

# Week beginning

23/11/20

## STAR moments

We have had a fantastic week!

In English, we have been identifying the key features of a newspaper and writing catchy headlines!

In History, we are using our prior knowledge to create an informative fact file on Tutankhamun.

In Science, we have learnt how shadows are formed and which materials create the best shadow.

In Maths, we have been adding three digit numbers using the partitioning method and the column method.

This half term our focus is on positive relationships and our Happy Leaves went to:

**3J:** Tommy

**3D:** Zara-Lais

**3P:** Saimon

**3S:** Sebastian-Andrei



# Year 3 Newsletter



## This week's learning..

This week in English, we are going to delve into Howard Carter's discovery of Tutankhamun's tomb, thinking about how he must have felt when he saw his discovery for the first time. We will explore the features of diary entries. You may wish to ask your child to write a diary entry at the weekend.

As Mathematicians, we are beginning to look into subtracting 2 and 3 digit numbers.

As Historians, we will be looking into the process of mummification and ordering the steps.

As Scientists we will become experts in an area within light. For example: how light reflects off of different materials / how shadows are formed / different sources of light and uses for light. We will then share our learning as a class.

In Big Reading, we will look at different viewpoints for each character in our story to understand how they may be feeling at certain points in the story.

In RE, we are focusing on the story of Rama and Sita and how Hindus use diya lamps to light the way home for them. We will also be decorating our own diya lamps using rangoli patterns.

# Don't forget!

P.E is on Wednesdays - you need to come to school in your P.E. kit.

As part of your kit, you can either wear your school jumper or P.E. hoodie.

You can purchase our new P.E. hoodies, as well as Fit Friday hoodies and t-shirts from this website! <https://www.personalisedjustforyou.org.uk/back-to-school>

Fit Friday is on Friday - this term we are doing Tai Chi!!

Return your Home Reading book to school each Friday.

## Over to you...Home learning

**English:** Using your rapid recap abilities, can you find the 5 W's in a newspaper report? Who? What? When? Who? Where?

**Spelling:** This week we will be looking at Set 8 of our RWI Spellings. These will be uploaded onto Google Classroom on Friday. Please use the spelling sheet to practice every day and use the space provided to write some of your own sentences!



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