

Year 3 Newsletter



Spring 2 2023 - 2024

Welcome back to Spring 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 money. Later on in the term, we will be looking at length and perimeter as well as capacity and volume. In **English**, we will be using a variety of texts as a stimulus to our learning. We will be using this text to support our writing outcomes which will be a newspaper report, setting description, and an information text. In **History**, we will be studying The Ancient Egyptians, the significance of Ancient Egyptians beliefs and how their beliefs influence their society. In **R.E.**, we will be looking at Christian places of worship and why there are different places of worship for Christians. In **science**, we will be exploring the topic of Animals including Humans and learning to label and name the musculoskeletal system. Our **DT** focus this half term will be bridges. In **PSHE**, we will be focusing on what makes a community.

Social Media

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



PE will be taking place every Friday this half term due to having external coaches. Please ensure all children are wearing their PE kits on Friday.

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 plimssoles.

The Ancient Egyptians

This half term, we will be learning about the **Ancient Egyptians**. We will learn about how they lived, what they discovered and some famous Egyptian people. You can support your child at home by looking at some **key vocabulary** which will help their understanding of the topic.

hieroglyphic	pyramid	Pharoah
afterlife	canopic jars	Ra