

Welcome to Year 3!



Year 3 is an exciting year, full of rich learning opportunities. Below is a guide to how we operate differently from Key Stage 1. We hope you find it useful! Please let us know if you have any questions.

Start of the Day

The school gates will open at 8:20am. Please make your way round to the far end of the top playground, and wait outside the Reception area. Teachers will meet children here at 8:30am, lined up ready to walk to the classroom. Doors will close at 8:40am. Please see your class teacher if you have any questions on this.

PE Lessons

We have two PE lessons every week, on a Tuesday and a Friday. One is an indoor and the other is an outdoor lesson. In a change from last year, children should come to school on these days **wearing their PE kit** (rather than change in school as they have done previously). Please check that it still fits and that each item is named.

Homework

We expect the children to continue with regular reading at home and writing in their diaries to show what they have read. We would expect the children to read at least five times at home during the week.

Homework will be set each week. New homework will be set on a Friday and due in the following Thursday. The children will have reading, spellings and Times Table Rock Stars.

Snack

Children are welcome to bring a snack for break time, but it is expected that this is a piece of fruit or vegetables.

Wet Weather

When the winter months approach, we will still be using our outside areas. For the children to access this they will need to have in school a wet weather coat. Please make sure these are clearly labelled.

Meet the Teacher

Please join us at 2:30pm on Tuesday 8th September for an informal chat and overview of the learning opportunities and routines in Year 3.

And finally....

It may seem like a big step progressing to Key Stage 2, however Year 3 will be full of lots of exciting opportunities and chances to learn, whilst developing their independence at the same time!

We look forward to working with your family this year! Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions or concerns.

The Y3 team

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