

Year 3 Homework letter - Friday 11th November 2022

Please do remember to read daily with your children. It would be great to see comments on how they have been getting on at home reading to members of their family.

<u>English:</u>

The children have loved reading more of the 'The BFG' by Roald Dahl. They have been using a thesaurus to find synonyms for words to make their writing more exciting. We have also been focusing on inferring information from a text regarding a character's emotions. They have all worked hard to create a diary entry from Sophie's perspective while she was being carried in the BFG's pocket.

<u>Maths:</u>

This week, we have started our three week unit on multiplication and division. Over the next two weeks we will particular be focusing on our 2, 3, 4, 5 and 10 times table. This week we have looked at:

- Sharing into equal groups
- Using arrays to solve problems
- Multiples of 2
- Multiples of 5 and 10
- Sharing and grouping numbers correctly.

Multiplications:

This year, the children will be focusing on learning and using their times tables during our Mental Maths sessions every day. They will be learning their 3, 4 and 8 times tables by using Times Tables Rock Stars, playing games, dancing to **'Supermovers' songs and completing quizzes to** help them understand and use this knowledge. Please do however continue to practice the 2, 5, and 10

<u>Dates:</u>

Wellbeing P.E Morning—Wednesday 23rd November Full outdoor P.E kit required.

Inset day - Friday 25th November.

Parent and Carer Evenings- 28th - 30th November

Christmas Service—Thursday 15th December at Christ Church.

Last day of A utumn term - Friday 16th December.

Christmas Break - 19th December 2022 – 2nd January 2023

Return to school—Tuesday 3rd January.

<u>Homework</u>

Reading: Please try to read every evening with your child. Do continue to ask them questions about what they have read to check their understanding.

Guided Reading:

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

Maths: This week's Maths homework will be on multiplication and the work will be set on MyMaths. The logins for these can be found in the front of the homework books.

Spellings: please continue to practise the Year 1 and 2 common exception words in the front of the homework books. This will be the final week on these.

Multiplication: Please do continue to practise multiplication using Times Tables Rockstars. Passwords for these can be found inside the homework books.

Operation Christmas Child

As part of our 'Love Project' for the Autumn term we are asking families to support Operation Christmas Child. Operation Christmas Child is a project of Samaritan's Purse, a Christian international relief organisation. Through Operation Christmas Child, Samaritan's Purse aims to provide children affected by war, poverty, natural disaster or famine with shoeboxes filled with small toys, hygiene items, and school supplies. This year, in conjunction with Christ Church, we have provided each class with five Operation Christmas Child shoe boxes. We are asking for children to bring in a couple of items suitable for boys or girls between the ages of 5 and 9 to fill these boxes. Please do look on the Samarítan's Purse website for an appropriate item list:

https://www.samaritans-purse.org.uk/whatwe-do/operation-christmas-child/what-goes-inmy-shoebox/

Boxes need to be in school by Monday 14th November.