

# Year 3 Newsletter

## Home Learning

Practising their work at home is an important part of your child's learning. This year homework will be sent out on **Friday**, to be returned by the **Wednesday** at the latest.

### Spellings

As part of your child's homework they will be given a list of spellings that they need to practise.

### Times and divide facts

Each week your child needs to practise the multiplication and division facts for times tables they are on. It is important that your child has quick recall of these facts so practising them **out of order is important**.

**By the end of Year 3 children are expected to know their 2, 3, 4, 5, 8- and 10-times tables.**

**There will be a spelling and times table challenge every Friday in school.**

## PSHE

In PSHE, our topic is 'Changing Me.' The children will learn about how babies grow and change; what babies need to live and grow. The children will also explore the stereotypical ideas about parenting and family roles they might have.

## Attendance and Punctuality

School starts between **8.40am and 9.00am and finishes at 3.15pm each day.**

## School Website and Blogging

Keep up to date with all the school news on our website.  
Email contacts  
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## **History - What caused a revolution in Manchester?**

In this History topic, we will be learning what the industrial revolution was and that Manchester was one of the first cities that became industrialised. We will be teaching the children about what products were made in the factories of Manchester and the transport (railways and canals)

## **Science – How attractive are you?**

In this science topic, we will be learning about the force of magnetism. The children will be learning about the north and south poles of magnets, repelling and attracting, what materials are magnetic, the uses of magnets and investigating which magnets are the strongest.

## Home Reading books

### **BOOKS ARE TO BE CHANGED AS OFTEN AS THE CHILDREN NEED.**

Please listen to your child read regularly and talk about the book with them. Remember to sign the yellow reading record book when they have finished the book. Your child will have a raffle ticket stapled in their reading record when they have read and had their book signed. At the end of the half term, raffle tickets will be drawn and a prize awarded. Good luck everyone!

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## Other Information

Your child will have 2 P.E sessions a week and will need to change for these sessions.

On **TUESDAYS** it is outdoors. As the weather is cold at this time of year, tracksuit bottoms or leggings, a long sleeved top and trainers (or pumps) should be worn for this session.

On **Thursday** for **3CH** and **3SBG** it is an indoor lesson. They will need **black shorts or leggings and a plain white t-shirt.**

## Playtimes

Fruit is on sale at playtime for 20p (one piece of fruit a day is enough) or your child can bring a piece of fruit from home.