



Year 3 Newsletter 2019

Summer 2

This half term.....



Topic: Our topic this half term is Heroes and Villains. The children will have fun creating a logo for their superhero character.

English: The children will be designing their own superhero and writing a character profile. We will also be writing a short story and focussing on including speech into our writing.

Maths: The children will be looking at fractions, reading and interpreting bar graphs and finally consolidating all strands of Maths taught this year.

Science: The children will be exploring the lifecycle of a plant and investigating light and shadows.

Dates

- Monday 3rd June
– back to school
- Tuesday 2nd July
– Summer fair (3:30pm start)
- WC Monday 8th July
– reports out to parents
- Monday 8th – Friday 12th July
– Sports week
- Tuesday 9th July
– Sponsored sports event (1:30pm start)
- Thursday 11th July
– Sports day (1:30pm start)
- Wednesday 17th July
– Open afternoon (from 1:30pm)
- Friday 19th July
– break up for summer holiday
- Monday 22nd / Tuesday 23rd July
– PD DAYS
- Tuesday 3rd September
– Back to school

Useful reminders

Homework

We will give children homework every **Thursday** and they need to return it by **Tuesday**. There is also a choice of Project Homework. If your child has a sibling in school and they contribute to their homework this is counted as one piece.

Reading at home

Children are expected to read at home at least 4 times per week. Please sign your child's record / planner each time your child reads at home. Children will receive a free book of their choice when they reach termly milestones! Children are expected to reach 150 reads by Summer.

Packed lunches

Packed lunches should be well balanced with a mixture of savoury and sweet. Packets of sweets or fizzy drinks should not be included as part of a packed lunch. As we have a number of children with peanut allergies no packed lunches should contain nuts, peanut butter sandwiches or Nutella sandwiches.

Bikes and scooters

For health and safety reasons while inside the school site please can children push scooters and bikes.

School uniform

Please ensure your child wears: black school shoes; white polo shirt; royal blue jumper or cardigan; black/grey school trouser/shirt/pinafore; hair accessories – school colours; no nail varnish or make-up.

Star of the Week

A reminder that your child can only be eligible for Star of the Week if they read 4 times in a week at home, follow the golden rules, wear correct uniform, have full attendance for the week and have no late marks.

Other information

- Y3 P.E – Thursday afternoon
- KS2 singing – Tuesday afternoon
- **Reminder:** Please keep practising your 3, 4 and 8 times tables.