



Y3- Autumn 1 Newsletter

Upcoming Events

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02.09.24
Teacher training day

13.09.24
Roald Dahl Day

27.09.24
Community bulb planting

W/C 14.10.24
Art week

23.10.24
Ancient Egypt school trip

25.10.2024
End of Autumn 1 half term

Messages

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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:**

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.

- **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 squash or 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 Friday morning for both 3KH and 3DC



Staffing and contacts

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Assistant Head and Phase leader

Mr Havercroft - tom.havercroft@vennacademy.org

Year 3 Team

3DC - Mr Cothay - danny.cothay@vennacacemy.org

3KH - Mrs Kendall and Mr Havercroft - nicola.kendall@vennacademy.org



Together we will master...

English

- Narrative
- Recount
- Instructions

Recapping basic grammar from year 2 and introducing year 3 features.

Maths

• We will revisit basic skills such as place value, extending this to show a greater understanding of numbers to 1000. We will also learn methods for adding and subtracting three-digit numbers.

Science

• We will learn about the human body, focusing on the purpose of the skeleton and muscles. We will find out about the importance of nutrition and a healthy, balanced diet.

Music

• We will be using our voices to sing and improvise R n B music.

History

• We will be learning about the Ancient Egyptians. We will learn about when the Ancient Egyptian period was, how long it lasted and how people lived during this period of time.

RE

Understanding why people celebrate and the significance of remembering special events.

MFL

• We will be learning to ask and answer questions about ourselves in Spanish.

PE

Developing our football skills and refining techniques such as ball control.

ART

• We will focus on building our observational skills to create self portraits in the style of Frida Kahlo.

PSHE

• We will think about our goals and achievements, and learn about our rights and responsibilities as pupils in year 3.

Computing

Computer systems and networks.

