

Year 3 Autumn Newsletter 2023

I hope you've all had a lovely summer and are ready for a new year at school! I'm looking forward to getting to know you all and I hope you're excited to be starting Year 3. If you do have any questions or would like to contact us about anything, please feel free to send an email, k.curley@crackleybank.staffs.sch.uk

This term, in maths we will be starting with place value, then moving onto addition, subtraction multiplication and division. We have some exciting books to read this term, including Fantastic Mr Fox and The Angel of Nitshill Road! In science we will be looking at rocks, forces and magnets. We will also be learning about the towns and cities in the UK in geography and the local pottery industry in history. In computing we are learning about connecting computers and we will be exploring friendships in PHSE and drawing in art.

We will continue to be working on understanding our Crucial Knowledge for each subject. You can find this following the link below.

<https://www.crackleybank.staffs.sch.uk/homework/year-3-crucial-knowledge-2>

Notices:

Water bottles need to be brought into school and taken home each day. They also need to be named.

Reading books need to come into school everyday and will be changed when needed.

School lunches are provided by Chartwells Catering and cost £2.89 a day. The menu is available on our website at <https://www.crackleybank.staffs.sch.uk/index.php/parent-information/lunch-menu>

Homework will sent home each Thursday on paper and will be due the following Wednesday. This will include spelling and times tables. Children also need to make sure they are reading at home each night.

We will be having PE on Tuesdays and Fridays. The children need to come to school in their PE kits on these days and it can be worn all day (no need for changing). Hair must be tied back and all jewellery must be removed at home. PE kit: plain jogging bottoms (no zips/logos) or shorts and either their team colour t-shirt or plain white. Please ensure that children have trainers / plimsolls as well. As PE sessions may take place outside, jumpers and tracksuits bottoms will also be needed.