



Curriculum Newsletter for Year 3 Spring 2, 2018

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are now entering the second half term of the Spring Term. It will be a busy term for the children consolidating the fantastic progress they have already started to make. We would like to share our Curriculum overview with you and some key dates for this half term.

PE day is Wednesday. Please ensure your child has their full PE kit with them.

Homework will go out Thursday and pupils will be expected to return their homework to school on Tuesday. Please ensure all homework is complete and back at school in time.

Our Topic for this half term is Extreme Earth: Earthquakes

Please take a look at our Curriculum Map for this half term.

In Literacy we will be learning explanation texts, explaining the Seder plate. We will also be writing and performing haiku, tanka and kennings

Our spelling and grammar focus will be the statutory words for Year 3

Our core text this term will be the story of Passover and I wonder why volcanos blow their top.

In Numeracy our key skills focus will be on adding and subtraction, multiplication and division facts for the 3, 4 and 8

We will also be focusing on measures of length and weight and telling the time including quarter past and quarter to

In Jewish Studies we will be focussing on learning about Purim and Pesach. The children will continue their studies of Ivrit.

In Humanities our focus is on Earthquakes



Our Science work will be on Forces and magnetism

In RE and PSHCE we will be learning about Wesak, What rules do you think are important for living your life? In PSHCE, we will be looking at relationships with friends and family

In PE and Art/DT we will be working on Cricket (including a trip to the Oval). For art we will be looking at Lightning paintings

In ICT we will be looking at internet safety coding and debugging algorithms