

Together we will master...Reading:

We will be reading 'Flotsam' by David Wiesner during the first week back!

After that, we will be reading 'The Last Try' by Tom Palmer linking with our History focus!

Together we will master...Writing:

- We will continue to develop our use of direct speech through creating our own adventure stories.
- We will begin to use persuasion in our writing.
- We will write our own poems, linked to live sport experiences.

Together we will master...Maths:

- We will continue to develop our knowledge and understanding of time!
- We will then look at interpreting and presenting information using different types of graphs.
- We will also develop our understanding of angles, lines and shapes.

Together we will master...Science:

- We will learn about forces, and identify some contact and non-contact forces.
- We will explore the use of magnets for classifying magnetic and non-magnetic materials.
- We will test the strength of magnets, observing the distance that forces can occur from.

Together we will master...MFL:

- We will be learning the story of Caperucita Roja (Little Red Riding Hood) in Spanish.

Together we will master...History

- We will be learning about different sports that take place in Hull.
- We will also be learning about the life of Clive Sullivan.

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Together we will master...PSHE:

- We will explore roles and responsibilities within our family relationships and learn to respect others.
- We will think about how we can show appreciation to others.
- We will consider how the work and actions of others around the world can have an impact on our lives.

**What can you do to support your child?**

- Practise times tables/ weekly spellings
- Ensure your child reads daily
- Ask children questions about the book they have been reading
- Encourage usage of Times Table Rockstars, Bug Club and Purple Mash

Together we will master...DT:

- We will be developing our technique when sewing.
- We will sew a coat of arms to represent ourselves.

Together we will master...Computing:

- We will be exploring simulations.

Together we will master...PE:

We will be developing our technique and understanding of cricket.

Together we will master...Music:

- We will explore the disco genre, continuing to develop our improvisation skills using instruments.

Together we will master...RE:

- We will explore the beliefs of the Hindu faith, including the significance of main deities.

### Year 3 routines:

- **Spellings** – these will be given out every Monday and the children will be tested on Monday of the following week.
- **Home reading** – reading will continue on Bug Club and children have a log in for this. Children will also continue to bring a book home every Monday to read with you at home. Their bookbag needs to be back in school on the Friday with new books sent home on a Monday.
- **Purple Mash** – Children all have a personal log in which allows them to access a range of learning activities at home.
- **Times Table Rockstars** - Children have their own log in for this app allowing them to practise their tables at home.
- **Water bottles** – Please ensure your child has a **clear water bottle, containing only water** in school every day. This must be taken home every evening to be washed and re-filled.
- **PE** – Children need to come to school in their full PE kit including trainers, jogging bottoms and a top. PE will take place outdoors. Long hair must be tied back, and jewellery removed.
- **PE** will take place on a Wednesday afternoon for both 3DC and 3SS.

### Assistant Head and Phase leader

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### Year 3 Team

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