



Year 3

Warlingham Village Primary School's

Class Newsletter



Autumn 2025

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.

Reading Books

Reading records will be checked once a week; the day will be specified inside the front cover of your child's reading record. However, we do ask the children to have their reading records in school with them every day as they will be reading with adults as often as possible. Children will receive house points for the reading that is recorded in their diary.

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 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 **Monday 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 explicit 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

At the time of writing this newsletter, trips for Year 3 are still being finalised. Further information will be provided at a future date.

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?

How did people live in Prehistoric Britain?

- *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 any questions, please email the office.

Miss Haistead