



Year 3 Learning Letter

Friday 6th March 2026

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Spring has sprung! Well done to Year 3 for hitting the ground running after Half Term for this short run up to Easter. Now in the second half of the year, we are working on developing the children's independence by pushing themselves to ensure every piece of work is the best they can produce and they are as self-sufficient as they can be in and out of the classroom.

The next two weeks:

- In **English**, we will be writing our persuasive letters to the "local council".
- In **Maths**, after our fractions unit, we will move onto learning about mass and capacity.
- In **Geography**, we will be looking at local land use.
- In **RE**, we will learn about Sukkot and Pesach, two of the Jewish foot festivals.
- In **PSHE**, we have set ourselves a fitness challenge and will continue working towards our goals!

Spelling patterns

05/03: add the prefix 'auto-' to root words.

12/03: add the prefix 'sub-' to root words.

15/03: add the prefix 'inter-' to root words.

Parent Focus Groups

Following on from our Newsletter last week, this is a gentle reminder about our **Parent Focus Groups** for:

- **SEND** (Special Educational Needs and Disabilities)
- **PSHE** (Personal, Social, Health and Economic Education) Curriculum
- **Behaviour and our Whole-School Approach to Relational Practice**

If you are interested in joining, please complete the short expression-of-interest form via the link below. Thank you for your continued support.

[Parent Focus Group - Fill in form](#)

Dates for the diary:

Friday 27th March: All payments made for Nower Wood and break up for Easter @1.15pm

Monday 13th April: Children return to school

Thursday 23rd April: Year 3 Nower Wood trip

Monday 4th May: Bank Holiday

Thursday 21st May: Maypole and break up for Half Term

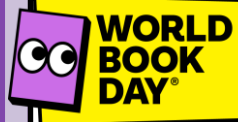
Friday 22nd May: INSET Day

Monday 1st June: INSET Day

Tuesday 2nd June: Children return to school

Planting

If you have any unwanted or half-opened seed packets, we will gladly take them off your hands but please only send what you no longer need!



World Book Day 2026

What fantastic costumes we saw today, an amazing effort from all of Year 3. Thank you for all your help with these. This year is all about reading for pleasure, linked with the National Year of Reading. Please encourage your child to spend their WBD voucher, which can be used to collect a free book from participating shops! Resources for families and home can be found here:

<https://www.worldbookday.com/families/>

<https://goallin.org.uk/>

Homework

This week, we have set a Geography based activity to create a poster on a place of interest in the UK that the children have visited. We have sent home a sheet of A3 to use rather than do this in Homework books and it is due on **Tuesday 17th March.**

Nower Wood trip

You will have now received a letter regarding our Year 3 trip to **Nower Wood** on **Thursday 23rd April.** We are asking parents/carers to drop and collect their child from Nower Wood (KT22 8QA).

Drop off: 9.15-9.30am.

Collection: 2.30-2.45pm.

We recommend car shares! Please may all payments be made by **Friday 27th March** and do let us know if you have any questions. Thank you!

Nothing more from us! Have a lovely weekend,
Mr. Evenden and Miss Tennent