

Newsletter

Year 3 - Snozzcumbers

Monday 2nd October 2023

Dear parents/ carers

I hope you had a lovely weekend.

In **English** we will start working with a new text called "How to Wash a Woolly Mammoth" by Michelle Robinson. We will learn about prepositions, imperative verbs and start gathering skills for writing a set of instructions.

The spellings for this week are: **favourite, February, separate, difficult, library, interest.**

In **Reciprocal Reading** we will be reading a text about how to make Stone Age stew and we will answer a variety of comprehension questions linked to the Canine Pals.

Thank you for reading at home with your child and signing the reading record. Reading journals will be checked every Monday morning during our reading for pleasure session.

In **maths** we will continue learning about Addition and Subtraction. The times tables test will be on Friday and the focus will remain the 3 times tables. Please use TT Rockstars at home to practice too. If you choose the jamming mode, you are able to select which times tables you want to practice, you can select multiplication only and there is no timer.

In science we will learn about reflective surfaces as part of our topic about Light.

In RE we will learn about the Qur'an.

In music we will practice playing West African percussion music in a call and response style using the djembes.

PE days are Monday and Wednesday. The children will need to bring their PE kits on these days.

Homework this week will be a reading comprehension. It will be set on Thursday and needs to be completed by Monday.

This **Thursday, the 5th October we will celebrate Harvest** with a special service in Tankersley St Peter's Church at 9.30am. Parents and carers are invited to attend.

On **Tuesday 17th October we will have a special scooter skills session** for our class. Can children who have scooters please bring them in? If your child has not got a scooter they will be able to borrow one.

On **Tuesday 24th October we are organising a walk to school event** to promote active travel. Children need to wear something bright instead of their uniform.

We are organising Christmas fayre this year and we will have a special rainbow tombola. Our class has been allocated the orange colour so any donations of items in this colour would be very much appreciated.

Thank you for your support.

Mrs Cooper