every Monday afternoon.

Spanish: Spanish continues to build on the foundations of the language with a focus on the seasons.

PSHE: In PSHE, we will be looking at a variety of topics including friendships, managing emotions, bullying and online safety.

Computing: Computing will comprise of online safety, coding and spreadsheets.

Homework: Students are expected to read nightly. They should also practise their times tables on Times Tables Rock Stars, focussing on the 2, 3, 4, 5, 8 and 10s. We also continue with Genius homework.

Class timetable:

Class 3					
Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
9:00 - 9:10	Registration	Registration	Registration	Registration	Registration
	Grammar Task	Grammar Task	Grammar Task	Grammar Task	Grammar Task
9:10-9:30	Assembly - whole school	Assembly - whole school	Collective Worship in classrooms	Family Assembly - whole school	Release Assembly - whole school
9:30-10:00	Guided reading	Guided reading	Guided reading	Guided reading	Guided reading
10:00-11:00	Maths	Maths	Maths	Maths	Maths
11:00-11:15	BREAK				
11:15-12:15	Literacy	Literacy	Literacy	Literacy	Literacy
12:15-12:30	Story Time	Story Time	Story Time	Story Time	Story Time
12:30-1:30	LUNCH				
1:30-2:30	12:15 - 1:00 for Swimming (Leave 1:00) 1:30-2:00 Swimming 2:00-2:45 - getting changed and walking back	RE 1:30-3:00	Daily Mile Science	Daily Mile PE	Daily Mile History or Geography
2:30-3:30	Art or DT	Art or DT	Science	MFL PSHE	Computing