

Newsletter

Year 3 - Snozzcumbers

Monday 22nd April 2024

Dear parents/ carers,

I hope you had a lovely weekend.

This week in **English** we will start gathering skills for our next piece of writing which will be a retelling of the Ancient Greek myth about the Minotaur.

The spellings for this week are: **subzero, submarine, subway, subtitle, subheading, submerge**. The spelling test will be on Friday and the children will bring home the results for you to see how they've done.

In Reciprocal Reading we will read about John the Baptist. We will learn some new and interesting words and answer a range of comprehension questions linked to the Canine Pals.

Please continue reading regularly at home. The children can read the book sent from school or if they prefer they can read their own books, but **please sign the reading journal** so we can have a record of their reading activity.

In maths we will continue with the unit about Money. The times tables test will be on Friday and we are now revising **all our times tables**. Please continue to encourage your child to practice at home, especially the times tables they are not so confident with.

In science we will continue with our topic about Plants and we will learn about the different parts of a flower.

In history we will learn about Alexander the Great.

In art we will learn about the French artist Robert Delaunay and use his work as an inspiration for ours.

In RE we will learn about baptism.

In music we will continue practicing our songs about Ancient Greece.

On Thursday we are taking part in Tankersley Marathon. Information about this event was emailed by the school office and the children need to come to school in their PE kit.

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

This Friday, the 26th April, we will have a special Ancient Greek day. We will dress up as Ancient Greeks and we will have lots of special activities which will help the pupils learn many new things about this topic. The children need to come to school dressed up as Ancient Greeks in a white tunic made out of a piece of white fabric, white sheet or pillowcase. If you have difficulty sorting out an outfit please let me know and your child can borrow something from school.

Thank you for your support.

Mrs Cooper