YEAR 3 CURRICULUM INDUCTION EVENING - FAQ

Learning at Home Expectations:



Daily

Reading at Home

Please ensure your child reads at home, daily for at least 10 minutes. Your child should be taking home two books per week. One colour banded (targeting phonics, decoding and comprehension) and one reading for pleasure book (to promote a love of reading). If your child finds the 'reading for pleasure' book too challenging please read with them. Although we recommend children change their books at least once a week, children can change their books as often as they would like throughout the week. In addition to this, we realise some texts are quite long and children may need to keep them for a few days extra to finish reading them.

Weekly

Spelling

Spellings are set to be practised on a weekly basis and set at the beginning of each half term. They are available on our Year 3 page on the school website: https://www.beaverroad.org.uk/page/learning-at-home/82128
We suggest practising spelling 2-3 times per week for 15 minutes.

Times Tables

Times Tables are set to be practised on a weekly basis and set at the beginning of each half term. They are available on our Year 3 page on the school website:

https://www.beaverroad.org.uk/page/learning-at-home/82128

We suggest practising times tables 2-3 times per week for 15 minutes. We highly recommend using the website: https://www.timestables.co.uk/

Half Termly (these activities are optional)

Learning @ Home Grid

At the beginning of each term our learning at home grids will be available on our school website. These activities related to what we are learning in class that half term. There are a variety of activities with focuses across the curriculum such as D&T, Science and Geography. These activities are optional. You can share these activities on Seesaw into the Learning at Home folder.

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Recording Reading and Seesaw

We will also use Seesaw as a means of logging which reading book your child has currently taken home and monitor the book choices a child is making, the frequency with which a child is reading at home and changing their books at school. Please try to hear your child read every day. Each time your child changes their reading book in school, they will upload a picture of the front cover. This picture will be uploaded into the 'Reading at Home Folder.' It is important to comment on your child's reading at least once per week. This helps your child's class teacher to understand how your child is progressing with their reading at home. Comments can relate to children's enjoyment of the book and new vocabulary explored. For example...



Please note, we politely request that Seesaw is not used as a direct means of communication between parents/ carers and teachers. We have an open door policy at Beaver Road and value the relationships we have with our families. Therefore, if you have any general enquiries please speak to your child's class teacher either in person at the end of the school day or email the school office using the following email address. admin@brps.net