

Mr Dearing - Year 3 Newsletter Autumn Term 2019



English



Welcome to Year 3.

For the first two weeks, Year 3 will be learning about the voyage of 'The Mayflower'. There will be many exciting activities including related trips and related writing opportunities. Moving on, the next Year 3 topic is The Romans. We will be learning about the expansion of the Roman Empire and the Roman invasion of Britain; there will be many varied writing opportunities within this topic.



Maths



There will be an emphasis on the 4 operations — addition, subtraction, multiplication and division. Additionally, telling the time and work on shapes feature throughout the term.

Please practise telling the time with your child on an analogue clock (with hands). Also, please practise the 2, 3, 4, 5 and 10 times tables with your child.

Science

In Science the class will be studying light related to the topics shadows and mirrors. This work will be a combination of written work and investigations.

Computing

ICT will be focused on the important topic of internet safety. We will be covering how to stay safe whilst online and the importance of reporting issues.



Homework

Spellings will be set on Mondays and tested on Fridays. A Maths or English task will be set on Fridays to be handed in on Mondays. Reading records will be checked daily and it is important to encourage your child to read every day.

PE is on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Please make sure your child has their full PE kit in school. This needs to be brought into school in a bag which can hang on the child's coat peg. Please ask your child to leave it in school until half term to help avoid forgotten kits.