

## Year 3 Newsletter: Summer 2

Dear Parent/Carer,

Welcome back to the Summer Term 2! We cannot believe that we are in the last few weeks of this school year. We all hope you had a lovely half term break and that your child enjoyed a well-earned rest - we have a busy and exciting term ahead of us! Thank you so much for your continued support this year, we appreciate it so much.

### Maths

At the start of this half term we will consolidate our learning on time from last half term. We will then move on to Geometry, where we will explore the properties of shape. Our learning will include; thinking about turns and angles, identifying right angles, comparing angles as well as exploring 2D and 3D shapes.

### English

In English this term we will be writing a recount linked to our trip to the Royal Armouries before moving on to another piece of non-fiction writing. Linked to our Science unit of work; we will write non-chronological reports with a focus on plants and gardens.

### DT

Our DT topic will link to our work in history. This term we will be making a 'Greek Banquet'. Please ensure we are updated on any changes to your child's dietary/ allergy requirements.



### PE/PSHE

In PE this term we will participate in Sports Day as well as learning a range of Greek dances, in a cross curricular link to our geography topic.

In PHSE, we will be learning about different careers as well as beginning to explore financial capability and wellbeing.

### History/RE

Our history topic is Ancient Greece. We will find out what life was like during this time, study some of the Greek Gods and reflect on events which originated in Ancient Greece, that still happen today!

In RE we will look spend our time examining the fundamental values of the Sikh faith.



### Science

In science this half term we will be learning about plants. We will learn about the different parts of plants and their purposes as well as the things plants need to thrive. We are hoping to grow some plants of our own too!

### 'Our' Place in 'Our' World.

Through our history topic we will explore the things that we are thankful for in the modern day which came from the Ancient Greeks.

### Aspiring Entrepreneurs

In PE we will reflect and improve on our performances when training for Sports Day.

### Healthy and Happy Living

Our PSHE lessons will allow us to remember the importance of having high aspirations and understanding the importance of financial wellbeing

### Inquisitive Investigators

In maths we will be investigating angles and lines of symmetry- once we know what to look out for we will be able to spot them everywhere!

### Important information & Dates to remember:

- 3JM will have their PE sessions on a **Monday**. 3FS and 3GM will have their PE sessions on **Wednesday**. Please send your child to school in their PE kit.
- Please send your child to school with their reading book every day.
- Please continue to log any books you share at home on our Boom Reader system.
- Please encourage your child to practise their times tables on Times Table Rock stars.
- 25<sup>th</sup> June/ 26<sup>th</sup> June- Year 3 trip to Royal Armouries
- 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> July – Transition mornings (more information to follow)
- 11<sup>th</sup> July – End of Year reports sent home
- 18<sup>th</sup> July- Last day of term

Please see your child's teacher if you have any questions.

Year 3 Team (Mr Marchant, Mrs Swain, Mrs Fielding and Miss Morris)