



Year 3 Homework letter - Friday 20th June 2025



English:

This week we have planned, drafted, written and edited our own versions of the story (using the Black Dog as our structure) and added our newly learnt fronted adverbials as well as speech marks and adjectives. There have been some exceptional versions of the story and we are now writing them up in neat for display.

Maths:

This week we have begun our penultimate unit of work on White Rose, angles. We have learnt about:

- what is an angle?
- What is a turn?
- Comparing angles.
- Using a compass and a clock to show the change when completing different turns and angles.

P.E.

We learnt about relay races this week—getting ready for sports day! It was lovely to see the children engaging each other and there was a lot of cheering!!

Science

We had an interesting lesson on the 'Structure of the Earth'. We learnt about the earth's crust, mantle and core which links well with our Geography topic on mountains and volcanoes. We are making volcanoes in small groups and we will replicating a volcano in class next week!

Art:

The children have produced some amazing art work this year which we are very excited to be sharing with you at our Art Expo on the 8th July.

Visits and Trips:

On Friday 27th June, the children will be taking part in a 'Bollywood Dance' class along with Year 4.

We also have our Theatre trip on Wednesday 25th June. We will be leaving school at 12.30pm (after lunch) and expected to be back by 4.15pm.

Homework

Reading: Please continue to read every evening with your child. There will be extra team points for those children that show us their reading records with lots of boxes completed! We are focusing on reading comprehension and thinking about what we do when we do not know the meaning of a word:

- sound it out
- Read around the word to see if you can work out the meaning
- Discuss the meaning or look it up in a dictionary if you have one

Multiplication: Please use Times Tables Rock Stars to help improve your child's understanding and knowledge of these. We recommend a few 10 minute sessions a week to practise. It is a fun and interactive way to improve number fluency. Sadly many children are not using it at all. Please can you encourage your child to practise on the weekend.

Spellings: Please practise this week's spellings which are the high frequency words learnt so far since Year 1. Please learn the words over the next few weeks. We will be having a big practise at the end of the term on these words, so we are ready for Year 4!

Diary Dates:

Reports to Parents and Carers: Wednesday 25th June

Polka Theatre Trip: Wednesday 25th June

Sports Day: Thursday 26th June

Bollywood Dance Workshop (link to RE curriculum on Hinduism and Sikhism): Friday 27 June

Transition Day: Wednesday 2nd July

Wellbeing Wednesday: Wednesday 2nd July

Reserve Sports Day: Thursday 3rd July 1.15pm-3.15pm

INSET Day: Friday 4th July

Summer Fayre: Saturday 5th July

Art Expo

Have a lovely weekend, Mrs Cordey and Mrs Hargreaves-McCallum —Year 3 Team

