Year 3 Newsletter – Autumn 2 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back after a short break away! We have an exciting half-term planned and hope that the following information will be useful regarding the rest of the autumn term. Should you have any questions or concerns please feel free to come and see either of us before or after school.

Kind regards, Mrs Bagom and Miss Begum

English 	This half term Y3 will be focusing on Fiction and Non-fiction. Our Shared Reading text will be 'The boy who grew dragons' by Andy Shepherd with the theme being Responsibility and Friendship. In English we will be writing a narrative and a non-fiction text https://openlibrary.org/ This is a free online library where you can access a range of books.
Maths 	During this half term, children will be focusing on number. This will include addition and subtraction and multiplication. https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z2nqfdm
Science 	In Science, this half term, children will be learning about food waste and rocks. https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zsghcxs
RE 	During RE, children will be learning about more Hindu stories.
Computing 	In Computing, children will use a range of techniques to create a stop-frame animation. Next, they will apply those skills to create a story-based animation. This unit will conclude with learners adding other types of media to their animation, such as music and text.
Geography 	In geography, the children will be learning about Mountains.
History	During the half term the children will be learning about Cradles of Civilization.
Design and Technology 	This half term children will be exploring cooking and nutrition: eating seasonally.
PE 	PE is on Mondays. Our unit this half term is Gymnastics: Movement. The children will learn pike jumps, straight jump half-turns, cat leaps, forward rolls from standing, tucked backward rolls, chassis steps and the squat on vault while developing their understanding of the necessary flexibility, strength and control.
Music 	In Music, children will be Creating compositions in response to an animation (Theme: Mountains).
Latin	In Latin children will continue learning about the origins of language and present and past tense.
PSHE	In PSHE, this half term, children will be focusing on balanced approach, lifestyle choices, sleep and safe zones.



Attendance

In order for your child to get the best out of school and maximise their learning, please make sure your child is ***on time for school and comes to school every day***. School starts at ***8.40am***.

THANK YOU