

Week beginning

17.10.2022

Year 3 Newsletter



Attendance is Key:

Please ensure that your children arrive at school on time at 7.50 and that they make a super effort to come to school EVERY day!

Lost Property: Please ensure your child's uniform is labelled clearly with their name to help keep their belongings safe and minimise lost property.

Star Moments

This term our happy leaves will focus on Positive Relationships . This week our happy leaves go to:

3R: Ehtemod for being so kind and helpful to all children in 3R and for always helping others.

3L: Shanveer for always showing his peers respect and supporting them with their work.

3GR: Isabelle for being such a good role model and always setting a good example in her behaviour and attitude towards learning.

This week our Golden lunch nominees are:

3R: Zainob for her continued efforts with her presentation across all subjects!

3L: Abid for his persuasive introduction on human rights..

3GR Tommy for making a concerted effort to improve his written work.

Congratulations to the children who achieved a happy leaf this week and to those who had the golden lunch! We are very proud of your resilience and dedication to your education!

Our learning..



This term our theme is HUMAN RIGHTS this term. This week in year 3 we have lots of exciting lessons planned...

English: We have reached the end of our current English Cycle - Publishing and Performance. Pupils are really enjoying writing their persuasive speeches which they will later get to perform. There has been a real buzz in classes and we cannot wait to read the wonderful writing outcomes..

Maths: As mathematicians we have moved on from addition and we have started focussing on subtraction. We have been focussing on subtracting the ones, tens and hundreds and we will be using dienes, number lines, part-whole models and the column method.

Science: As a scientist, our big question is: How are shadows formed? This week we will be consolidating all our knowledge on our 'Light' topic.

History: We have been looking at the life of Jesse Owens for our Black History topic. This week we will be creating Slides presentations on Jesse Owens looking at our Big Question.

RE: In RE this week we are creating our own piece of Christian Art. We will be reflecting on a range of other children's Christian Art and then drawing our own.

Shared Reading: In Shared Reading we looking at our new text called 'Who is Jesse Owens'. We will continue to develop different reading skills based on the text and reflecting on its link to Black History which we are celebrating this month in school.

RSHE: This term we are looking at positive relationships in RSHE. This week, we will consider how we can improve the positive relationships we have at home and how we can add to them.

Art: We have been exploring the art work of Chris Ofili. We are continuing our Chris Ofili portraits.

P.E and Music is scheduled for Wednesday afternoon this week as normal, so remember to come dressed in your correct PE kit. If you are unsure, check the uniform policy on Star's newly designed website or ask your teacher.

Don't forget!

Children will be given weekly spellings to practise for 5 minutes each night. They will be tested on Fridays. We politely ask children to practice the strategies and extend themselves by using the words in a sentence so that they understand the meaning. There will also be a big focus on Reading. Please do ensure that you read with your child daily and that you record their progress in the Reading record provided. Please continue to encourage your child to complete their tasks on our online learning platforms including Mathletics, Bug Club and Times Table Rockstars. P.E is on Wednesday - please wear your PE kit to school. Fit Friday is every Friday.

Home learning

Please remember to read every day with your child particularly over half term, this should be kept record of in their Reading Record Books. Children will be sent home with books and will be asked to keep them in their book bags which they can now bring to school daily.

Children will also be given weekly spellings beginning next week. As well as this, we have a new way for you to access your spellings at home!

Go to <https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/> and 'class login'.

You can log on using these details:

User name: star 3

Password: Star21

Mathletics



By the end of all Year 3 children need to know their 2, 4, 5, 8 and 10 times tables fluently. So, please log in to Mathletics and TTRS to help you secure a Bronze Badge before the end of this academic year!

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