

# St. Gabriel's C.E. Primary School



"Stand firm... be courageous" 1 Corinthians 16:13  
**Self-belief CourAge Resilience AmbiTion HarMony**

Welcome back to the Summer Term 2023

Y3 with Mr Madeley

Things to remember:

**Monday:**

- Spellings set
- Homework set and marked

**Wednesday:**

- PE kit

**Friday:**

- Spelling test



**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.

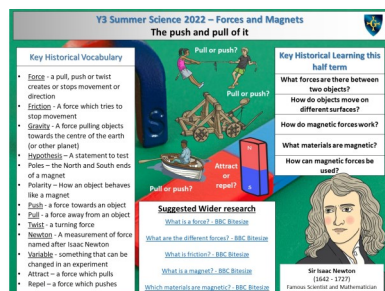
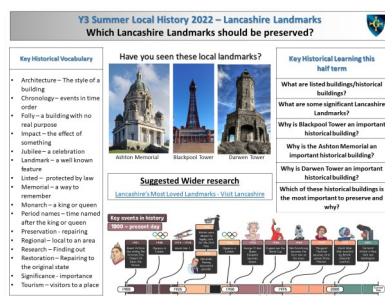
The summer term allows for preparation for moving on through Key Stage 2. The children are expected to apply previously learned skills to be independent and responsible for their own learning using approaches of enquiry, thinking, imagination, creativity, exploration, collaboration and reflection.

I greatly appreciate the role in supporting your child through homework. 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 as it links to White Rose lessons.

**Spellings** will be sent home on Mondays and will be tested on Friday. To assist you with this we will send home the lists on Purple Mash.



## 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 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 each Monday evening. Homework will be marked in class the following Monday. 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 be 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.

## Reading

All children should bring home their **Library 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 're-read' each book to gain a richer understanding and appreciation of the content. Children can access reading books using the Oxford Owl and Purple Mash libraries.

PE lessons are on **Wednesday in April and May up until the half term break then Friday in June and July**. It is very important that all children have their kit in school, so that they are able to participate fully.

