



Year 3 Parent leaflet: Summer 2



Our BIG question:-

How have plants, people & settlements shaped the world we live in?



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Ash Class - Miss Ives

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Our learning this half term:

- To continue to follow our White Rose Maths scheme.
- Time - Telling, writing & comparing time on analogue and digital clocks, including 12- & 24-hour formats; Learning Roman Numerals
- Shape - Recognising angles as a property of shape or a description of a turn; recognising right angles
- Immersing ourselves in our chosen texts - The Gardener & Stig of the Dump
- Using The Write Stuff to write in a variety of ways, for different audiences and purposes.
- Carrying out a range of **Scientific Enquiries** in our Science lessons & revisiting all the skills & knowledge we've acquired during Year 3.
- Considering "Would you prefer to have lived in the Stone Age, Bronze Age or Iron Age?" in our History lessons.
- Asking "Are all settlements the same?" as part of our Geography lessons.
- Responding to the work of Bernini to create a clay sculpture of a lion
- Enjoying our Music unit "Reflect, rewind & replay"
- Exploring "Touch Typing," on the iPads.
- Practising our French speaking & listening skills through our unit "A Circle of Life"

FRIDAY 26TH JUNE - NOTCUTTS NATURE TRAIL SCHOOL TRIP

MORE INFORMATION TO FOLLOW VIA PARENTMAIL

Ongoing learning:

- Individual and guided reading sessions
- Precision Spelling of CEWs
- Handwriting - using correct, cursive letter formation; joining all letters all the time. (Using Bubble Writing to help us with this)
- Learning 2x, 5x, 10x 3x, 4x and 8x tables off by heart - remember to practise on Times Tables Rock Stars!! (TTRS)
- Grammar Focus: - to understand present perfect tense, apostrophes for possession, direct speech punctuation as well as consolidation of word classes

Key Dates or things to remember:

We have PE every Thursday.

Please ensure that your child comes into school in their PE kit. This includes black shorts, white T shirt, plimsolls or trainers and dark tracksuit trousers. **Please ensure that long hair is tied back and earrings are removed or covered with tape.**

SPORTS DAY - WEDNESDAY 1ST JULY

Library Books are changed every Friday.

Wild Wednesday - WEDNESDAY 8th July - Our School Settlement (Geography Link)

We can't wait to see what Mrs Bennett has got planned for us! Further information will be provided via Parent Mail.

MORE REGULAR UPDATES ABOUT YOUR CHILD'S LEARNING JOURNEY, AS WELL AS LINKS TO USEFUL WEBSITES WILL BE SENT VIA SEESAW.

Useful ways to support learning at home:

Reading challenge: Reading for 5 minutes, 5 times a week. Complete your Reading Challenge Slip and return it to school every Friday. House Points, Raffle Tickets and Class Prizes available!

Maths: OPTIONAL Weekly Maths Homework Challenges set on Purple Mash. Remember to practise your BMBTs, CLIC and SAFE challenges too, as well as your times tables on TTRS!!

Spellings: OPTIONAL Weekly Spelling challenges set on Purple Mash. Don't forget to keep practising the Year 1, 2 and 3 CEWs too - check the highlighted sheet that were sent home, to see the words that need to be practised.

Homework Grids: OPTIONAL - If your child would like to carry out any challenges and share these with their teacher, we'd love to see them. Either bring the work into school or upload to their SeeSaw page - we can't wait to see how you get on! Homework Wow Certificates, House Points and Raffle Tickets available for work completed!

