

# Year 3 - Class Newsletter

## Spring Term 2 2024



Dear Parents and Carers,

Hope you all had a lovely half term break. It was great to see some of you at the Children's Mental Health week parent event. The children loved having you in class! Thank you to parents for your support in ensuring that your child completes their online homework and reads at home. Below are some reminders for this term of what we expect each week.

**Reading:** Children will take home a reading book (which will be changed weekly once they are able to read the questions based on the text— **if they cannot answer the questions they will be asked to keep the book to further develop understanding**) and an Accelerated Reader Book (these can be changed regularly after completing online quizzes in school). Pupils should be reading at home daily to help increase their pace and fluency. Please ensure you sign and date your child's reading record to show they have read at home/finished a book.

**Homework:** Spelling homework is accessible on Spelling Shed. The children should login Monday until Thursday night to complete activities. Times tables rock stars is the weekly maths homework and children should complete daily to practice their time-tables knowledge.

Please make sure you provide your child with the correct uniform for PE. Black shorts, pumps and a white t-shirt. A jumper and tracksuits may be needed for outdoor PE. Children are not allowed to wear any jewelry in PE so please make sure your child removes any jewelry on the mornings of PE days unless they can remove them themselves. Girls with long hair must be tied back.

Many kind regards,  
Mrs Thackway (Octopus) & Mrs Whalen (Seahorses)

### What are we learning?

As Historians this term we will be answering these questions:

- LC1- Why local history is important.
- LC2- Who was Edgar Wood? What did he design?
- LC3- How has Middleton changed over the last 200 years?
- LC4- Which local buildings have survived in Middleton?
- LC5- Boarshaw Primary School – Past and present

### Weekly Timetable

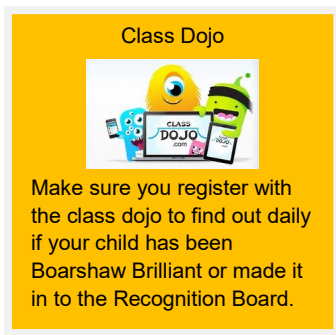
**Monday** – Homework set on Spelling shed and TTRS.  
**PE—Seahorses**  
**Tuesday** – Spelling shed and TTRS  
**PE—Octopus**  
**PE—Seahorses**  
**Wednesday** – Spelling shed and TTRS  
**PE—Octopus**  
**Thursday** Spelling shed and TTRS  
**Friday** – Homework due in. Spelling Test.  
**Please sign and return your child's reading book and record on a daily basis.**

### Important Dates

**1st March— Spelling Bee Final in School Hall**

**13th and 14h March—Science Workshops**  
**11th-15th March—Science Week**

Don't forget to keep up-to-date with our learning by following **@BoarshawP on Twitter or by**



	<b>Here is an overview of our learning across the curriculum this term.</b>
<b>English:</b>	Narrative: Setting descriptions—jungle Poetry: I asked the Little Boy who couldn't see
<b>Maths:</b>	Number: Fractions Measurement: Mass and capacity
<b>History:</b>	Does Middleton have a past?
<b>Science:</b>	Physics- Light
<b>Computing:</b>	Purple Mash—Touch Typing/email
<b>Art</b>	Drawing
<b>RE:</b>	What happens if we do wrong?
<b>PSHE:</b>	Rights and Responsibilities
<b>Spanish:</b>	Basic phrases—Carnival Time
<b>Music:</b>	The Dragon Song