

# Year 3 Broadstairs Term 5 Newsletter

Welcome back to school! We hope you all had a lovely Easter celebrating it with your family and friends! We are looking forward to all of the learning in Term 5! This term's targets are 25 for the reading pond and 5 for home learning. Please make sure you are continuing to read at home and that reading books and contact books are in school every day.

Miss Brisley

## Maths 123

This term in maths, we will be recapping place value and addition and subtraction. We will be learning how to compare and order numbers up to 1000, recognising the place value of each digit in a three-digit number, adding and subtracting numbers with three digits using formal written methods and continuing to count backwards and forwards in increasing complexity.

In topic maths, we will be learning all about measure. We are going to be looking at measuring, comparing and adding and subtracting mass, volume and capacity.

## English!

This term in English, we are reading the brilliant book 'Stone Age Boy'. We are going to be learning how to use adverbs and prepositions in our writing to express time and cause. We are going to be looking at inverted commas, understanding how to use apostrophes for omission and also how to identify 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> person pronouns and apply this to our writing. We are also going to be looking at information texts and will be focusing on fronted adverbials and the different types of structures for writing.

Please make sure that you are reading daily.



## French

In French, we are going to be learning all about food.

We are going to be using our previous learning to help us have a short conversation in French with one another.

## TIMES TABLES ROCKSTARS

Keep Up with Times Table Rockstars! Let's all work towards being Rock Legends and Rock Heroes!

<https://play.ttrockstars.com/auth/school/student>

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### Reminders:

- School trip to Living Land: 2<sup>nd</sup> May
- PE kits for PE lessons - Wednesdays. Earrings should be left at home.
- Spellings are given out termly.
- Daily reading should be recorded in planners and signed.
- Busters Book club is every Wednesday, don't forget to write your minutes on your contact bookmark.
- Home learning is issued termly and can be handed in when completed.
- Correct uniform please, including shoes. Any problems or concerns, please write a note in the student's home contact book.

## Stone Age to Iron Age

This term we are learning all about history during the Stone Age to the Iron Age. We will be looking at: the passage of time between the Stone Age and Iron Age; their homes and how these changed over time; their clothing; their food; and how Britain has changed since the Stone Age.

### In DT...

In DT this term the children are going to be designing, creating and then evaluating prehistoric homes.

### In RE...

We will be looking at the question 'Why do some people think life is a journey?'.

We are going to be learning about Baptisms, Bar Mitzvah, reincarnation and also why people get married.

### In Music...

Year 3 are going to be learning how to develop their skills in playing tuned instruments and reading notation.

### In Computing...

Children are going to be learning how to create an animation using the programme 'Scratch'. They will then be learning how to programme a digital game.

Once they have done this, they will be given the opportunity to play each other's games. They are also going to be recapping what an algorithm is.

### In PSHE...

Children are going to be looking at the question 'Why should we eat well and look after our teeth?'. We will be looking at how to keep our bodies and teeth healthy.

We will also be looking at how sugary drinks can have an impact on our teeth if we do not brush our teeth properly.