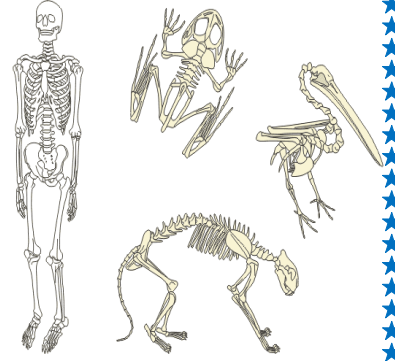


Year 3 Newsletter

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We would like to thank you for your continued support with reading at home and ask that you please continue with this at least three times a week. It would help if you could also ask your child questions about what they have read, to check their understanding of the text. If you would like a sheet of questions to guide you, we have some left over from the ones that were provided on parents' evening. If your child has a book that they are enjoying reading from home, as long as this is an appropriate level, then they may read it at school.

Please ensure your child has both an indoor and outdoor PE kit in school. Both classes have PE on Monday and Tuesday this term.

Thank you, Year 3 team.

Maths

We will continue to learn about the four number operations. Our main focus this term will be on measures looking at weight, capacity and length, as well as revisiting time. Please continue to help your child learn their times tables and regularly get them to tell the time.

Science

We will be continuing our learning about a healthy body as well as planting seeds for our vegetable patch.



P.E

We will continue to develop social skills with our P.E. and games lessons, focussing particularly on team building games.

ICT

We will be focussing this half term on how we can keep ourselves e-Safe, particularly when gaming online.

R.E.

The children will be learning about Judaism focusing on Kosher food.

Geography

We will be focussing this half term on our local area and studying how recent changes to Bromley Cross will affect life there.

Literacy

3W will be reading Greek Myths and learning how to write their own mythical story. 3DW will also be story writing, using our work on the Egyptians in order to rewrite well know fairy tales with a historical twist.

On World Book day, we will be celebrating by dressing up in our pyjamas and at the end of the day sharing bedtime stories. Please can you also support your child by allowing them to bring in their favourite book to share with the class.

Music

It is 3W's turn to learn the Djembe drums from our specialist music teacher. 3DW will be learning to play the Boom Whacker using notation in composing.

French

The children will be learning the colours of the rainbow as well as counting up to 39.

DT/Art

In art the children will be recreating an Egyptian tomb wall painting.



In DT the children will learn how to sew on binca material and then make a felt Easter decoration.

PSHE

We are continuing to learn about friendships and feelings through our "My Emotions" programme.

Philosophy for children We will be discussing a range of issues that will help deepen the childrens' thinking and understanding of the world they live in.