

# Year 3 Newsletter

## Miss Khan and Miss Johal

### April - May 2025

Welcome back to Year 3! We hope you have all managed to have a lovely two week break. This half term we are learning about the history of our Local Area.

#### Writing

The children will be focussing on a diary entry from the perspective of the main character from the book "Leon & the Place In between". Also, we will be analysing what writing to instruct is which will link to DT lessons and local history.

#### Reading

All children's reading books will be changed each week if they have read at least 3 times a week and have had their reading record signed.

***Please make sure your child has their reading book in school every day.***

Each week the classes will be exploring the different functions of summarising, predicting, inferring and retrieving linked to Leon & the Place in Between.

#### Maths

The children will continue to develop their knowledge of fractions and consolidate their knowledge of Unit & Non- Unit Fractions as well as finding a fraction of a whole number or a set of objects. They will also be learning about understanding money and converting between pounds and pence.

#### Homework

Homework is given out on a Friday through Class Dojo on a weekly cycle. Please support your child at home to complete the tasks set.

#### PE

PE is on the following days:

Usain Bolt Class- Monday (Dance) and Wednesday (Outside)

Gitanjali Rao Class- Wednesday (Dance) and Thursday (Outside)

Remember to send your child into school in their PE kit on the above days. On the days the children are outside, please make sure they are wearing suitable trainers, **black jogging bottoms** and a **black jumper**, as it can get quite cold at this time of year.

If you have any questions at all, please don't hesitate to get in touch by phone or at the door at home time.

Many thanks,  
Miss Khan & Ms Johal

#### Important Dates:



#### You can help by:

Please help your child to recall multiplication facts up to 12 x 12 and division facts as this is a huge focus this year and next.

Below, we have noted a few useful online websites to help your child practise their times tables at home:

<https://ttrockstars.com/>

<https://www.spellingshed.com/en-gb/>

<https://www.oxfordreadingbuddy.com/uk>

Listening to your child read and sharing stories with them, as well as asking questions about the book. Encourage your child to make predictions about what might happen in a book and to give their opinions on a text, using it to support their answers.

Helping your child with any further research they wish to do on the topics we are covering in school.