



Kirk Fenton  
CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

# Milligan Class News - Spring 1

## What we are learning...

We have lots of great learning planned for this half term...

**Topic:** This half term, we will be continuing our learning about the Romans. This will include Roman leisure time, Gladiators and what it was like to live under Roman rule.

**English:** This half term,, we will be writing adventures stories based on the book, The Secret of Black Rock by Joe Todd-Stanton. We will be trying to include Fronted adverbials into our writing. We will then be using our Science learning about Mary Anning to write a Biography about her life.

**Maths:** This half term, we will be starting with multiplication and division. We will be focussing on learning our 3 x , 4 x and 8 x table and related division facts. Please practise these at home.

**Science:** This half term, we will be learning about Rocks. We will be comparing and grouping rocks, learning how fossils are formed and investigation soils. Our key Scientist for this half term is Mary Anning.

**RE:** This half term we will be thinking about prayer and what it means to different people.

## Year 3 - Milligan

Happy New Year.  
We are pleased to  
welcome Mr Whiteley to  
the Milligan Team. Please  
come and introduce  
yourself at the door.

Mr Whiteley, Mrs Bembridge,  
Mrs Parnaby and  
Mrs Keyse

Our class novel is 'The  
Legend of Podkin One-Ear' by  
Kieran Larwood.

Topics to discuss with your  
child. These link with our RSHE  
learning for this half term.

What are your dreams and  
ambitions?

Who inspires you?

How can you overcome challenges?

How can you achieve your dreams  
and goals?

## Homework...

Homework plays a key part in your child's learning and we expect that all children complete their homework weekly.

Year 3 homework includes:

- Reading. Children should be reading daily at home. Please record comments in their reading record.
- TTRockstars (30 minutes a week)
- Spelling Shed (30 minutes a week)

## Reminders...

Friday is our P.E. day and children need to come into school in their P.E. kits. All jewellery must be removed including earrings.

Reminder: Long hair should be tied back in school.

Please send your child to school with their own water bottle each day.

Reading books are changed on a Friday. Please keep reading books and records in book bags so that they are in school everyday.

Library Day is Wednesday.