



Class 3 Newsletter – 1.3.19



This Week...

Welcome back to the new half term. We have been so blessed with the lovely sunshine and I hope you managed to get out and about and enjoy it! It was lovely to see that so many of you had visited the moon exhibition at the Harris Museum - I even met several of you there! This week we have been catching up with our reading and learning how to predict the meanings of unfamiliar words using the context of the book. Mrs Seagraves parents are visiting The Gambia next week and the children have been busy writing letters for children at the New Life School, asking about their education and telling the children all about Lea Endowed! We have been problem solving with multiplication this week and it was good to see that the children are increasingly confident with their multiplication facts. Please keep practising these at home as it is really paying off. Our new topic in Science is Rocks, we are investigating Anglo-Saxons in History and our new RE unit is about Lent. We have been doing some research on the computers to prepare us for all our new learning.

Lent Appeal

The Extra Milers and the Ethos Group have been planning this year's Lent Appeal and we have decided to support the **Help Refugees** organisation. Please look out for further information regarding fund raising for this very worthy cause.

Online Safety - With regards to reports in the national press and on social media websites concerning a new app, please refer to a separate e-mail from Mrs Seagrave and access the school website for further information concerning online safety

Useful Dates

Thur 7th Mar: Parents' Evening from 3:30-5pm and 6-7pm

Please sign up for an appointment using the sheets available in the School Entrance.

Thur 14th Mar 2019: Sing Together Concert (Year 4)

Wednesday 20th March - Year 3 and 4 trip to Borwick Hall - more details will be sent in a letter on Monday

Tuesday 2nd April - Mothers' Day Afternoon Tea - more details to follow

Wednesday 10th April - Easter Celebration Day - Parents invited - more details to follow

Special News!

Christian Value Certificate - Hope

Emmanuel

Curriculum Certificate -

Tyler

Writer of The Week -

Mia

Next Week -

We will begin our new English unit on historical fiction, looking at Beowulf. This links well with our History work on the Anglo-Saxons. We shall also be focusing on using direct speech effectively. In our Maths work we will be looking at 2D and 3D shapes and exploring angles. We shall discuss why Lent is such a special event in the Christian calendar during our RE session and we shall begin looking at rocks and investigating the technical vocabulary surrounding this Science topic. In our History topic we shall delve into who the Anglo Saxons were and where they settled in Britain.