



Compassion

Trust

Wisdom

Fellowship

Friendship

Peace

This week in Year 3

Monday 16th March 2026

English:

In English, we will continue to learn about non-chronological reports and explore the different language styles they use.

Maths:

In Maths, we will be ordering and comparing fractions as a unit fraction (1 as the numerator) and as a non-unit fraction (any number as the numerator).

Homework:

We have updated our homework policy and continue to focus on reading and multiplication tables.

READING: We are asking that at least ten minutes every day (5 times at least) is spent reading your child's **school colour band book** which then needs to be written in and signed by a parent in their reading diary. The children will read a leisure book (from the library) in school but must have their reading book and diary in school every day. The children are allowed to change their own reading book when needed, however it must have been **read at home and signed by an adult**. They are welcome to read their own books at home but must read their schoolbook in addition as golden points will be rewarded for schoolbooks only. You do not need to record any other reading in their diary except their schoolbook.

MATHS: 5-10 minutes times tables and number bond practice using TTrockstars and Numbots every day (3 times at least).

SPELLING: These will continue as usual and will be sent home on Mondays and tested the following Monday.

Spellings:

This week the focus is to develop knowledge of words with a /k/ sound spelt with 'ch'. The words the children need to learn are: ache, stomach, chameleon, chord, chorus, echo, character, chronic, chemistry, scheme. They will be tested on this list of words on **Monday 23rd March**. Children in our class are given different spellings so if they lose their list, please ask an adult from the Yr 3 team and we will happily provide you with a new list.

Other Matters:

- The children enjoyed another exciting week where they were able to answer some scientific enquiries such as, what is an ecosystem and how do boats float?
- Year 3 were very privileged to be able to watch the St Edward's performance of 'The Lion King', which I am sure inspired some of them to be part of a great production team, and it was lovely to see some of our past-pupils involved.
- Our pbone lessons will continue this Friday (20th) so please ensure your child remembers to bring their instrument with them to school that day.
- This week we have parent's meetings on Tuesday 17th and Thursday 19th. If you have not signed up yet, please do so by making an appointment through the office.
- Photos from our school trip, book week and science are available to view on our school website so please do take a look.