



Year 3 Homework Letter

10th September 2020



Welcome back! First of all I would just like to thank you so much for the wonderful gifts, they were greatly appreciated. Mrs Vaughey and Mrs Fowler also wish to pass on their thanks for the wonderful gifts they received.

English, Maths and Reading.

This week has been assessment week Children have been assessed in Reading, Writing and Maths. The purpose of this is to enable us to identify any gaps in your child's previous learning from Year 2. Knowing this allows us to address these promptly so your child can make the best possible start to Year 3.

I would like to say how proud I am of how hard the children have worked this week. They are a credit to you all. Each member of the class has tackled each special challenge with great enthusiasm and dedication.

Homework

This week's spellings will be set on PurpleMash.

There is no formal Maths homework set for this week but please practise your 2x, 5x and 10x times tables as much as possible at home. You can also log onto TimetablesRockstars to practice these. The passwords for this can be found on Google classrooms.

As part of our Geography learning, I would like the children to look at a map of the village or town that they live in. I would like them to plan a route for a walk around the village or town and take a note (In the form of a tally) of the technology that can be seen around them. This could be a wide variety of things such as the lights on the village shop, security cameras, sensor street lamps or electronic bus stop signs. If possible, could you please present your data in the form of a poster with pictures (drawn or photos) of the technology you have seen.

Reading

This year, we are encouraging the children to grow in independence and start taking responsibility for their own learning. As part of this, the children are now being asked to write in their own reading logs.

Please encourage your child to read every night as this is a fundamental skill in supporting them with using higher level language, understanding how to use the correct grammar and punctuation. Please do however to continue to sit and listen to them read, particularly focusing on their phonetical decoding skills with the trickier words they will now be facing. This is also a great opportunity for you to question them and challenge their understanding of what they have just read.

Dates to remember:

15th September - Meet the teacher meeting
7th October Harvest service at Christ church.
26th November - Inset Day
30th November - Andrew's day - Team to wear Blue
30th November - 3rd December - Parents' and carers Evenings
15th December - Christmas Lunch
18th December Christmas Service



And finally...

If you have any quick questions or concerns please feel free to catch me at the gate at the end of the day to arrange a time for a phone meeting. Please do keep an eye on the school website which lists all the key dates for the Autumn term.

We hope you all have a restful weekend.

Mr Bowen, Mrs Young and Mrs Boyle - The Year 3 Team!