

Y3/4 Curriculum Letter – Autumn 1 2026

GENERAL INFORMATION

Homework

Each week, your child will be set a writing homework task to complete in their homework books. This will be found on their class page on the BGFL in J2Bloggy. Children will also be set homework on Reading Eggs and Mathletics. **Please hear your child read at home and record in their diary – thank you.**

PE

Class J3 will have PE on Mondays and Fridays, R4 Thursdays and Fridays (swimming - starting Friday 18th September), W34 Tuesdays and Fridays. Please ensure your child comes to school in their PE kit on these days. No earrings are permitted to be worn in lessons. Please ensure that if children cannot remove earrings independently, then they should let an adult take them out before school on PE days.

In PE lessons this half-term, we will be improving our football and problem solving skills.

MATHS

We are partitioning, ordering, adding and subtracting numbers and learning what each digit represents. The children will continue to improve their mental mathematics strategies through weekly mental maths activities.

Children will be set a weekly piece of homework on Mathletics and should also practise their Times Tables using TT Rockstars

ENGLISH

We will be reading the Iron Man and our writing will be based on it. In addition, children will be working at improving grammar schools using Grammersaurus.

SCIENCE

This term we will learn about a variety of topics in Science including plants, rocks and food chains.

COMPUTING

This half- term we will look at coding using the Purple Mash program.

PSHE

In PSHE lessons this half-term we will be completing a unit of work from the One Decision program.

GEOGRAPHY

In geography, we will be looking at world mapping skills, volcanoes and earthquakes.

HISTORY

In history, we will be learning about the Stone Age. We will be looking at using primary and secondary sources and looking at the different periods of Stone Age Britain.

RE

Our theme this half term is looking at the environment and different creation stories from a variety of religions.

ART

In relation to history work, our artist focus is Alaa Awad. We will explore the famous sarcophaguses, and will create our own designs. We will then use our designs to construct a sarcophagus.

FRENCH

This term we will be starting to learn/revise simple conversational French.

VIOLIN/MUSIC

R4 will commence violin lessons on Tuesday afternoons. W3/4 and J3 will be working from our Music Express units.

Very best wishes,

Miss Wheatley, Miss Ranson and Mr Johnson