



# Year 3 Newsletter

## Autumn 1

### Welcome to Year 3!

**Juniper:** Miss Johnston & Miss Suthers

**Chestnut:** Mrs Russell & Miss King

Our teaching assistant is Mrs Wetherley, who will be working across both year 3 classes.

We are all looking forward to the coming year and hope your child has an enjoyable time in Year 3.

### Buildings Through Time

This term, children will be looking at the amazing buildings created through different time periods in history. This will range from The Stone Age to modern day history.



### Reading

Children will be encouraged to read at home as often as possible. We hope you will comment in your child's Reading Record book when they have read to you at home. A certificate and book will be awarded when the children have read 50 and 100 books.



### Science

In science, the children will become geologists. Children will use an enquiry-based approach to learn all about the different properties of a range of rocks. We will also be investigating how fossils are formed.

### Mathematics

In maths, children will begin the year revising aspects of place value. They will then move on to larger numbers and learn how to round, order and compare these. Children will develop on their understanding of the formal methods for calculations.

### English

In English lessons, children will develop their understanding of grammatical rules and spelling patterns. They will then be given a range of writing opportunities in which to apply these skills to extended pieces.

### Homework

This half term, children will be given spellings and times tables to revise. Homework will be sent out on a Monday and they will then be tested on a Friday. We appreciate your continued support, thank you.

### Pupil of the Week

For your child to be pupil of the week they must:

- Work hard at home and school
- Be prepared and dress properly for school
- Always behave well
- Come to school on time every day

