



Class 3



Spring Learning Letter January 2024

Dear parents and carers,

We hope you have had an enjoyable Christmas holidays as we welcome you back to the Spring term and wish you a happy new year!

If you have any questions throughout the year, please do not hesitate to ask or email h.lear@ripley.n-yorks.sch.uk. This letter will include key information, dates and homework for the term.

Yours sincerely,

Miss Lear

Day to day routine

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
			<u>PE Kit</u> Full kit should be in school for PE in the afternoon.	<u>Celebration Assembly</u> Town hall assembly beginning at 9am. <u>PE</u> Full kit should be in school for PE in the afternoon.

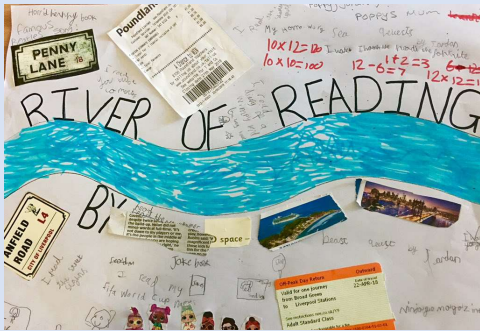
Homework

Children are to complete the following homework **each week**:

- Reading daily
- Statutory spelling practise
- White Rose Maths Booklet
- Times Table Rockstars
- CGP Book (Year 6 only)

Please continue to complete homework in the homework books. Homework books, reading records and Maths booklets should be handed in **every Thursday**. Below, there is additional topic-based homework that can be completed over the half term to deepen and extend knowledge learnt in school. This needs to be handed in on SeeSaw / homework book / emailed to class teacher on **Monday 5th February**.

Create your own 24-hour Reading River. What / how much do you read in a day?!



Design a piece of Egyptian jewellery. Use the internet for inspiration – could you use painted dry pasta, beads or gems?

Create a space / planet mobile to display.



Keep a sky at night journal for a whole week. Write about everything you can see in the sky. You could draw a picture of the moon every night. Does it change over the course of the week?

**Class 3 Homework
Spring Term 1**

Create an architectural drawing of your bedroom. Can you measure each item and create a 'to scale' drawing?

Research a religious festival. Can you find out why it is important and what is done to celebrate?

I am very excited to see your projects! Please feel free to come up with your own project if you have a different idea. Please email projects to Miss Lear (h.lear@ripley.n-yorks.sch.uk) or bring them to school by **Monday 5th February**.

If you have any issues/queries or need support with resources, please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Learning this half term

History

In History, we will be learning about life in Ancient Egypt. We will be exploring Egyptian gods and goddesses as well as daily life.

R.E.

Our R.E. focus is Why are festivals important to religious communities?

Art

In Art, we will be exploring architectural drawings, looking at the work of Hundertwasser.

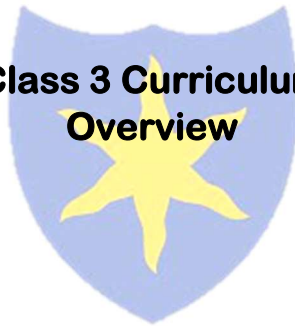
PSHE

In PSHE, we will be exploring the theme 'Dreams and Goals. We will be looking at how to make smart goals.

Science

We are learning about Earth and Space, understanding the dynamics of day and night and the solar system.

Class 3 Curriculum Overview



Computing

In Computing, we will be developing our knowledge of Purple Mash to use and design spreadsheets.

P.E.

In P.E., we will be working on our balance in Gymnastic lessons.

Maths

In Maths this half term we will be concentrating on the fractions, decimals and percentages. We will continue to work on problem solving and reasoning style questions.

English

We are reading the excellent 'Holes' by Louis Sachar this half term. We will be using it in Guided Reading to develop our comprehension skills and in Writing we will be using it to write fiction and non-fiction pieces.