



Year 3 Class Newsletter

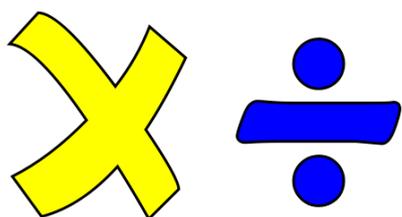
Spring Term 1: Mon 4 Jan - Fri 12 Feb



Welcome back to another busy and exciting term in Year 3. First of all, myself and Mrs Beecroft would like to say how much we are looking forward to working with Year 3 over the coming months, such a shame it is in such difficult circumstances.

In this half term we aim to cover:

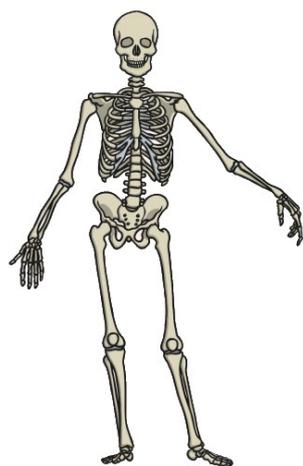
English: We will be using 'Talk for Writing' booklets. Booklet one is called 'The Truth About Trolls' which provides information on these strange, often misunderstood mythical creatures. As well as reading the story in this booklet, the children will have opportunities to draw, create, play with words and read and write poetry.



Maths: The children will begin by learning about multiplication and division. The daily White Rose videos will support the children with this. This is a topic that all children find difficult and therefore trying to take the ideas from the worksheet and playing some more of your own games will help consolidate these maths facts. Try to get the children to see the links between multiplication and division

from the start rather than 2 separate components e.g. If I know that $2 \times 6 = 12$, I also know that $12 \div 6 = 2$ and $12 \div 2 = 6$.

Learning Challenge: In our Learning Challenge topic we will be starting the question 'What makes the earth angry?'. Our topic will include locating places on the world map and finding out about volcanoes. Resources and web links are included within the home learning booklet and on the school website to support the children.



Science: Our new science topic is 'Animals including Humans'. Throughout this unit, the children will be investigating the types of nutrition our bodies need and why and finding out about different types of skeletons, the scientific names of our bones and different types of joints.

RE: In RE this term, we will be continuing to learn about Hinduism. The home learning link has a series of video clips for the children to watch, to deepen their understanding of what it means to be a Hindu. There is also a quiz so they can test their knowledge.



Note: The home learning booklets/work provided does not need to be printed if you do not have the means to do so. Paper can be used to record the children's work instead.

As always, if you have any queries, please use year3@eastmorton.bradford.sch.uk.

Mrs Petts and Mrs Beecroft