

Class 3 Newsletter

Autumn Term - 18/09/20



This Week...

This week we have continued to read George's Marvellous Medicine by Roald Dahl. The children particularly enjoyed the chapter where Grandma started growing – she grew so much that her head popped out of the roof of the house! In Maths we have continued to look at place value including place value in money. In Geography we have been using atlases to locate UK Rivers. Our Science lesson involved sorting Solids, Liquids and Gases. This week's Art work has been all about water – ponds, the seaside and waterfalls!

**Please encourage your child to log on to TIMES TABLES ROCKSTARS at home. A separate letter containing usernames and passwords was sent last week. The children's accounts have now been personalised to include age appropriate tables.

Next Week.. Maths

Next we will be looking at mental calculation and recapping our work so far on Place Value

English

Next week we will be finishing George's
Marvellous Medicine – we will be writing
instructions, looking at word classes,
practicing writing various sentence structures
and writing Book Reviews.

Class 3 News

I have thoroughly enjoyed the last few weeks; I've loved settling the children back into school and getting to know their lovely individual personalities. They are a real credit to you all as parents. They have been fantastic and have adapted to life back at school so well.

As I now begin to prepare for my Maternity Leave, the Leadership Team have been working hard to recruit a caring and experienced teacher who will continue your child's journey in Class 3. Please be assured that I will be working closely with this person to ensure she knows the school ethos, class routines, any parental concerns and the children's progress so far. School will update you soon with further details. Thank you for your continued support.

Compassion UK Charity

Last year, as a school, we decided to sponsor a child through Compassion UK. Compassion UK is a Christian charity who provide unique relationships between sponsors and their children and ultimately they change people's lives for good! Compassion UK bring **Love** and **Hope** to children worldwide.

Our sponsored child is called Hamza; he is 6 years old and he lives in Tanzania. The money we send as a school will help to support Hamza and his family in order they can live a life free from poverty. This coming year we will be looking to raise the money to cover our monthly payment of £28 to Hamza. Each class will be allocated a month when they will raise the money as a team! Class 3 will be raising money in September!! We will be holding a non-uniform day next Thursday (24th) for this worthy cause. The children may attend school in their own clothes in exchange for £1 for Hamza. This is optional but I hope you are able to support us in supporting our sponsored child.





Important Dates

- Friday 23rd October School breaks up for half term @3.15pm
- Tuesday 3rd November @8.45am school reopens

Don't Forget!

- Please encourage your child to read regularly at home and please sign the reading diary when they do. **Please note in the diary when the book is finished or needs changing.** We will be changing books a minimum of twice a week. Thank-you.
- Homework has been sent out this week. Please can the children choose <u>ONE</u> activity to complete and return to school next **TUESDAY**. They will choose a different activity from the sheet every week.
- P.E. lessons are on a Monday. The children may come to school in their P.E. kit on this day.
- Children are encouraged to bring a water bottle into school to keep hydrated during the day. Water bottles will be brought home each night so they can be washed thoroughly with hot soapy water. Thank you for your cooperation.
- An Overview of what we are learning this term and Class Targets for the Autumn Term are available on the school website.
- REMINDER: Class 3 Pick-up and drop off is at the 'Back Gate' Entrance on Lea Road:

DROP OFF - 8.45am - 9am PICK-UP - 3.15pm

• If you have any questions/queries please do not hesitate to contact me via telephone or email k.morris@leacof.lancs.sch.uk





Special News!

Curriculum Award – Isla. S

<u>Christian Value – Peace</u> – Florence

