



Year 3 Homework letter - Friday 6th January 2023

Welcome back and Happy New Year! Thank you so much for your generosity at Christmas. Mrs Russell and myself were touched by your thoughtful gifts.



English:

This week Year 3 have begun to look at our new book 'The Pied Piper of Hamelin' by Michael Morpurgo and Emma Chichester Clark. As a class we have looked at how a character's thoughts and feeling can accurately describe the details of a situation. Later on in the week we learnt to use paragraphs within our writing to order information effectively.

Maths:

For the next three weeks in Maths we will be continuing to look at multiplication and division. This week the children were introduced to multiplying a two digit number by one using the box method and informal multiplication method.

$$\begin{array}{r} 23 \times 4 \\ \hline 71 \end{array}$$

	20	3
4	80	12

$$\begin{array}{r} 53 \times 7 = ? \\ \hline 50 \quad 3 \\ 50 \times 7 = 350 \\ 3 \times 7 = 21 \\ \hline 371 \end{array}$$

Homework

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: Next week in our English lessons we will be looking at the "New Year Celebrations". Please read the text provided and answer the attached questions.

Maths: This week's Maths homework will be set on MyMaths. The task is related to multiplication. The MyMaths logins can be found inside their homework books.

Multiplication: Please use Times Tables Rock Stars to help improve your child's understanding and knowledge of these. Do spend as much time as possible accessing times Times Tables Rockstars as it's a fun and interactive way to improve their number fluency.

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

Loveworks:

We are supporting Loveworks as one of our half termly 'love projects.' LoveWorks helps those in need of food and can also offer support with paying utility bills. To support LoveWorks, we are running our 'A Tin A Week' project again. As the name suggests, we are asking for children to bring in one item a week for the next five weeks. The items needed are listed below in priority order:

UHT semi skimmed milk, shampoo, toilet rolls, tins of meat casserole, tinned corn beef, ham etc, long life fruit juice, tinned fruit, porridge oats, soup, tuna, pasta sauce, jam, rice, tinned potatoes/smash, tinned vegetables, tinned tomatoes, breakfast cereals, tinned custard/rice pudding, deodorant/anti perspirant.

To find out more about Love Works please follow the link <http://www.loveworks.org.uk/> Thank you in advance for your support.

Dates:

PTFA Evening Event—27th January 2023

PTFA School Disco—Thursday 9th February

PTFA Pre loved Uniform Sale—Friday 13th January

End of half term—Friday 10th February

Half Term—Monday 13th February—Friday 17th February

Return to school— Monday 20th February

Year 3 Class collective worship—Wednesday 1st March 2023

St Patrick's Day—Friday 17th March

Parents and Careers Evenings— 27th to 29th March.



Hope you all have a restful weekend.
Mr Bowen, Mrs Boyle and Mrs Russell.
The Year 3 Team