

Go With The Flow

We will be focusing on our topic "Go With The Flow: The Norfolk Broads" this half term. We will be focusing on field work in Geography and learning how to use maps, sketch our own maps and understand keys. We will also learn about some of the wildlife that can be found there and paint landscapes inspired by "Norwich River Afternoon". We will be visiting UEA Broad to do some further exploration.

In English, we will be writing adventure stories and coming up with lots of exciting scrapes to get our characters into!

In Maths we will be consolidating our understanding of multiplication, and those all-important times tables! We aim for all Year 3 children to know at least their 2, 5, 10, 3, 4 and 8 times tables by the end of the year. Any practice you can do at home will really help the children!

In the week beginning June 18th, we will be marking Refugee Week with a range of thought-provoking activities, and will also be holding our regular "Charities Week" event. If you haven't experienced this before, the children work in small groups to create a stall similar to what might be found at a fete – with games like Name The Bear, Coconut Shy, Find The Treasure, or Guess How Many Sweets In A Jar. The children always come up with great ideas! We will do some preparation in class but will be asking children to do some work on these at home and to bring in a small amount of money each day that week to spend on the games other year groups have made. We ask parents to provide small prizes for these games – please do not feel you have to spend too much on these, however. It could be stickers, rubbers, sweets or a small toy, for example. A letter about the event will be coming home soon. Parents are welcome to come in to help run the stalls on our day (Thursday 21st June, 10am).

As well as all this there is our end-of-year production based around football! The children have already begun rehearsing and are really enjoying learning all the songs. We hope you will join us for the performance!

We hope you and your children will really enjoy the final half term with us in Year 3!



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TRIP TO UEA

Thank you very much to the parents who helped us on our trip to the UEA! The children learnt a lot on the trip and your help was greatly valued!

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

12th-13th June: UEA visits
18th-22nd: Charities Week/Refugee Week
Thursday 21st June: Our Charities Week day
Friday 29th June: 3M Class Assembly
Friday 29th June: PTA Summer Barbecue
2nd – 6th July: Sport, Health and Wellbeing Week
4th July: Sports Day at UEA
6th July: Go Run For Fun at Eaton Park
Monday 16th and Tuesday 17th July: Transition days with new Y4 teachers
17th July 6.30pm: Summer Concert at St Andrew's Hall
Tuesday 24th July: Last Day – bring in toys and games

PE DAYS

3C: Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday
3M: Tuesday and Wednesday
3T: Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday
3P: Tuesday and Wednesday

SUMMER DAYS

In the hot summer weather, learning can be thirsty work! Please make sure your child has a named water bottle in school with them every day, and send in sun hats or sun cream if you feel it's appropriate.

A reminder of our school uniform advice for summer:

"Black or grey shorts or blue school dresses (checked or striped only) may be worn. Sensible sandals may be worn but parents need to bear in mind potential for injuries with open-toed shoes."

We would also highly recommend putting names inside any school jumpers or cardigans as these are often quickly discarded and forgotten on warm days!

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