

January 2026



# Curriculum Information

## Year 3

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back. We hope you've all had a great Christmas and we are extremely happy to see our Baines' pupils back in school. We have lots of exciting learning ready for your children this term

Our Curriculum subjects and areas of learning are as follows :

### English

Narrative based on text - Stone Age Boy

Discussion - stone age v. present day

Poetry - the stone wall

Narrative based on a theme - The Iron Man - diaries

### Maths

In Year 3, the children are expected to:

Recall multiplication and division facts for 2s, 5s, 10s and 4s and 8s this term. Addition and Subtraction of 3 digit numbers

Multiplication and division of 3, 4 and 8 times tables

**Science** - We will be continuing our work on the Human Body and muscles and the skeleton learning about Rocks, fossils and Soils and forces and magnets

**Humanities** - Stone Age Britain

After half term in Geography we will be learning about Biomes

**RE** - Called by God - modern day prophets, Jesus and how he changed the lives of other people followed by Easter

**Music** - Our unit is called Three Little Birds and we are learning to perform this Bob Marley Track as well as listening and appraising other pieces of music

**Computing** - We will be exploring coding

**DT** - Bread

**Art** - Charcoal and cave paintings

### Homework

Homework will be set online (Google Classroom) on Friday. This will be reading, spellings and a Maths activity which may be online using Power Maths or a worksheet. Homework should be returned to school/completed by the following Wednesday.

Spelling will be on a Friday. Spelling lists will be given out every term and kept at home to practise.

Additional homework may be provided throughout the school year, including research based projects.

### PE Days

Our designated PE days this half term are Tuesday and Wednesday. Please ensure that you have your PE kit in school, spacers are removed and long hair tied back on this day.

### Reading

In addition to any homework tasks you can also support your child by listening to them read as often as possible. Each pupil has a reading challenge sheet, in which they work towards earning reward badges. We expect the children to read at least three times a week at home.

### School Uniform

It is important that your child wears correct school uniform every day; this includes sensible black school shoes and their 'Always' badge.

Thank you for your continued support. Please do not hesitate to contact school if you have any queries or concerns.

**The Year 3 team** Mrs Brookes and miss Stewart