

Compassion Trust Wisdom Fellowship Friendship Peace

This week in Year 3

Monday 14th October 2024

English: This week we will look at compound sentences and then begin a new unit on legends. We will start our work on legends by reading some short stories to identify the features.

Maths: In our place value unit, we will find 1, 10 or 100 more or less than a 3-digit number. We will then learn about placing 3-digit numbers on a 0-1000 number line.

Later in the week, we will be continuing to calculate the perimeter of different 2D shapes.

Spellings:

In the test on **Wednesday 16th October** most children will be tested on words with the /ei/ sound spelt ey: hey, they, obey, grey, prey, whey, survey, convey, disobey <u>plus</u> the word October. Some children will be tested on a shorter easier list of words.

<u>New spellings</u> will be sent out after the test. For most children these will be words from the National Curriculum list for Y3/4 children: often, arrive, height, group, appear, women, describe, believe, breath, continue. The new spellings will be tested on **Wednesday 16th October**.

Homework:

Homework given out on Friday comprised writing some instructions in English along with a maths sheet. The homework should be handed in on **Wednesday 16th October.** If, due to exceptional circumstances, it is likely to be late, please let us know as soon as possible. Ten minutes reading and 5-10minutes times tables and number bond practice should also form part of your child's daily routine.

Other Matters:

- A big thank you if you either donated foods, came to our Harvest celebration or did both. The children enjoyed their themed week and, I am sure those who attended will agree, performed their song very well in the Church.
- We will be designing our pneumatic rainforest animals this week and will make them next week.
 Children usually make their animals with a partner and then we display them in school. Because the work is shared work with children using school equipment, we do not take the finished models home. We do, however, celebrate our designs and every child has a photo of their model as a keepsake.
- Well done to all our Year 3 children for their enthusiasm and participation in the Benchball tournament last Thursday. It was a long day with all the walking that day but the children had a great time competing and represented TSS exceptionally. We are very proud of their effort. Photos will be uploaded to the website soon.
- There will be NO PBONES this Friday (18th Oct). The missed lesson will be added on to the end of term.