

Class Newsletter – Summer Term 1

Year 3

Staff in the class: Mr Inman and Mrs Everett

Message from the staff: Welcome back! We are looking forward to our summer term and learning!

THIS HALF TERM'S LEARNING

Class Topic: Survival of the fittest

In **DT**, we will be developing and applying the principles of a healthy and varied diet, preparing to cook a variety of dishes and understanding seasonality and knowing when and how a variety of ingredients are grown.

English:

This half term we will be reading '**Fly Eagle Fly**' as our core book. Throughout the teaching sequence, children will enjoy a story and discuss its themes and meanings, broaden their understanding of language used and build a bank of varied vocabulary and write a narrative from a character's perspective.

VIPERS

This half-term we will be reading a range of non-fiction texts about nutrition and the different types of skeletons humans, animals and insects have. We will be focusing on summary, inference and retrieval style questions.

Maths:

This half term we will be covering:

- Mass and Capacity
- Money
- Time
- Shape
- Statistics

Science:

We will be learning about **Animals** including humans. Throughout this unit, children will identify that animal including humans need the right types and amount of nutrients. They will also learn that humans and some other animals have skeletons and muscles for support and movement.

PE:

In PE we will be playing cricket.

PSCHE:

In PSHE we will be looking at relationships.

Modern Foreign Languages:

We will be looking at French adjectives of colour, size and shape.



Music:

In Music we will be learning and analysing jazz music.

How parents can help at home:

- Continue to practice your spellings and handwriting at home.
- Ensure you are filling in your child's reading record so that we know your child is reading at home.

Days/Dates to remember:

-  PE is on a Tuesday & Thursday– children will need to come in the correct PE kit.
-  Homework and spellings are set on Thursday and will be quizzed the following Thursday.