

Class Newsletter-Year 3

Autumn Term 1



Robin class



Teacher: Miss Sherlock

LSA: Mrs Warbuton and Mrs Stagg



Dove class

Teachers: Mrs Barry and Mrs East

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Welcome to Year Three!

Maths:

This term we shall be focusing on calculation strategies. We will develop out understanding of place value before moving on to use known facts (such as number bonds to 20) to solve problems mentally. You can help at home by practising the number bonds to 10 and 20 and times tables.



English:

This term we will be doing literacy through the story 'The True story of the 3 little pigs'. We will be focusing on a range of skills but all with a big push on adjectives and spelling as we transition the children into Key Stage Two. Spellings are given on a Monday and tested the following week. Our class story will be: The Lion and the Unicorn.



Enquiry question: How can we find hope in conflict?

This term we will be exploring the fascinating history of World War Two. We will be looking at evacuation, The Blitz and rationing to understand how the war changed the lives of local people living in Bristol. We will be taking a walk in our local area to see how it has changed since World War 2.

In science we will be experimenting with forces! We will be creating our own experiments to understand how forces, from pushes to pulls, change the world around us. We will also be delving deep into the magical world of magnets to find out how we can use them to learn more about materials.

Dinners

Please be aware that school meals are not free for children in Key Stage 2 (year 3 to year 6). If you are eligible for free school meals, please contact the office as soon as possible.

Reading and Homework

Please read with your child as often as you can but at least 3 times a week. Please login to My-on to access books. Please practice Times Tables every day and key number facts on Sum-dog.

Homework will be given every Thursday and due to be returned or completed by the following Tuesday.

Communicating with teachers

We will always make time to chat at the end of the school day but please also check your email regularly for letters or messages. You can also use the year 3 email address and one of the team will reply to you. LCR Year3.Support @oasislongcross.org

PE will be on Monday afternoon this term. Children can wear PE kit to school on Mondays all day. Please ensure your child wears appropriate shorts or joggers, t-shirts and trainers each week.