



Oulton C.E. First School

Hand in hand learning together because every child matters to us

Class 3 information for parents, w.b.3rd September 2018

Dear Parents,

We would like to welcome children back to school- we are looking forward to a successful and happy new term.

Our theme this half term is Caring for and Sharing Our Home.

Class 3 will be starting Forest Schools Learning. This Wednesday afternoon will be Year 4 children; next Wednesday will be Year 3 children.

Please note that PE will be taking place on Tuesday and Thursday this term, but children should have trainers with supportive soles in school **every day** to ensure that they are running safely. We strongly encourage families to buy a dictionary for children to support their home learning, for example the Collins English School Dictionary or Oxford School Dictionary, or similar.

Please note that we have made changes to Home Learning. Pupils will be given a Home Learning folder with a sheet detailing the English/ Topic task and spelling investigation for each week. Parents are requested to support children in this learning, helping them if they do not understand. Please sign the completion sheet before it is returned on Monday mornings. Children will bring home a separate Maths challenge on Mondays, which should also be returned on the following Monday morning. If homework is not returned on the day, children will have to complete the work independently in break times, however they will not benefit from the shared Home Learning Review session which take place on Mondays.

If your child completed the Summer Reading Challenge, we will be celebrating their success in Headteacher Worship next Wednesday; please send in certificates on that day.

This weekly letter is uploaded to the school website on Mondays; please check it on a weekly basis so that you are aware of any events/ announcements.

Thank you for your support,

Mrs Dawson & Mrs Potts.



Home Learning

English/ Topic/ Spelling: see sheet

Maths

Y3: work through the number bonds challenges in the pack given to your parents on Transition evening.

Y4: Answer the question " If the answer is 380, what could the question be?" in as many ways as you can.

As you are aware, The National Curriculum expectation for most children at the end of Y3 is that they should know the 2x, 5x, 10x, 4x, 8x and 11x tables. **Y4 should know these and also the 6x, 7x, 9x and 12x tables for their end of year assessments in June.**

Number Facts/ Fluency

Next week the multiplication and division facts check will be on Thursday and the spellings check will take place on **Friday**.

Curriculum overview for this week:

English	Myself
Music	Violins
Maths	Place Value.
ICT	Programming
Science/RE	Where does my food come from?
PE	Invasion Games and Dance
PSHE	Celebrations
History/ D&T	Oulton Village
Forest School	Introduction

ITEMS THAT YOUR CHILD WILL NEED EVERY WEEK

Monday	Violin, completed Home Learning Tasks.
Tuesday	PE kit
Wednesday	Forest School Kit- see separate letter.
Thursday	PE kit
Friday	



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Oulton First School Diary Dates 2018/19

These dates are correct at the time of printing but may be subject to change.

Autumn Term 1 (04.9.17 - 25.10.17)

03.09.18	Inset Day
04.09.18	School Re-Opens
10.09.18	After-School Clubs Start this week
11.09.18	Full Governor's Meeting (5.30pm)
13.09.18	Governor Policy Review Day
17.09.18	Individual Pupil/Sibling School Photos (am)
19.09.18	Phonics Information Session for Parents (6-7pm)
21.09.18	Y3/4 Learn to Ride a Bike Session
26.09.18	European Day of Languages
26.09.18	Maths Information Session for parents (6-7pm)
28.09.18	Harvest Service at St. John's Church (2pm)
02.10.18	Whole School (Exc YN) RE Explore, Engage, Reflect Event
03.10.18	National Poetry Day/ PTFA AGM @ school (7pm)
05.10.18	Rocksteady Music Assembly
15.10.18	Class 3 Trip to Churnet Valley
17.10.18	Family Worship & Bible Presentation to YR (2.15pm)
23.10.18	Parents Evening (4-6pm)
25.10.18	Parents Evening (4-6pm)
18.10.19	PTFA School Disco (6.30-8pm) SD/VP
25.10.18	End of Half Term
26.10.18	Inset Day (School Closed)