



YEAR 3

Class Newsletter

Spring 2

Welcome and Special Announcements

Welcome back everyone! We are really looking forward to starting swimming this half-term.

This will also be Miss Johnson's last half-term before she goes on maternity leave. We will send out more information about this soon.

Your Year 3 Staff are:

Mr Fedrick
Miss Jones
Miss Johnson
Mrs Whale
Mrs Kotlowska

Our Learning this term

Writing

This term our writing will be based around the book **The Silence Seeker** by **Ben Morley**. We will be writing a narrative (story) based on the book.

Maths

This term we are focusing on:
Money and Time

Science

This term we are continuing to learn about **Animals including humans**.

Our Key Knowledge is:

- Different animals are adapted to eat different foods.
- Many animals have skeletons to support their bodies and protect vital organs.

Geography

This term we are learning about **North America**.

Our Key Knowledge is:

- Knowing where North America is located
- Knowing what the continent is like

OTHER SUBJECTS LEARNING AND KEY KNOWLEDGE

- In Design and Technology, we will be designing and making our own purses or wallets.
- During Spanish lessons, we will be learning the days of the week and words to describe the weather.

Class Reader



The Iron Woman by Ted Hughes

Key Information This Term

Reading

Year 3 children should be encouraged to read regularly at home. (4 lots of 20 minutes a week is a good start).

Home Learning

Each week, Year 3 children are expected to spend 20 minutes on Times Table Rock Stars. They are also given 4 spellings to practice ahead of our weekly Monday spelling tests.

P.E.

This term we will have PE on **Wednesdays**. Make sure your child has correct kit (school house -t-shirt/plain white t-shirt, black shorts, school pumps or black trainers) School house t-shirts are available to buy online or from the office www.pccopton.com

Swimming

Year 3 will be going swimming every Thursday until July. Please make sure that your child has the correct swimming kit each week so that they can participate.