St. Gabriel's C.E. Primary School

"Stand firm... be courageous" 1 Corinthians 16:13
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Welcome back to a new Summer Term 2021 Y3 with Mr Madeley

Things to remember:

Monday:

Spellings set and tested

Wednesday:

Homework set

Friday:

Please come to school in PE Kit

The summer term allows consolidation of learning in Year Three. The children are expected to apply previously learned skills to be more independent and responsible for their own learning using approaches of enquiry, thinking, imagination, creativity, exploration, collaboration and reflection.

I greatly appreciate your role in supporting your child through

homework tasks. However, if there is any concern regarding your child's education or welfare, please do speak to me about it. Very often 'a nip in the bud' can prevent problems before they become bigger issues. Maths Homework will be set related to classwork as Purple Mash 2Dos when it links to White Rose lessons.

Spellings will be sent home on Mondays and will be tested on the following Monday. To assist you with this we will send home the full half term lists via Purple Mash





Reminder!

Please remember that children should only be drinking water in classrooms during the school day. This must be in a sports type bottle to prevent spills. Please ensure that your child has a bottle if they require extra drinks during the day.



Reading

All children should bring home their **reading book** each week as they will benefit from regular reading. Your child will be expected to read regularly at home, both independently and under adult supervision. We encourage children to enjoy their reading, to explore characterization and discuss storylines.

We encourage children to 'rere-read' each book to gain a richer understanding and appreciation of the text and content. Children will also be able to choose school library books throughout the term.

Knowledge Organisers

Children will bring home a knowledge organiser for each of the subject areas this term. This provides key vocabulary, concepts and facts for the children to learn. The learning of vocabulary gives children an essential tool to allow them to write with purpose across the other areas of the curriculum. We will refer back to organisers regularly during the teaching of each unit and use it as the basis for assessment when the unit is completed.

Literacy

Comprehension and Literacy Homework will be set on Purple Mash each Wednesday evening. Homework will be marked online. Children are asked to make an attempt at the homework, and work to the best of their ability. If you find that your child struggles with any aspect, please work with and encourage them, but do let me know, so areas of misunderstanding can rectified.

Multiplication Tables are used in all aspects of maths and quick recall is vital. Please continue to practice these with your child and use the Mad Math Minute Sheets sent home. The children have tables grids in their homework books to help them to learn their tables. Children who know their tables tend to smile in Maths lessons.

PE lessons are on **Friday**. It is very important that all children have their kit in school, so that they are able to participate fully.