



Oulton C.E. First School  
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### **Class 3 information for parents, w.b.24th September 2018**

Dear Parents,

Well done to all of the children for their efforts with cycling on Friday; they should be very proud.

We hope that you will be able to join us for our Harvest Service on Friday at 2.00 at St John's Church.

If your child has recently joined the school, or if you would like to refresh your understanding of how we approach the teaching of phonics at Oulton, we would strongly encourage you to attend the phonics session at 6pm on 3<sup>rd</sup> October.

Every year the school PTFA arranges events for our children and families to enjoy and raises much-needed funds to enhance the experiences of our children both in school and on visits. Class 3 parents would be very welcome to join the PTFA; the first meeting is on Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> October following the Phonics meeting.

To clarify queries about Home Learning tasks:  
English/ topic tasks from the left side of the Home Learning sheet and Maths challenges should be returned on Mondays *at the latest*, please. Spellings practice should be sent into school for Mrs Potts to see on Thursdays.

Thank you for your support,

Mrs Dawson & Mrs Potts.



## Home Learning

**English/ Topic/ Spelling:** Home Learning Pack sheet.

### Maths

Play a board game or a card game with your family or friends. Try to use your mental Maths to help you (for example ordering numbers when playing "21", adding on instead of counting one at a time when moving around the board in Ludo, Frustration or Chess).

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

This 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:

<b>English</b>	This Moose Belongs To Me Big Write.
<b>Music</b>	Violins
<b>RE</b>	Harvest
<b>Maths</b>	Place Value. Y4: Place Value, Roman Numerals, Y3: Place Value challenges.
<b>ICT</b>	Programming- Scratch
<b>Science</b>	Animal Classifications & food sources
<b>Languages</b>	Le Pêcheur book: numbers, days of the week and recycling.
<b>PE</b>	Invasion Games and Dance
<b>PSHE</b>	Individual strengths
<b>Geography/ History/ D&amp;T</b>	Oulton Village
<b>Forest School</b>	Exploring the forest



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ITEMS THAT YOUR CHILD WILL NEED EVERY WEEK	
Monday	Violin, completed Home Learning Tasks.
Tuesday	PE kit
Wednesday	Forest School Kit- see separate letter. Wellies
Thursday	PE kit Spelling practice sheet
Friday	

### 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)

- 17.09.18 Individual Pupil/Sibling School Photos (am)
- 26.09.18 European Day of Languages
- 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
- 03.10.18 Phonics Parents' Meeting (6pm) followed by PTFA AGM (7pm)
- 05.10.18 Rocksteady Music Assembly
- 10.10.18 Maths Information Session for parents (6-7pm)
- 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)