



Welcome to Year Three



Class Teacher	Mrs Stoddart
Support Staff	Mrs Richardson , Mr Wright , Mrs Wharton and Miss Peachey
PPA Cover	Mr Wright teaches on a Monday afternoon and teaches Computing, Religion and World views and PSHE
PE	Thursday and Friday
Times Tables	KS2 is a time where multiplication is a huge focus as you are expected to know all of your times tables facts by the end of Year Four. Children in KS2 are encouraged to use Times Tables Rock Stars for five minutes a day.
Reading Books	We place a great emphasis on reading in school. Strong attainment in reading is shown to have a hugely positive impact on the wider curriculum. Reading books will be sent home every Tuesday and should be returned to school the following Monday .
Homework	Homework will be set each Friday and should be completed and returned to school by the following Thursday . If your child does not return their homework on time, there will be a lunchtime homework club where they will complete it independently. If your child requires some assistance with homework, please bring it to school before the deadline date where we will be happy to help.
Beach School	Dates and groupings will be confirmed in a letter prior to each visit. Please ensure that you have the correct visit date for your child. On the morning of your



	<p>child's beach visit, they must come to school in the appropriate clothing as detailed in the visit letter. We aim to leave school by 9.15am and therefore do not have time to get children ready in class or wait for kit to be brought from home. Remember, when buying new waterproof jackets we suggest that you buy them slightly bigger so that you can still fit a warm coat underneath in the cold weather.</p>
Absence	<p>Please call school on the first day of your child's absence. School operates a first day absence call system.</p>
Illness	<p>Children must be kept off school for a minimum of 24 hours after sickness or cases of diarrhoea unless there is a wider outbreak when this will become 48 hours.</p>
Holidays	<p>Holidays should not be taken during term time. School attendance remains a key priority for the school. Attendance across school is monitored on an ongoing basis and we will work closely with our Education Welfare Officer to support with attendance concerns.</p>
Water Bottles	<p>Please ensure that your child has a named water bottle at school every day with fresh water in it. Drinking water throughout the day has been proven to improve concentration and learning.</p>
Snack	<p>Children in Key Stage Two may bring a fruit snack each morning. If you wish to give your child grapes or small cherry tomatoes, please cut them in half lengthways to avoid a choking hazard. We are a nut free school which means no products which contain nuts can be brought into school under any circumstances. This includes</p>
Jewellery	<p>Jewellery must not be worn during the school day. This includes smart watches and any piercings. Alongside other schools in the Cramlington Partnership, we have a policy of no earrings as they present a health and safety hazard. This includes flat plastic retainers.</p>
Weather	<p>On sunny days, please apply sun-cream to your child before coming to school. If the sun-cream is not a 'long-life' cream please teach your child to put their own sun-cream on ready for lunchtime as adults are not allowed to help. Also a reminder that children must not share their sun-cream with others.</p>
Communication	<p>A weekly newsletter is emailed out to parents every Friday. You will also receive texts and emails so please ensure you open these so that you don't miss important information. We also have a school Facebook page and website which are regularly updated.</p>

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Class Information - Year Three



Useful Links

<https://ttrockstars.com/>

<https://emile-education.com/>

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/primary>