

Year 3 Newsletter- 27th September 2024

Dear Parents,

Apologies for the cancellation of Woodland Learning this week. We made the decision, as it was torrentially raining and we also checked the forecast. It would have been quite wet and muddy, so instead we had a team-building morning. The children were great and we did some brilliant activities that enabled them to work with others and collaborate as a class...it was great fun!

This week in maths, the children have been re-capping their number bonds to 10 and using this knowledge to solve some reasoning problems. The children also played some maths games that involved using their knowledge of the 10,5,2 and 3 times tables.

In English, the children created their own whacky and wonderful chocolate creations. They planned their new bar and thought about how they could describe it using some interesting adjectives. Later in the week, the children created an advertising poster for their chocolate bars. We are choosing one of the chocolate ideas to make as a class (just one square each) this term.

The children learnt a little bit about Stonehenge in history this week and went on to complete a sketch of the stones, in preparation for a piece of artwork next week.

In PE this week, the children took part in a yoga session with me. This is something that I do regularly and I enjoy seeing the benefits that children get from completing poses and calming activities. The highlight was when the children were able to carefully complete a challenging pose with their partners. They took care, thought about their positioning and worked well together.

I am really impressed with the effort I have seen during our times tables and spellings tests; the children are trying their absolute hardest. The spellings have been reduced to 10 for the time being as it is early in the year to be learning so many spellings and it is easier if I choose them from the list of expected words.

Spellings 10:

Flies, tries, replies, copy, copying, copied, copier, happy, happier, happiest.

Spellings 7:

Flies, tries, lies, nice, pat, walk, copy.

Have a great weekend!

Thanks,

The Year 3 Teaching Team