



YEAR 3 AUTUMN NEWSLETTER

Dear Parents /Carers of our lovely Year 3s,

Welcome back to school after what has been undoubtedly, a very strange and unusual few months. Our main aim is to get the children settled and to ensure they feel happy, safe and secure in what is, a very difficult time. With this in mind, we will be spending a lot of time doing well-being and mindfulness activities to help the children through this challenging period.

We have been really pleased with how well the children have settled into KS2 so far. If they continue working as hard as they are already, we are sure they will do fantastically well this year!



It is strange not to be able to see you all at the start and the end of the day. If there is anything you would like to tell us or talk to us about, please feel free to email us on the home learning email address: homelearning@bickley.bromley.sch.uk and we will email you back.

This term we will be learning the following:

- Maths – Place value, addition and subtraction, multiplication and division and times tables (x3, x4 and x8)
- English – grammar including: verbs, adverbs and past and present tense and we will have a big push on handwriting (working towards a fully joined script)
- RE – Hinduism (Diwali) and Christianity
- Science – Rocks, Soil and Fossils and Animals including humans
- History – Stone Age, Bronze Age and Iron Age
- French – Greetings, numbers to 20 and age
- ICT – We will start the term by introducing Google Classroom
- PE – Athletics, Orienteering and Dance (**P.E. days are Tuesday and Friday**)



Reading:

Regular reading is vital for children's knowledge and learning across the curriculum. Therefore, we expect the children to read every day and regularly with an adult. This is now even more important as currently we are not allowed to have any parent helpers on sight.

Spellings:

The spellings for the half term will be sent in paper form and later via Google Classroom. The children will be tested on Friday mornings (see sheet for the dates the tests will take place).

We are looking forward to a year full of happiness, enthusiasm and exciting learning!

From,

Mrs Bradshaw, Mrs Moon and Miss Kaynak

