

Year 3 Newsletter

Summer 1 2023 - 2024



Wingfield
PRIMARY SCHOOL

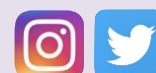
Welcome back to Summer 1! We hope that you had an amazing Easter break and that the children are feeling rested and excited for another term of learning!

Learning this term:

This term in **Maths**, we will be looking at time including analog and digital clocks and also the 24-hour clock. We will also be looking at geometry, focusing on 2D and 3D shapes. In **Geography**, we will be studying Europe and climates across Europe. We will be using atlases and maps to identify key physical features of different European countries. In **RE** we will be learning about Buddhism and what Buddhists believe. In **Science** we will be looking at light and doing some experiments. In **French** we will be learning how to describe what we look like and learn the names of parts of our body. In **DT** we will be making bridges.

Social Media

Make sure to look at the school's Instagram page @wingfieldprimaryschool and Twitter page @wingfieldschool where we will share our amazing learning.



Whole School Project: Sustainability

We begin this term with a whole school project focussing on Sustainability. We will be reading the book *Somebody Swallowed Stanley* by Sarah Roberts to learn about the cause and effect of pollution and to understand how we can help to maintain a healthier environment. This book will inspire our writing outcomes throughout Summer 1 along with an additional art piece - some of which will be featured on our school display!



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 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 ensure your child wears a suitable **coat** during the colder, wetter weather.

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**.

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.

Thank you for your support!

Mrs Greenbank, Ms Sladden & Miss Whitaker.



P.E. Lessons

3SS – Monday PE lesson

3EW – Tuesday PE lesson.

3LG – Wednesday PE lesson.



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. With the weather getting warmer, please ensure your child's PE kit is appropriate for the weather.

School P.E kit:

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

Learning about time

We will be learning about time this half term. Time is something lots of children find quite challenging. Below is a website that we have been using in class to practise telling the time.

Any extra practice reading analogue clocks would be beneficial.



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