



Year 3 Homework Letter

22nd September 2017

It was wonderful to meet all of you at the Meet The Teacher meeting on Thursday, thank you for your ongoing support. We have had a fantastic week in Year 3!

English

This week in English we have continued with our book 'The Pied Piper of Hamelin'. The Mayor of Hamelin wrote a letter to the children asking for their advice regarding all the rats. In groups the children formed multi-clause sentences using sentence strips and conjunctions, and further forming paragraphs by adding an explanation. We responded to The Mayor's letter by writing our own letters explaining and stating several facts about whether or not he should be concerned. We have also designed an advertisement for a rat catcher.

Maths

This week in Maths we have been consolidating our Place Value knowledge; adding and subtracting 1, 10 and 100 from any given number, writing the numbers out in words (42 - Forty-two) and partitioning 3-digit numbers. Partitioning is when we expand the number to help us when adding two large numbers together. E.g: 263 becomes 200+60+3.

Ancient Egypt

The children really enjoyed learning about Mummification; especially mummifying each other and using a similar process as the Egyptians to mummify apples! We have also been learning to play 'Egyptian Dawn' on the recorder and the Boomwhackers.

Dates to remember:

*3.10.17 - Harvest Service (9.30am)
16.10.17 - 20.10.17 - Working Week
23.10.17 - 27.10.17 - Half term
28.11.17 - 30.11.17 - Parent's evening (3.30-6pm)
19.12.17 - Christmas Service (9.30am)
21.12.16 - Last day of term*

Homework

This week please complete the Say, Look, Cover, Write, Check spelling grids with the given spellings. The words this week have been taken from both the Year 2 and the Year 3 curriculum.

Please continue to practise times tables, we have already noticed a difference this week. Please have the children complete the Place Value worksheet stuck in the homework books - the children have been working on solving problems similar to this all week.

As part of their homework, we also expect the children to read every day and write about their reading in their Reading Records.



And finally...

If you have any quick questions or concerns please feel free to catch me in the playground at the end of the day. If you would like to speak me more privately, please let me know or contact the school office to arrange an appointment. Please do keep an eye on the school website which lists all the key dates for the Autumn term.

Miss Mitchell, Miss Wilkinson and Mrs Ross - The Year 3 Team