



Year 3 Newsletter

Term 1

What will be learning this term?

In Maths, we will have a big focus on Place Value - ensuring we know the value of the digits and how to manipulate numbers.

In English, we will be learning all about volcanos! We will be focusing on the story 'Escape from Pompeii', we will then learn all about the characters and the story and use this knowledge to create setting descriptions and character dialogue.

In Science, we will be learning about magnets; we will be participating in investigations to find out what materials are magnetic. We will also be learning what force and friction is.

In History, we will be learning about the history of The Romans and why they invaded Britain! We will look at what impact the Roman empire had on Britain, this will include roads, roman numerals, buildings and religions.

In Music, we will be learning all about Ballads. We will listen and respond to a range of ballads and even create our own!

In RE lessons our focus question will be 'What is it like to follow God?' We will be specifically focusing on the Biblical story of Noah and the covenant God had made to him.

In PE, we will be developing sport specific skills as well as working on team building.

In Computing, we will be discovering computer systems and networks and how they work, including looking at what different parts there are in our school network system.

In PHSE, we will be learning how to develop healthy relationships and what different families look like.

For more information about what your child in learning this term, please visit: [Our Curriculum | Birchington Church of England Primary School](#)

Homework

<u>Year 3</u>	<u>Homework Task</u>	<u>Day of the week set</u>	<u>Day of the week to be completed</u>
Spellings	Learn your new spellings	Wednesday	Wednesday
Times Tables	Keep learning your times tables	Wednesday	Wednesday
Reading	You must read at least 3 times a week	Monday	Friday
Homework Task	Choose one or more of the other tasks in the homework grid to complete.	Wednesday	Wednesday

Dates for your diary



Tuesday 2nd September - First day of Term 1

Tuesday 16th September - Flu vaccinations

Wednesday 24th September - Quex Ploughing Match

Friday 26th September - Come and See

October - Black History Month

Thursday 2nd October - Poetry Day

Friday 17th October - Last day of Term 1

Monday 3rd November - First day of Term 2

If you have a concern about your child's learning, please initially speak to their teacher at the end of the day or contact the YGL email to arrange a meeting or phone call. For more information about SEND, please visit: [SEND | Birchington Church of England Primary School](#)