

Year 3



WELCOME BACK

from

Mr Read, Miss Maling,
Mrs Clare, Ms Christian and
Miss Roast.

YEAR 3 PUPILS

Throughout the rest of Year 3, we will expect you to:

- ◆ Always try your best.
- ◆ Be kind and considerate to everyone.
- ◆ Do your homework and hand it in every Tuesday.
- ◆ Read regularly to an adult at home.
- ◆ Look after your own things.
- ◆ Make sure you wear the correct uniform with appropriate footwear.
- ◆ Bring your PE Kit in on PE days, this must be a t-shirt, shorts/ jogging bottoms and trainers.

I will be learning...

LITERACY This term we will be learning about authors and letters; our focus author will be Roald Dahl. We will be writing persuasive texts, letters and reports.



NUMERACY We will be learning facts about numbers and refining our calculations. We will also be using equipment to measure length, capacity, weight and time.



GEOGRAPHY Over the summer term, we will be investigating our local area and comparing it with a contrasting location. This will include map reading skills, field work and a visit to the countryside.



SCIENCE

Our topics this term will be Plants and Growing, where we will be studying the growth of potatoes, tomatoes and peppers. In Summer 2 we will be learning about Light and Shadow.



Computing This term we will be HTML editors and will be looking at how web pages are built before building one of our own.

Music We are continuing to learn to play the guitar during the summer term.

RE This term we will be looking at the Five Pillars of Islam and their importance to Muslims around the world.

PSHE We will be learning how to look after ourselves and stay safe and healthy.

ART & D.T. In art we will have two more sessions at Ben Jonson, creating artwork linked to the Stone Age. Our D.T. project will be to design and create a Roman shield, ready for our Roman Day in Summer 2.

P.E. Our PE day will be Wednesday during the summer term. We will be focusing on indoor and outdoor athletics.

Homework Homework will go out on a Tuesday and will come back on the following Tuesday. Children should complete an activity in their yellow school reading journal at least once a week.

Trips planned...

Year 3 will be spending three afternoons where we explore and map our local area in Poplar, Limehouse and Canary Wharf. We will also compare and map Tatsfield in Surrey.



Also, as part of our topic on Plants and Growth, we

will be visiting Kew Gardens.



Roman Day will happen in the second half of the Summer term.

Booster classes:

Maths and Literacy after school clubs will be run on Mondays and Wednesdays. Targeted children will be invited to attend.

It is important that these children come regularly to make the progress we expect.

If you have any questions, we are always happy to listen, so please just pop in and book a time to chat!

**In Year 3,
you will need...**



SCHOOL SHOES

Lace-up or Velcro shoes.
Trainers can be worn, as long as they are completely black.

P.E. KIT

Shorts, T-shirt, plimsolls or trainers in a small bag - drawstring if possible.



**MARY the
COOK**

MRS KEMP

Please **remember** to label everything with your name - especially sweatshirts, PE kits and coats!



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