

Year 3 Newsletter



Autumn 2 2023 - 2024

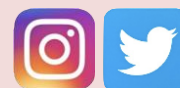
Welcome back to Autumn 2! We hope that you had a restful break and the children are ready for another term of fantastic learning!

Learning this term:

This term in **maths**, we will continue to consolidate our learning around addition and subtraction. Later on in the term, we will be looking at multiplication and division strategies. We will be looking at a range of ways to solve multiplication problems. In **English**, we will be using a variety of texts as a stimulus to our learning. We will be continuing to read *The Witches* and will start *The Stone Age Boy* and *The BFG* later in the term. In **history**, we will be studying The Stone Age and Bronze Age and the impact that it had on Britain and the rest of the world. We will also be visiting The Horniman Museum to support our learning about life in the Stone Age and Bronze Age. In **R.E.**, we will be looking at the religion of Judaism, focusing on the religion and the Synagogue. We will also be looking at what it means to be Jewish. In **science**, we will be exploring the topic of Forces and Magnets. We will be looking at how magnets attract and repel. Our **DT** focus this term will be algorithms. We will be using Scratch Jnr to create our own algorithms for purpose and to create a game. In **PSHE**, we will be focusing on health and safety and looking at how to stay safe at home and at school.

Social Media

Make sure to look at the school's Instagram page [@wingfieldprimaryschool](#) and Twitter page [@wingfieldschool](#) where we will share all of our amazing learning.



Uniform

Please ensure your child wears full school uniform to school each day. This includes a grey Wingfield jumper or cardigan (with school logo), a white polo shirt and a grey skirt, dress, shorts or trousers. Children should wear plain black shoes or trainers. Please support us by also ensuring that your child does not wear jewellery – this includes stud earrings.

Please label all items of clothing with your child's name to enable us to return any lost property to the correct child.

Home Learning

Reading:

Please support your child in developing their reading fluency, understanding of vocabulary and love for reading by reading regularly with them at home. Your child is expected to read at home each day. Please record their reading in their **Home Learning Journal daily** and ensure it is brought in weekly.

Maths and Spellings:

Your child will receive weekly mental maths and problem-solving challenges. Please support them to practise and complete these on time. Your child will also receive weekly spellings and 'Talk Words' to practise each week. Please also encourage your child to regularly practise cursive handwriting of their spelling words at home.

Homework will be available on Showbie each Friday evening and will be expected to be completed by the following Friday by 8 am.

Thank you for your continued support,
Ms Sladden, Miss Whitaker and Mrs Greenbank



P.E. Lessons



3SS – Monday
3EW – Tuesday
3LG - Wednesday

PLEASE NOTE:

On P.E days your child will be expected to wear their full P.E kit to school and will remain in their kit for the rest of the school day.

School P.E kit:

- Plain white t-shirt
- Plain black shorts, leggings or jogging bottoms (no sports logos)
- Plain black sweatshirt or school jumper (no hoodies)
- Comfortable running trainers or plimsoles.

Year 3 School Trip to the Horniman Museum

Just a reminder that 3SS and 3LG will be going on Tuesday 7th November.
3EW will attending on the Tuesday 14th November.
Children should be in full school uniform with appropriate walking footwear. Please ensure they have a coat and a water bottle.

We look forward to having a fun day!