

# Week beginning

27/02/23

# Year 3 Newsletter



## STAR moments

### Our Happy Leaves:

In 3R: **David P** for maintaining focus during his RE lesson and achieving some fantastic independent work.

In 3L: **Tayssa** for focusing hard and engaging well during lessons and supporting her partner in group tasks.

In 3GR: **Fred** - Exploding with happiness during English this week, such passion for story writing! Keep it up Fred.

**This term the Happy leaf theme is for 'Happiness'**

Congratulations to the following **Golden Lunch Nominees from last week:**

In 3GR: **Aleena**. For taking in pride in the presentation of all of her work.

In 3L: **Bishan** for drawing an accurate scientific diagram of a plant in science.

In 3R: **David P** for his focus and fantastic independent RE work!

We are celebrating world book week this week. Please talk to your child about their daily activity! We are super excited about World Book day on Thursday 2nd March! Please celebrate with us by coming to school dressed in your book character costume!

## This weeks learning..



*This half term our topic is going to be: Express Yourself !!*

**In English** We will be focusing on the fiction stories including 'The Whisper' which lends itself to creating imaginative story settings and characters. This week we are planning our own stories which we will write on Friday.

**In Maths** we will be adding pounds and pence by counting on. We will begin by adding without renaming then Adding with renaming. In addition to this we will be completing our Maths Assessments.

**In Science:** We will be learning more about the functions of the different parts of flowering plants

**In Geography** we will be comparing the United Kingdom to Spain. This week we will be looking at the different counties within the U.K. and where they are located.

**In Art:** We will focus on the work of Joan Miro who is a Spanish Artist. Over the course of the term we will use watercolors and we will explore the techniques used by our artist.

**In R.E.** We will be learning about Holi celebrations and festivities.

**In Computing** This term we will be using an app called Scratch to code! We will be computer programmers.

**In R.S.H.E.** we will be focusing on Achievement and Success. In Year 3 we explore the Big Question: How can we help others and How do they help us achieve success



# Don't forget!

**Please ensure your child is at the school gate by 7:45am!**

Please ensure your child is in school for their Brighter Starts breakfast and singing in class from 7:50 - 8:00am Attendance is KEY!! Please make sure that your child is punctual and at school every day. We are working towards our attendance badges.

At Star we pride ourselves on our uniform. Please make sure your child is wearing the correct uniform to school. Boots and jewellery are not part of the school uniform.

We would like to invite you to look at the Online Safety section under the 'Parent' dropdown menu on our school website. Please be reminded that social media apps are not suitable for children under 13 years old, in particular Tiktok, Instagram, Whatsapp and Facebook.



## Over to you...Home learning

Don't forget to log on to Mathletics and complete the work assigned to you each day!  
Continue to improve your reading skills by logging onto Bug Club each day. Remember to share a chapter from your favourite book with someone at home too.  
Strive to achieve your bronze, silver or gold awards on Times Tables Rockstars too.  
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 year 3  
Password: spelling



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