



## Class Three Newsletter – 7.9.18

### This Week...

Welcome back to everyone! The start of the new school year is always a very busy time and I am very proud of the way that Class 3 children have started their new term. The Year 4 children have been fabulous ambassadors for the younger children, teaching them the ropes and setting a fantastic example in terms of behaviour and attitude. The Year 3 children have made the leap from KS1 to KS2 and are recognising the added responsibility that this entails. For much of the week we have been learning new routines and expectations and practising our key skills which always need a 'dusting off' after six weeks holiday! The children all wrote about their exciting summer and I loved reading about their adventures, many in far flung places such as India and Egypt. As always, please send in any photographs you may have taken of different cultures and faiths which we can use to update our school file. We have also been using our new Times Tables books and looking at numbers to 1000 in our Maths.

## New Class Information

Our days for doing PE this year will be **Wednesday** and **Thursday**. Please ensure that your child has a full PE kit in school at all times.

Our Class 3 Overview is available on the Class 3 area of the school website.

Class targets for Reading, Writing and Maths are also available in the same area of the website.

Homework will be sent home on a Friday and needs to be handed in the following Tuesday. Children will have a homework book to complete most tasks.

Special News!

# Christian Value Certificate - Friendship Harry H and Evie

Curriculum Certificate -Harvey

Writer of The Week -Kara

### Dates For Your Diary

<u>Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> September - Meet The Teacher</u> meeting @ 6pm.

Please come along and find out relevant class information and how best to support your child in Class 3.

Monday 17<sup>th</sup> September - PTA Meeting @3.30pm Please come along and join us. The PTA is a friendly, hardworking group who plan exciting activities for our school family and raise money in the process. They are always looking for new ideas.

### Next Week

We shall be starting our new unit, Stories with a Familiar Setting in English and using the story 'The Owl Who Was Afraid Of The Dark' as a focus novel. The children will be looking at sentence structure and we shall be revising and researching word classes to improve our writing. We shall continue with number and place value as our focus in Maths as well as learning our times tables on a regular basis. In our Science this half term, Class 3 will be investigating Materials and their Properties, looking at changing the state of materials from solids, liquids and gases. Our RE work will involve the children handling and exploring the Bible.