

## Luther King - Year 3



Spring 2 Newsletter



Welcome back to school.

We hope that everybody had a wonderful half term, and a relaxing break.

We have a busy five weeks ahead, but it's going to be a fun half term with World Book Day, Science Week and Forest school to name a few things.

Mr Whiteley and Mrs Mawson

#### What are we learning:

Our topic this term is: How did the Romans come to invade Britain?

In English, we will be finishing our biography on the life of Mary Anning. We will then be moving onto a – narrative about an escape from a natural disaster, based on the events at Pompeii. We will continue with a focus on good handwriting and sentence structure, whilst also looking at conjunctions and tense.

In maths, our focus will be on fractions followed by length and perimeter and then mass and capacity. We will also be continuing with our weekly timestable quiz.

Our science topic will continue looking at Rocks and we will be recogising that soils are made from rocks and organic matter. Additionally, for British Science Week, we will be choosing, investigating and presenting an assembly on who Luther King class thinks is the greatest scientist of all time why!

In History, we will be looking at how the Romans built the Roman Empire, invaded other countries as well as the impact they had on Britain. Our Christian Values



Our Christian values this term are: Respect and Perseverance

## What are we Reading?

This term we will be finishing 'Stig of the dump' by Clive King.



We will also be reading 'Stitch Head' by Guy Bass.



We will also be reading a range of picture books and short texts linked to our science, history and writing topics.



#### Homework

Each week, the homework expectation is:

- Complete the spelling assignment on EdShed:
- · Complete 30 minutes per week on TTRockstars
- To read each day, with their school book.

There will be TTRockstars club on Wednesday lunchtimes and Spelling club on Friday lunchtimes to help support anyone who cannot access the apps that week.

Children may be asked to attend the clubs if they do not do the homework.

If you have lost or cannot access EdShed or TTrockstars, please let me know as soon as possible.

### Reminders

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

Long hair should be tied back in school.

Please send your child to school with their own please feel free to get in water bottle each day.

Snacks at breaktime should be either fresh fruit or vegetables.

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

Library Day is Wednesday.

#### Upcoming dates



7th March - World Book Day

8th March - Friends of Kirk Fenton's curry and quiz night

14th March - Forest School

14th and 19th March - Parents evening

18th to 21st March - British Science Week

21st March - Science week assembly

21st March - Open classrooms

# Musician of the month

This half term we will be learning about and listening to music from the following artists:

February - Hans Zimmer

March - Elvis Presley

If you have any questions

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or come and speak to one

of us on the door.