



We are delighted to welcome Year 3 back to school after our winter break. We hope you are all feeling rested and refreshed and we cannot wait to continue learning together. Remember, if you have any questions, please do not hesitate to get in contact with school. Thanks, Mr Turner.



Welcome Back

ENGLISH

This half term, we are going to be looking in depth at the story of Alice in Wonderland. We will take a trip into Lewis Carroll's incredible imagination, learning about the fantastical characters and applying our grammar skills to writing outcomes. In Guided Reading, we will be using our knowledge of word classes to understand the poem 'Jabberwocky' which links to Alice. We will be moving on to Wind in the Willows later in the half term.

MATHS



Our maths learning this half term will see us continuing our learning on multiplication and division, focusing on the 4s and 8s and their relation to each other. We will later look at multiplying 2-digit and 1-digit numbers, together with exchanging. Following this, we will move on to dividing similar numbers using flexible partitioning and gain an understanding of remainders.

SCIENCE



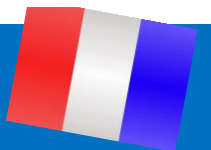
In science this half term, we will complete our 'Animals including humans' topic with our learning around nutrition before moving onto our new topic 'forces.' We will investigate how they work, especially concentrating on magnets and what they do.

HISTORY

In history this term, we will be exploring the ancient civilization of Egypt. We will see how their beliefs helped to structure their society and looking at how this influenced the daily lives of the ancient Egyptians.



PSHE /FRENCH



In PSHE, we will be exploring different types of families; what makes a family unique, happy, and healthy. Towards the end of term, we will build on our knowledge of the word unique by looking at the differences between female and male body parts.

In French, we will continue to develop our growing vocabulary by learning about items you may have in your school bag combined with colours.

CLASS NOTICES



PE day – Friday
Forest School is on alternate weeks

Homework will be sent home every Friday for the following Thursday.

Please remember to send your child to school with a labelled water bottle each day. As it remains to cold, please ensure your child has a labelled coat in school every day. We will be visiting the British Museum on Wednesday 21st January.