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Dear Parents,

Welcome to the final term of Year 3.

Mrs Laphorn, Mrs Smith and I have been busy planning Class 3 and 4's new quest for this term which is named 'Growing Together'. We will cover the same subjects as we have done throughout the year, as well as building upon all of the knowledge that children learnt while on their recent trip to the Roman Baths.

Homework remains unchanged, with Spellings due on Thursdays and Maths due on Wednesdays. This term, to ensure that children continue to consolidate concepts covered in class, children may at times receive a physical copy of Maths homework as an alternative to MyMaths. Children will be informed beforehand whether they are expected to complete it on paper or digitally. As many of you will know, the summer term is full of school events, therefore, should homework clash with any of these, due dates will be adjusted accordingly.

I encourage you to continue reading on four occasions with your child over the course of a week as part of our school expectation for KS2 children. I would like to say thank you for your support and understanding of the importance of reading with your child at this age where they continue to develop and master their skills within reading. Reading records and books will continue to be checked and changed on Tuesdays. You will be informed via ParentMail if this must be postponed due to extenuating circumstances and accommodations on expectations for that week will be taken into made.

Class 3 are fortunate to have two Forest School sessions this term:

- Wednesday 1st May
- Wednesday 3rd July

Please regularly check ParentMail and the Friday Flyer for further dates of school events expected in the summer term.

The staffing for Class 3 this term remains unchanged, with Miss Davy and I in class most of the week. Mrs Brierley will continue to teach on Wednesday afternoons with Miss Yeats supporting. Mr Lee and Mr Poole will teach PE on Tuesday afternoons, while Miss Storey will teach PE on Wednesday mornings.



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In regard to communication, should you have any questions pertinent to your child's learning please contact the class email address or I am happy to speak in person. Other enquiries should be directed to the school office to ensure your question can be dealt with appropriately. We also have our SEND email address available for any SEN enquiries. ParentMail will continue to be used to make you aware of important information relating to the whole class.

To celebrate children's quest learning and provide them with the opportunity to showcase the knowledge and skills they have developed this year, we are asking each child in Class 3 to partake in a small project over the course of this term. This project will be due by **Friday 28th June**, where children will be able to share their projects with the rest of the class. Please see below for details or contact the class email address with further questions.

Project Details:

A small project focusing on this term's quest learning. Please centre projects around the following topics: Plants (Science), The Romans (History) or Volcanoes & Earthquakes (Geography). Projects can be completed in any way of your child's choosing. For example, your child may wish to create a poster, made a model, create a digital presentation, make a video or create an art portfolio. This project is designed to be a fun and small demonstrate of their quest learning. Following the above deadline, children will have the opportunity to look at and discuss each other's projects. There is no expectation in regard to time spent on the project or how it is presented. Should your child wish to present their project to the whole class, they will be able to, however this is not an expectation.

Thank you to so many of you for your continued support and kindness, it has been wonderful to teach this cohort, seeing their growth in maturity, resilience and friendships as well as their excellent academic progress. I look forward to an enjoyable summer term with you and all of the class.

Best wishes,

Miss Downer



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