



## Welcome to year 3!

Welcome back to the **Spring Term!** We hope you enjoyed a restorative break and are ready for the months ahead. It has been wonderful watching the children settle into Lower Key Stage 2, and we are eager to build on that success with a curriculum packed with more engaging lessons and enriching activities

### Attendance Challenge

In **Year 3**, we expect **100% attendance from each child**. The **attendance is checked** daily, classes that have 100% attendance each day will be rewarded with a star that represent 5 minutes of free time that they can spend as a class. The **winning class** each week will receive a **certificate** and a **non-uniform day at school - just for that class!** Please also be reminded that children are expected to be in class by 8:45am, registers closes at 9:05am. Any arrivals after 9:05am will be marked as late.

### English:

Diary Entries  
Persuasive Letter

### Maths:

Money, partitioning pounds and pence  
Multiplication & division  
Fractions  
Length and Perimeter

A list of useful websites to help with revision at home:

<https://trockstars.com/login>

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button>

### Creative Curriculum:

History: The Romans


Science: Plants

RE: Special Books

ART: Roman Mosaic

PSHE: Dreams and Goals

PE: Gymnastics



## Year 3 team

**Team leader:** Ms Johnson

### **Teachers:**

Mrs Haban and Ms Din

Mrs Appiah-Kubi

Miss Davies

Miss Austin and Mrs Johnson

### **HLTA:**

Mrs Dutt and Mrs Sidhu

## Reading and Homework

### Reading:

We kindly ask that you prioritize **15 minutes of reading** with your child each evening, as this consistent practice is foundational to their academic success. To further support their development, please engage them in discussions about the text; asking targeted questions is an excellent way to ensure they are **fully comprehending** the themes and details of their reading.

### Homework:

English and Maths homework will be given out every Thursday and must be returned by Tuesday.

### Uniform

All students are expected to adhere to the school's **uniform policy** to maintain a high standard of dress. To assist us in returning any misplaced belongings, please ensure that **every item is clearly labelled** with your child's full name. For comprehensive ordering information and guidance, please refer to the **WEPA website**.



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### **Tips!**

#### **Reading**

How many books have you read? What genre of book do you like to read? Have you read many collections of books e.g. The Famous Five or The Secret Seven? Remember to read a range of books, from a variety of genres such as mystery, poetry and non-fiction.

#### **Maths**

Do you know all of your times tables? Try and test yourself – see how many times tables you can recall in 1 minute. The speedier you are at your tables – the easier lots of arithmetic questions are in your assessments. This year we will focus on 3, 4 and 8 times tables.

#### **Writing**

This year, our young writers will embark on an exciting journey to enhance their craft. They will learn to weave together simple and complex sentences while discovering how figurative language can bring their descriptions to life. We are also prioritising the development of fluent, joined handwriting and the use of ambitious 'wow' words to truly engage their audience. To foster a love for writing at home, your child might enjoy keeping a diary of their ideas or even testing their persuasive skills by writing a letter to you!