

# Year 3 Newsletter

Spring 2



Last half term, Year 3 made some delicious pizza in DT!



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## Announcements:

**PE** will continue to be every **Tuesday** so please ensure your kits are in school ready.

**Library** day is every **Tuesday** for renewals and returns.

Please continue to **read** with your child every day.

**Y3 Egyptian dress up day is 13.3.24**  
- a letter will follow with more information.

## Diary Dates

World Book Day— Friday 8th March

Y3 Egyptian day (dress up) - Wednesday 13th March

Rainbow Day— Friday 15th March

Parents' Evenings—week beginning 25th March

## Spellings

Here are some of the spellings we will be working on this year:

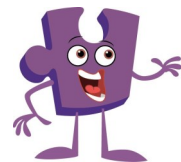
calendar	forward(s)
caught	fruit
centre	grammar
century	group
certain	guard
circle	guide

## Newsletter challenge:

Together with your child, answer the questions on this newsletter and tick the boxes when you have!



In PSHE , we will be discussing 'Being fit and healthy'. We will look how we can maintain a healthy lifestyle.



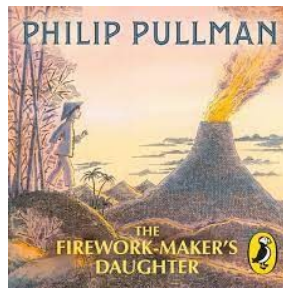
In RE, we will be learning about Easter and focusing on Jesus' forgiveness. Our key question is: What is 'good' about Good Friday?

Can you set a daily fitness challenge to complete at home with your family?



# English

In English, we will be reading 'The Firework Maker's Daughter'. We will be storywriters and practising using speech in our writing.



Can you tell your adult what have you learnt about **Lila** the main character of the story so far?

# History

As historians, we will be learning about Ancient Egypt. We will be focusing on the process of mummification and how the Egyptians preserve their bodies in the afterlife.

Can you tell a family member the process of mummification?

# Spanish

We will be learning about Spanish traditions and carnivals. We will also be learning to say our numbers in Spanish.

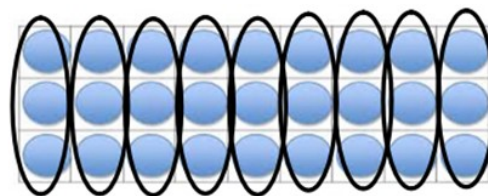
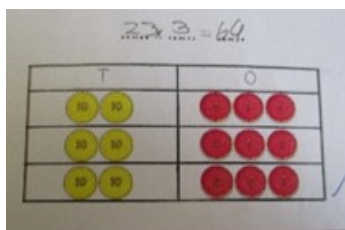
Can you show your adult how you can count in Spanish up to 15?

# Art

This half term, we will exploring Ancient Egyptian art and will be designing and making Ancient Egyptian masks.

# Maths

In Maths, we will be revisiting multiplication and division and extending our learning to include the 8x table. We will also be learning to tell the time to the nearest minute.



$$27 \div 9 = 3$$

# Music

We will be looking at the Pentatonic Scale and will perform some Pentatonic melodies.

# Computing

We will be learning to programme commands into a sequence to achieve a specific outcome.

# Home Learning

Try to read at least 4 times per week or even better, everyday, for at least 20 minutes!

Also, remember we have an **online library** now for you to explore from home!

Remember to practise you times table target at home to!