



## Year 3 Newsletter

### Spring Term 2

Welcome back. We hope that you have all had a lovely half term break and that the children are looking forward to another exciting half term of learning. We have lots of fun activities planned to support the children with their learning. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact us. We thank you for your support.

Miss Jessop, Miss Buxton and Mrs Widdows

#### **Our topics this half term:**

- Humans, including animals in science
- North America in geography
- A healthy and varied diet in DT
- Branching databases in computing
- Online bullying in internet safety
- Basketball and OAA in PE
- Healthy Me in PSHE
- Different creation stories in RE
- Animals in French

#### **The children will:**

- Use reading lessons to take part in discussions about books and share ideas
- Use Imagineering, drama and freeze frame to support their writing lessons
- Continue to learn and become fluent in their 2s, 5s, 10s, 3s, 4s and 8 times tables
- Learn about measurement in maths
- Learn about different enquiry types in science
- Learn about the importance of a varied and healthy diet
- Continue to learn how to sing in a choir and play a stringed instrument

#### **Dates for your diary:**

- Thursday 7th March—World Book Day
- Wednesday 13th March—Science Fair
- Friday 15th March—Comic Relief

#### **Weekly calendar-**

PE:

**3JB** - Wednesday and Friday

**3FW** - Monday and Tuesday

Children should come to school in their PE kit - white t-shirt, black, shorts and trainers. For cooler weather, they can wear a black tracksuit



**Book bags** should be brought into school every Thursday

**New homework** will be sent home for the children to return the following week.

#### **You can help by:**

- Reading with your child daily and discussing the book they read
- Encouraging them to read for pleasure
- Sending reading books and books bags into school every Thursday
- Practising times tables and spellings
- Returning their homework weekly
- Sending a named water bottle or cup for your child to keep hydrated in school
- Giving your child the opportunity to use Times Table Rock Stars