

VAUGHAN PRIMARY SCHOOL



YEAR 3

PARENT CURRICULUM INFORMATION SHEET

TERM: SPRING 2022

We thought you would find it useful to have information about some of the work that your child will be doing in Year 3 this term. The class teachers have prepared the information below which will enable you to support your child at home as well.

In Year 3 this term, your child will be learning about:

<p>ENGLISH</p>	<p>Fiction: Roald Dahl. Non-fiction: Biographies, non-chronological reports. Poetry: Haiku, tanka, kennings. Grammar - Revision of previous term and: Introduction to inverted commas to punctuate direct speech, headings and sub-headings to aid presentation. Expressing time, place and cause using conjunctions [for example, <i>when, before, after, while, so, because</i>], adverbs [for example, <i>then, next, soon, therefore</i>], or prepositions [for example, <i>before, after, during, in, because of</i>] Key terminology for pupils: adverb, preposition, conjunction, word family, prefix, clause, subordinate clause, direct speech, consonant, consonant letter vowel, vowel letter, inverted commas (or speech marks). Spelling Revision from previous year and an introduction to new work and statutory requirements as laid out in the new National Curriculum for English (please see school website).</p>	
<p>MATHS</p>	<p><u>Number</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recall and use the 3 and 4 times table. • Addition and subtraction using up to 3 digit numbers including using the inverse. • Column addition and subtraction. • Addition and subtraction word problems (including numbers beyond 100). • Solving missing number problems. • Fractions. • Multiplication/Division. 	<p><u>Measurement</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Volume or capacity (l, ml). • Adding and subtracting using money including giving change (£, p). • Measure, compare, add and subtract mass (grams and kilograms). • Perimeter of simple 2D shapes. • Measuring in cm and mm using a ruler. • Time.
<p>SCIENCE</p>	<p><u>Geometry</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Symmetrical and non-symmetrical shapes. • Drawing 2D shapes using knowledge of properties of shape. • Horizontal and vertical lines. • Parallel and perpendicular lines. <p>• Plants and animals including humans, lifecycles • Forces</p>	

OTHER TOPICS	<p>History - Bronze and Iron Age. R.E. - Islam and Judaism. Art - Illustrator study. Music - Composition, Beat, Exploring sound, Performance. French - Parts of the body, numbers, animals. Computing - Online-safety, Touch typing, coding Geography - Weather, climate and biomes. P.E. - Football.</p>
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How you can help your child at home

- Ensure the Home Reading Log is completed daily.
- Please help your child to learn his/her spellings.
- Encourage and give help with any other homework and check it before it is returned to school.
- Please ensure that all homework, homework diaries, and shared reading books are returned to school on the correct day.
- Practise of number bonds - e.g., up to 100, all times tables starting with the 3 and 4 times tables, adding and subtracting, especially mental work. Counting out money and giving change. Telling the time.
- Read and enjoy a wide range of books - visit a library when appropriate to do so.
- Visit places of interest e.g. the park, museums and galleries when appropriate to do so.

HOMEWORK:

Home Reading Record and books to share with your child.

English - 1 piece given out Friday to be returned the following Wednesday.

Maths - 1 piece given out Friday to be returned the following Wednesday.

Spellings - taught in class, to be practised at home.

Sometimes these pieces may be substituted for some topic related homework.

<u>OUTING(s) and DATE(s) (if known):</u>	<u>THE DAY WHEN YOUR CHILD WILL NEED TO WEAR THEIR P.E. KIT TO SCHOOL:</u>
	<p>Wednesdays (before February half term)</p> <p>Indoor: Tuesdays (<u>after</u> February half term) Outdoor: Thursday (<u>after</u> February half term)</p>

This information sheet can also be found on the school website.