



Parsons Heath

Church of England (Voluntary Controlled) Primary School

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Dear Parents/Carers/Guardians,

Firstly, may we wish you and your child a very warm welcome to Year 3, we hope that you have had a great summer and are ready to start another year.

We have attached a programme of study to give a brief outline of the intended topics in Year 3. Home learning will be given to the children on a half termly basis with spelling and times tables and optional tasks to complete. If your child is having any difficulties completing the work set, please drop us a note or call in to see us and we will be happy to provide them with some extra help. It would also be of great benefit for your child to read for at least 10 minutes each day with an adult. Reading will be monitored on a regular basis so we ask you to sign your child's reading record books every time you hear them read. Rewards will be given to children as and when they complete enough reads within our 'Reading Challenge' reward system.

Our P.E session is on Wednesday; please ensure that your child has full P.E kit in school on this day. An outdoor kit will be required as the winter months draw in. Please also ensure that earrings are removed on these days, as we cannot remove children's earrings due to health and safety regulations.

If you have questions concerning any of the above, or wish to meet with us regarding your child, please make an appointment at the office.

We look forward to meeting you at parents' evening.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs E King and Miss B Mair
Year 3 Teaching Team

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Topic

Term:	Topic:	Some of the things we will look at are:
Autumn	Space Heroes	Food, constellations, astronauts. A focus on World War I and emergency services.
Spring	Stone Age Dinosaurs	How people lived during this time and how it differs from the way we live today. Rock formation (fossilisation) and volcanoes.
Summer	Rainforests The Roman Invasion	Where the rainforests are, climate and how to protect the rainforest. When the Romans invaded and a study of Colchester looking at what the Romans have left us.

English:

Information Texts
skeleton)

Instructions

Fantasy/Adventure Stories

Shape Poems

Free Verse Poems

Limericks

Author Study

Science

Movement and Feedings (Healthy eating and the human

Magnets and Forces

Rocks and Soils

Light and Shadows

Parts of Plants

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