



Year 3 Autumn 1 Newsletter

Welcome to the start of a brand new and exciting year in Key Stage 2!

The following learning is planned this term:

Maths: The children will be working on place value, addition/subtraction this half term. They will also develop basic skills weekly and will be learning the 3x and 4x tables. All the children have a log in for Times Tables Rock Stars which is a really fun way to learn their times tables.

Literacy: Children will be learning basic grammar in their writing, enjoy a poetry week and write a Postcard recount - 'Katie in London'

Science: Sources of Light, reflections and shadows. Our **Geography topic is:** London Landmarks; human features/physical features.

PE: Every **MONDAY:** gymnastics. No jewellery or watches will be allowed to be worn during PE and long hair must be tied back. Please come to school in your PE kit every **Monday.**

Homework: Spellings homework will be sent out every Friday. This homework is compulsory and needs to be brought back in to school please by the following Friday. The homework booklet is optional and will help your child learn more about their topics. **All children will take part in Whole Class Reading sessions (individual reading will also take place in school).** Each child is being provided with a special reading diary. We'd really appreciate your help with completing the diaries – reading at least 4x weekly please. You will also find spelling words and helpful hints about reading at home.

If you have any concerns or worries please do not hesitate to contact us via class dojo or arrange to see one of us after school.

The Year 3 Team

Mrs Wardle, Mrs Bebbington, Mrs Bradbury, Miss Sajid