



Year 3 Newsletter Term 5

April/May 2025



Dear All,

Welcome back! I hope everyone is well and enjoyed a lovely Easter holiday. This newsletter provides information for you for this term and gives you information about what your child will be learning in the next term in Year Three. If you have any questions about this newsletter or anything else, and you can't see me personally please feel free to message me on Class Dojo or email me.

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Topic This term our topic, which will run for the next two terms is called 'Emperors and Empires'. It will be a history-based topic. This project teaches children about the history and structure of ancient Rome and the Roman Empire, including a detailed exploration of the Romanisation of Britain. I am also hoping to book a trip to support this curriculum area. This topic will cover many other areas of the curriculum, it has mini topics which run alongside it.

These include art and design topics based botanical art. The children will create natural weavings, two-colour prints and beautiful and detailed botanical paintings of fruit. In science this term the children will learn about children about light and dark. They investigate the phenomena of reflections and shadows, looking for patterns in collected data. The risks associated with the Sun are also explored. Also, in science the children will learn about the requirements of plants for growth and survival. They will describe the parts of flowering plants and relate structure to function, including the roots and stem for transporting water, leaves for making food and the flower for

Homework –This continues to be in the same format, set on a Friday, handed back in the following Friday.

Class Dojo – I will continue to use this platform to keep in regular contact and share the things we're getting up to in Year 3.

Daily Mile!

We will be doing the Daily Mile every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 8:50am.

PE – days for PE this term will continue to be Monday and Wednesday. **Earrings need to be removed please as we are unable to cover them.**

Whitehall

As I'm sure you're aware we are heading to Whitehall for two day trips this next term. They are on Friday the 23rd of May and Friday the 6th of June. The trips promise to be full of activity and excitement. More information to follow.

Forest Schools

Our forest schools' sessions will continue on Fridays until half term (starting next week – 2nd May). Please make sure your child has the appropriate clothing and footwear.

Water Bottles - Please make sure that your child has a water bottle in school. These can be purchased from the school office for £1.50. The children really benefit from regular water and sharing cups is obviously not an option. Please ensure that the class water bottle contains only water, no juice please.

