



## We are going to learn about...

- English - Diary writing linked to the Egyptians
- SPELLING RULE** - We are focussing on different suffixes: ed, er, ing, est, ment, ness, ful less. If a word ends in 'y', the 'y' changes to an 'i' when a suffix is added. When a word ends in 'e', the 'e' at the end of the word is dropped when the suffix is er, ing and ed are added. Useful video link below.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/english-ks2-wonderful-words-suffixes-part-1/zdnd7nb>

- Maths - Addition and subtraction
- SPAG - Tenses
- Topic - Looking for evidence of daily life in Ancient Egypt
- Science - Wind force - windmills
- French - How are you? Comment ça va?
- Computing - Internet Safety
- PE - Athletics
- RE - understand that people of different faiths believe the world was created by God



## Times Tables Rockstars

Children can access Times Tables Rockstars at home, using their school login. The 'Garage' section allows them to practise the tables based on their Y2 times table level and the initial Y3 assessment, which has been set by their teachers. However, they can access tables up to 12x12 in the other areas, such as 'Studio'. Please support your child with practising their tables on Times Tables Rockstars at home, as it is the speed of fact recall which is the key factor.

## Homework

All being well, a homework task will be sent out to children via MS Teams by Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> October. An email from the school regarding MS Teams log-ins will be sent out to ensure the children have access to this platform. So, watch this space!

This will be a trial run, as this is how homework will be sent out, completed and returned in the future. This is to avoid Homework books going to and from home and school.



## Internet Safety

The children have been revisiting how to keep themselves and others safe whilst using the internet. You will find our School Online Safety Policy on the School website:

<https://www.northdowns.surrey.sch.uk/page/?title=Safeguarding&pid=448> .

To access more information, please visit <https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/> You will find it within the 5-7 link button.

This week the children have been tasked with finding our Year 3 blog on Purple Mash to share what they enjoy doing online.

## Reminders

**MATHS KIRFs** - Please support your child in learning this half term's KIRF, as this will be assessed in school.

**PE KIT** - Please ensure that your child comes to school on Thursdays in their PE kit.

**NAMED ITEMS** - Please name ALL your child's belongings: water bottles, lunchboxes, jumpers, cardigans etc.

**READING DIARIES** - Thank you for listening to your child read at home **Please can we remind you to initial their reading diary each time they read.** Please ensure this is done in the reading record area at the front. If your child is a free reader, then they may bring a book in from home to read.

Thank you ☺