

WELCOME TO YEAR 3!!



Meet the Year 3 Team



Class Teachers
Mrs Rachel White(Mon-Wed)
Miss Geraldine Jones (Wed- Fri)
Mrs Maria Callus



Class Teaching Assistants
Mrs Karen Hill
Mrs Amy Davis

Other Teachers
Mrs Grayson
Mrs Wyatt

Key aims for the year

* Greater independence

* Personal organisation

* To be motivated and enthusiastic learners



How you can help your child?



*Read with them and complete the Reading Journal. Children are free to change their books every day if they have been completed and the journal is signed.

It is still important to listen to your child read. Your child will be developing confidence and fluency so you should listen with interest, encourage and praise.

If your child is willing, it would be great if you could talk about the book but only if they are interested. We want to develop lifelong readers who enjoy reading and not make it a chore for you or your child.



How you can help your child?



- *Practising weekly spellings which are sent home on a Monday.
- *Homework set termly. Tic Tac Toe grid. This will often be linked to our Topic unit.
- *Maths homework is to learn the times tables.
- *This is a key focus for this year. Please support your child with recapping the 2, 5, 10 and learning the 3x table initially.



Daily Routines



*Children come into school via the Y3 cloakroom door - the doors are open at 8.50am.

*Unpack bags (put lunch boxes on the red trolley outside the classroom) and hang coats on named pegs. Named water bottle in the box and snack in drawer or lunch trolley. If in a pot please name!

*Read the instructions on the smartboard for early morning work.

Some similarities and differences in KS2.....

Twice weekly P.E lessons on Monday and Thursday including swimming and tennis. PE kits named and in school please.

Weekly visits to the KS2 library on a Wednesday.

Morning play with Year 4 (10.25)

Lunch 12.10-1.10. Prebookable

Afternoon playtime will be phased out!

Share a cycle of Topics with Year 4

Your child can bring a healthy snack for playtime.





A word on School Uniform...

Thankyou for the great start to the year.
Your children have all looked very smart.
Please ensure that your child has weather
appropriate clothing every day.

Please name all items.



Computing in the School

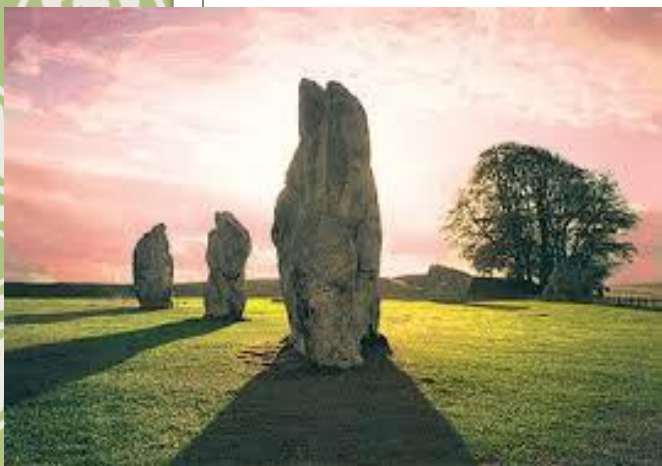
Children will be given greater responsibilities and activities linked with computing and their curriculum.

This will involve them reading and signing, with you, an 'Acceptable Use' policy. Until this has been understood, signed and returned the children will not be permitted to use technology in school.





This term our topic is Scavengers and Settlers and we will be going on a trip to Avebury on Monday 9th October.



Volunteers



If you have been DBS checked it would be great if you are available to volunteer.

If you have any great expertise that we could use in our topics please let us know.



*THANK YOU
WE LOOK FORWARD TO A GREAT YEAR!*