



Spring 1 -2024

Dear parents and carers,

Happy New Year! Welcome to Year 3 half termly newsletter which will give you a flavour of what your child will be learning and experiencing in year 3 during the upcoming half term. We hope you find it useful.

Epiphany

This half term we are looking forward to celebrating the birth of Jesus. We will be taking part in Epiphany Mass on Friday 6th January.

Thank you all for the Christmas wishes—we hope everyone enjoyed the break.

Key Dates

Poetry Week—8th January
Year 3 and Year 4 Disco—26th January 6:00-6:45pm
9th February—Pancake races, Palm burning and last
day of term

19th February —First Day Back in School

Please remember children can only bring in fruit for snack at playtime.

We are very excited this term as we will be having Hampshire cricket coaches in working with the staff. Therefore, the PE days will be changing

to:

3CL Wednesday
3DR Wednesday
3MR Monday

RE - we will be learning about Christmas, Revelation and Sikhism.

Reading—our class novel this half term is Dave Pigeon.

Writing - we will be learning how to write mystery stories.

Maths—we will be learning how to multiply with exchanging and using division.

Science—we will be learning about nutrition and sugar in drinks.

Geography—we will be completing a local study of Southampton.

Art—we will be drawing still life pictures using a range of techniques.

PE—our PE lessons are on Wednesdays.

PSHCE— we are learning about relationships **Computing**—we will be looking at data and creating information data bases.

French— we will be learning phrases and sentences related to musical instruments.

Homework—all children are set maths homework to be completed everyday. This homework is based on multiplication.

Spelling is set weekly and children should practice writing their spellings out every day.

Please remember to read daily with your child and complete the reading challenge. Daily reading will ensure your child has the best start in life.