

# YEAR 3

# Class Newsletter Autumn 2

#### **Welcome and Special Announcements**

It was lovely to meet so many of you at Parents' Evening this week.

Thank you also to those parents who sent harvest donations last half-term and well done to the children who have received a certificate in celebration assembly so far.

We are looking forward to another wonderful half-term in Year 3!

## Your Year 3 Staff are:

Miss Jones Miss Johnson Mr Fedrick Mrs Whale Mrs K

### Our Learning this term

**WRITING** This term we are using the text Nen and The Lonely Fisherman as a hook and we will be writing:

- 1. A setting description of the ocean and a character description of Nen
- A narrative piece based on the text

#### **MATHS**

This term we are focusing on: Multiplication and division.

#### **SCIENCE**

This term we are learning about **LIGHT** 

Our 'Key Knowledge is:

- There must be light for us to see. Without light it is dark.
- Transparent materials let light through them and opaque materials don't let light through.
- Light comes from a source.

#### **GEOGRAPHY**

This term we are learning about **CLIMATE ZONES** 

Our Key Knowledge is:

- Weather is the short-term weather changes we experience day to day.
- Climate refers to the daily and seasonal weather patterns over a long period of time.

#### **Class Reader**



Stig of The Dump by Clive King

#### OTHER SUBJECTS LEARNING AND KEY KNOWLEDGE

- This term in DT we are making and designing a keep safe box.
- During our Jigsaw lessons we will be 'Celebrating Differences.'

### **Key Information This Term**

# Reading

We would like the children to continue reading to an adult at home.

4 times a week is a good start!

#### **Home Learning**

We will begin to send home spelling and handwriting practice for your child on Mondays.

Spelling tests will happen the following Monday.

**P.E.** This term we will have PE on **Fridays**. Please make sure your child brings the correct kit, which they can then leave in school for the half-term. School house t-shirts are available to buy via parent pay or the school office.

#### **Trips and Visits**

We will be planning trips for later in the year and details will be given closer to the time.