



# Year 3 Newsletter

## Autumn 2nd half term

I hope everyone had an enjoyable half term break and are ready and refreshed to start our new half term. This half term is a busy and exciting one as we continue to learn lots of new things and start to countdown to Christmas. I will teach the children and Mrs Philips will support the children each day. Mrs Sutcliffe will cover my non working day on Thursdays. We will have a specialist sports coach each Tuesday/Wednesday and a specialist music teacher from Tameside Music Service each Wednesday called Miss Hind.

### Dates

04.11.24—INSET Day  
07.11.24/08.11.24 —School art gallery  
11.11.24—Odd sock day (Anti-Bullying week)  
15.11.24—Children in Need. (£1 Non-uniform)  
05.12.24—Christmas Family Quiz  
12.12.24— Christmas jumper day. £1 for Save the Children  
12.12.24—Christmas Fair  
17.12.24—Christmas dinner day  
20.12.24—Church performance—Wear Christmas jumpers  
20.12.24—Finish for Christmas at 1:30pm

### Curriculum

In English we will be reading 'How to wash a woolly mammoth' and 'The Stone Age Boy'  
In Maths we will be working on addition and subtraction, place value, multiplication and division and fractions.  
In History we will be learning all about the ancient Britons.  
In Science we will be learning about magnets and forces.  
In RE we will be learning all about Jewish families and festivals.  
In DT we are looking at structures.  
In PSHE we will learn about relationships  
In Music we will be working to develop our skills with Miss Hind.  
In PE we will work on dodgeball and netball and develop the skills to be successful in the game.

### PE

PE is on a **Tuesday and Wednesday**  
Children need to come to school in their PE kit. Our Kit consists of black shorts/bottoms, white t-shirt, PE hoodie and black trainers. Also, please remember no earrings on PE days.



### Homework

Children will receive paper based Maths and spelling homework each week on a Monday and it is to be completed by the following Monday.



Children will have one week to complete it. Dojo points will be added for those children who complete this homework on time. A lunch time club will be available for children who wish to complete it there. Children still have their log ins for Sumdog and tt rockstars and reading plus if they wish to do extra learning.

### Reading

Children need to read their book **at least** 3 times throughout the week (Log reading on the Boom-Reader app. We will change books when they are returned. There is no set day.

### Communication

Please make sure that you are signed up to Class Dojo for class and whole school messages!



If you have an questions please don't hesitate to contact me through Class Dojo or come and see me at the door after school.

Respect

Challenge

Confidence

Curiosity