

## Timetables

### PE

Swimming – Thursday. Please make sure your child has a swimming kit consisting of swimming costume, towel, hat and goggles. Earrings should be taken out and left at home.

Outdoor PE – Monday.

Children no longer need to come dressed in PE kits on Tuesday and Wednesdays.

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How to help your child at home:

- Keep practising targets sent home during parents evening;
- Count amounts of money and look at how to make different amounts with a variety of coins and notes. Tip out your purse or piggy banks and see how much is there and how much you need to get up to a higher amount;
- Read with your child! (Can't emphasise this enough)!
- Keep visiting Time Table Rockstars, Manga High and Spelling Shed as regularly as possible.
- Visit the local library;
- Work on the targets given out at last term's Parent /Carer's meeting;
- Visit an art gallery and look at sculptures, thinking what you like about it, what materials have been used etc;
- Research all about the history of Eurovision, in preparation for our Eurovision themed week.

Year Three

Curriculum Brochure

Summer 2023



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## Parents as Partners

This information will give you an idea of the work covered over this term. It will suggest activities that you can carry out at home, things to do and where you can go to find more information. As always, we are extremely grateful for the support you give.

**Come and See:** Our topics are Energy, Choices, Special Places and Islam.

**English:** This term we will be reading 'The Firework- Makers Daughter' by Phillip Pullman, 'Oliver and the Seawigs' by Philip Reeve and Sarah McIntyre and 'Adoette' by Lydia Monks. The children will be developing their grammatical structure and descriptive techniques to create their own adventure and quest stories. 'Adoette' is a whole school book study, which focuses on environmental issues and changes through time. This will be an opportunity for children to show case what they have learnt throughout the year.

### **Mathematics**

**Addition and Subtraction-** Using three-digit numbers and the formal method of column addition and subtraction.

**Multiplication and division-** Using times table knowledge to divide two-digit numbers by a one-digit number and use this to solve problems.

**Money-** calculating amounts of money; adding and subtracting different values to give change using both pound and pence.

**Statistics-** Using data gathered in our Geography topic, we will present this information using bar charts, pictograms and tables.

**Capacity-** To measure, compare, add and subtract volume/capacity.

**Science:** Our topic this term is 'Plants.' The children will be learning the stages of growth in plants, how parts of plants work in the life cycle of a plant and how seeds are dispersed.

### **PE**

Swimming- until the end of term.

Athletics- where the children will be learning skills related to track and field events..

Tennis – forehand, volley and serving.

### **Geography- Map skills**

We will be planning a fictitious train journey from Crosby to St Helens and learning fundamental orienteering skills.

**Art and DT:** In art, we will be telling stories by drawing and making. The children will be making their own 3D seawigs, linked to our work on 'Oliver and the Seawigs.' Please save as many newspapers as you can, and any donations of masking tape will be gratefully received!

**Homework:** All children will have their individual reading books and should be reading for at least 15 minutes each day with the support of an adult. Reading scheme books and class library books should come in each day and will be exchanged on a Monday. The learning of times tables for 2, 5, 10, 3, 4, 8 (in that order) will be ongoing. Children have a log in for Times Tables Rockstars and Manga High. Work is set for them by their class teacher. Children also have a log in for Spelling Shed, to practise the weekly spellings we teach on a Wednesday.

### **Music: Sharing Musical Experiences.**

During this topic, the children will be looking at how music helps us to get to know our community. Eurovision will also feature heavily in our music work.

**Coronation celebrations:** As you know, each year group in school is celebrating the King's Coronation. These celebrations will take place on the 5<sup>th</sup> May.

### **Housekeeping**

All school belongings should be clearly labelled with your child's name on them. We encourage the children to take responsibility for their own possessions.

Fruit and cereal bars can be brought to school to be eaten as a snack at playtime.

As the weather becomes warmer, your child requires a **hat and a water bottle** in school. Your child's water bottle should be clearly labelled and brought home at the end of each day so that the bottle is emptied and cleaned. If you feel your child needs to wear sunscreen, please apply it before they come to school.

### **Dates for your diary:**

**Coronation party-** 5<sup>th</sup> May

**3C Rejoice-** 18<sup>th</sup> May

**Eurovision-** 19<sup>th</sup> May. Details of a Eurovision themed week to follow!

**Wear a kit for Jack Day-** 25<sup>th</sup> May

**Sports Day-** June 13<sup>th</sup> (PM)

**Language celebration and Quidditch week-** 19<sup>th</sup> June

**Open evening-** 12<sup>th</sup> July

**End of year-** 18<sup>th</sup> July (1:30 finish)