

Year 3 and 4 Newsletter Spring Term One 2023/24

Happy New Year! We hope that you had a restful Christmas holiday! This newsletter will provide you with information on the half term ahead. If you have any further queries, please don't hesitate to contact us.



Best wishes,

The Year 3 and 4 team (Mrs Clarke, Mrs Burton, Ms Gale, Mr Booth, Miss Ibrahim and Miss Lewis)

P.E - All children must wear their PE kit to school on the specified days. They should wear appropriate clothing such as navy tracksuit bottoms or shorts and either a white school t-shirt or their gem top. They should still have a red jumper. Please take the weather into account. It is **essential** that they have trainers on these days.

ЗКL	Monday	Thursday
3NI	Monday	Wednesday
3/4CB	Tuesday	Thursday
4BC	Wednesday	Friday
4YH	Tuesday	Thursday

<u>History-</u> Our topic for the Spring term is <u>The Romans.</u> The topic will last for 2 half terms, ending at Easter. We will be learning about The Roman Empire in the first half term and the impact the Romans had on our lives today in the second half term.

Knowledge organisers have been sent home, which will give more detail about the topic as well as some homework ideas. Please read these with your children and refer back to them throughout the topic. Children will be given gems for sharing homework in school.

English – We will be looking at Roman poetry, newspaper articles and story writing.

Spellings – We will be continuing to learn a new set of spellings each week. These will be shared every Friday, please practise them at home!

<u>Maths</u> - This half term, our first focus will be on multiplication and division before moving on to length and perimeter. We will be working on our mental maths skills, particularly times tables up to 12 x 12. Homework will be set on Fridays and will support the facts needed for the Year 3 & 4 curriculum. Please continue to practise times tables using Times Tables Rockstars.

<u>science</u> - This half term, we will be learning about humans and other animals, with a focus on teeth and digestion.

R.E. - We will be focusing on 'What makes me who I am?'

Homework - We will be putting homework on Google Classroom and sending home paper copies too.

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If you can't access Google Classroom, please let your class teacher or the office know.

Remember to find our 3 & 4 webpage on the website and look on Google Classroom for examples of learning and updates! Here's to a great half term ahead! ©