



## Year 3 Homework letter - Friday 18th March 2022

*It was great to return this week to see all of Year 3's smiling faces! I'm so pleased to hear about how hard they all worked for Mrs Brooks and Mrs Benjamin!*



### English, Maths and Reading.

*This week has been assessment week. The Children have been assessed in Reading, Writing and Maths. The purpose of this is to enable us to identify any **gaps in your child's learning so that we know how best to support them**. It also gives us insight into their progress since the September baseline assessments.*

*Knowing this allows us to address any gaps promptly so your child can continue to make the best possible progress through the Spring Term.*

*I am very proud of how hard the children have worked this week. They are a credit to you all. Each member of the class has tackled each special challenge with great enthusiasm and dedication.*

### Easter Gardens

*St Peter and St Paul's Church are inviting the children to create an Easter Garden at home. Similar to the Nativity scene at Christmas, an Easter Garden is the recreation of Christ's tomb. It has three essential features: a mound with at least one cross to represent Calvary; a stone or stone structure to suggest the empty tomb; and lots of live greenery and flowers. Easter Gardens should be brought into school on Monday 28<sup>th</sup> March so the Faith Team and Rev Phe can judge them on Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> March. They will then be displayed in the hall from Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> until Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> March where there will be an opportunity for each class to visit the hall to look at the different creations. The winning entry will be announced in our Easter Service on Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> March. We welcome individual entries or joint entries with siblings or friends! The gardens will be taken over to St Peter and St Paul's Church on Friday 1<sup>st</sup> April where they will be on display over the Easter period. If you would like to find out more about how to make an Easter Garden, RE Quest have made a short presentation you could watch: <https://request.org.uk/resource/restart/2017/02/23/make-an-easter-garden/>*

### Homework

#### Guided Reading:

*Please read the comprehension text 'St Patrick's Day' and answer the questions. You may choose to complete the reading comprehension in place of the children's daily reading.*

#### Science

*This term in science we have been looking at parts of a plant. In recent homework I have asked you to research parts of a plant and their function. This week I would like you to get creative. You can either: Draw and design your own hanging basket, create a flower collage piece of artwork, plant your own flowers in a hanging basket or pot, or even start to grow your own flowers or vegetables from seeds. Do remember to continue to look after and care for any living plants*

*Spellings: Use the sheet provided to complete this week's spellings. An optional quiz will also be set on PurpleMash to complete.*

#### Dates:

*Parent and Carer Evenings-Monday 28<sup>th</sup> March, Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> March and Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> March 3.30-6.00pm*

*Rescheduled Year 3 Collective Worship: - Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> March*

#### Lent Call

*Please do continue to collect money for the Southwark Diocese Lent Appeal. Information about this can be found in the Homework letter dated 25<sup>th</sup> February.*

*We hope you all have a restful weekend. Mr Bowen, Mrs Boyle and Mrs Young. The Year 3 Team*

