

# Year 3 Autumn Newsletter

Dear children and parents,

We would like to take this opportunity to welcome you to year 3 and tell you about the topics we will be covering this term.

In History, we will be learning about the Battle of Britain and doing lots of cross-curricular work to support this topic. We also plan to go on a trip to Attingham Park to experience what it must have been like to be an evacuee. More details about the trip will follow nearer the time.

In Science we will be focusing on 'Animals including Humans', looking initially at what makes a healthy diet. We will be linking our Design and Technology work with this, creating healthy sandwiches and packaging.

Maths will follow the National Curriculum and we will be covering a wide range of skills across the subject. In English we will be linking our writing to the topics we cover (where appropriate), writing texts such as letters, instructions, setting descriptions and poetry.

Each class will have ICT every week; this will be taught discreetly as well as using ipads and other equipment throughout the wider curriculum.

PE will be taught twice a week; the children will need to bring the appropriate kit for this. The lessons will be indoor on Mondays and outdoor on Wednesdays with Mr Venn. In year 3, the children will be learning French with Madame Jones on a Tuesday.

The homework this year will be as follows: 5 home reads (minimum), and learning of set spellings and times tables. Spellings and times tables will be tested weekly by the class teacher. We appreciate the support given at home and the impact it has on your child's learning.

We look forward to getting to know you all and please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions.

Mrs Field and Mrs Stennett