



# Warlingham Village Primary School's

## Class Newsletter



Year 3

Autumn 2023

*Welcome to Year 3! I hope you have all had a lovely summer holiday. I look forward to connecting with you all and having a fantastic year ahead of us.*

### **Homework**

*From Monday homework will be, reading on a daily basis, Spelling Shed and TT Rockstars. Password for Spelling Shed and TT Rockstars will be found in the front of their reading records. Further homework will be communicated later on in year 3.*

### **Reading Books**

*Reading books will be sent home by the end of this week. Please keep their reading records signed and up to date. Reading records will be checked once a week, however please ensure their reading books are brought in everyday as we will read 1-1 with children as often as possible.*

### **Take-Away Homework**

*This term the takeaway homework is mainly based on learning across all subject areas that will take place this term. Please choose a task that interests you to share at the end of term.*

### **Spellings**

*Spellings will be set on Spelling Shed. On a Monday, children will be set 10 spellings and on a Friday they will be tested in school. The children's score will be written into the back of their reading diary's weekly. Children will have time to practise on Spelling Shed in school but please allow time at home too.*

### **PE**

*PE will be on a **Tuesday and Thursday**. Please ensure that your child comes dressed for PE on both days. **They will stay in their PE kits all day**. Long hair should be tied back. **School PE kits will be provided if children are not in correct clothing.***

### **English**

*This term we will focus on:*

- *Narrative - The Blue Umbrella*
- *Non-fiction biography - Based on the life of Harriet Tubman*
- *Narrative - The secret of Black Rock*

*Through these lessons and SPaG lessons, Year 3 grammar objectives will be taught.*

### **Maths**

*The areas of maths that we will cover this term include:*

- *Composition of 100 and bridging 100*
- *Calculation of 3 digit numbers*
- *Securing mental strategies of numbers to 999*

*There will be regular timetables practice, to secure their 2,4 and 8 knowledge.*

### **Volunteering, Trips and other information**

*If anyone would like to volunteer to come into school to hear children read, then please let the office know.*

*Information about trips and workshops will be shared with you when confirmed.*

### **Curriculum subjects for the Autumn term**

- *GLF Wider Curriculum (incorporating Science, History, Geograpy, Art and Design Technology): Push or Pull? What's the greatest force?*
- *RE: Judaism and Christianity*
- *Life Skills: Being Me in My World and Celebrating Differences*
- *Computing: Online safety and The Internet*

### **Snack**

*The children may bring in a fruit snack for break time and a labelled water bottle to use throughout the day.*

*Thank you for taking the time to read this newsletter.*

*If you have anything that you would like to discuss, please book an appointment through the school office.*

*Miss Haistead*