

# CLASSROOM NEWSLETTER

YEAR 3 SPRING 1

## ENGLISH

This term, we will begin by reading *Pigs Might Fly*, an exciting story about pigs taking part in an air race against the Big Bad Wolf. Inspired by this text, the children will plan and write their own imaginative stories for a chosen audience. As the term continues, our reading and writing will focus on the Romans, linking closely with our History learning. During this unit, the children will produce a range of written work, including a letter and a persuasive speech.

## MATHS

In Maths, we will continue developing our understanding of multiplication and division before moving on to the topics of length and perimeter. The children will learn how to multiply and divide two-digit numbers, as well as measure in millimetres, centimetres and metres.

## SCIENCE

Throughout the term, we will explore the role of skeletons and muscles in the human body. The children will also learn how the body uses energy and what makes up a balanced diet.

## HISTORY

In History, we will investigate why the Romans invaded and settled in England, as well as how the Celts responded to these changes.

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

During RE lessons, the children will learn about key aspects of Hindu belief and worship. They will explore important Hindu beliefs and consider how these are expressed through thoughts and actions.

## DESIGN AND TECHNOLOGY

In Design and Technology, the children will design digital wearable technology. They will develop both a program and a housing for a Micro:bit as part of this project.

## MUSIC

In Music, we will focus on improving singing technique, learning to keep in time and understanding basic musical notation. Our musical learning will be based around a song linked to The Vikings.

## PE

In PE lessons, the children will be developing and refining their gymnastics skills.

## REMINDER

**THIS HALF TERM OUR P.E. DAYS WILL BE WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY.**