

## YEAR 3 - CLASS NEWSLETTER SUMMER TERM 2023

Monday, 17/04/2023  
14:00

To Parents of: +

To School Members: +

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### Class Newsletter ~ Summer Term 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back to the Summer Term! I hope you had a lovely break over the Easter holidays. Our routines will remain unchanged this term. The children will continue to arrive between 8.45am and 8.55am, before they go to classroom to store their belongings and begin their start of the day task.

This term, PE days will continue to be **Wednesday** and **Thursday**. The children should wear their PE kit on these days, consisting of navy hoodie, white t-shirt, black tracksuit bottoms/shorts and trainers. They can also wear their PE kit on days they have a sports club. The children may wear black trainers as part of their usual uniform as we take part in physical activity each day, including the use of our daily mile track. The children should be wearing their usual school uniform including trousers/shorts/skirts, rather than tracksuit bottoms/leggings, on non-PE days.

In **English**, we will be studying the key texts of *Monsters: An Owner's Guide*, *I am not a label*, *Paperbag Prince* and *Paint me a Poem*. The children will consolidate their learning of the Year 3 grammar curriculum including direct speech, subordinate conjunctions and clauses and expanded noun phrases. They will continue to choose their own home reading book from the class library, that they can bring home and share. **Spelling** words will be shared for the half term and tested in class on a Friday. We spend lots of time practising these in school but any additional practise at home is always beneficial.

In **maths**, we will focus on Mass & Capacity, Properties of Shape, Time and Statistics. We will revisit learning that we have previously covered over the year to ensure that this is embedded and understanding is secure. Our **Around the World** challenge will continue to be on a Wednesday and the use of Times Tables Rock Stars at home will support progress with this.

This term, Year 3 will study **Science, Geography, History, Art, D&T, ICT, PE, RE, PSHE, Music** and **Spanish**. The details of the sequences can be found on the class page of our website. The subject overviews contain the learning objectives, key vocabulary, prior learning and where this sequence fits in the children's journey through the subject. These overviews will also feature at the start of the sequence in the children's books and files. They will be familiar with the information that they contain and would provide a useful prompt for conversations at home.

Our trip this term will be to RHS Rosemoor, followed by our camping residential in the Summer Term, details will follow shortly.

It has come to our attention that more and more children have access to the internet independently at home. There has been a particular increase in children watching YouTube. Without supervision, it is possible to view very inappropriate content on this site. Please refer to the Online Safety pages on our website should you require support or guidance with this matter:

[Online Safety page on school website](#)

[Safeguarding page on school website containing Online Safety information](#)

If you have any questions about anything regarding your child, please do not hesitate to contact us. Please email [admin@winkleigh.devon.sch.uk](mailto:admin@winkleigh.devon.sch.uk) and we will try our best to reply within 48 hours.

Kind regards,

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