

Homework Year 3 Autumn term 2023



Please make sure that you speak to your teaching team before your homework is due in if you need support.

WEEKLY TASKS

1. **Reading:** Read aloud to someone 3/4 times a week and to discuss the text, recording the text, date and any opinions/ideas in your reading record. Please bring your reading record in each week with your home learning book.
2. **Multiplication tables** – practise all tables with division up to and including. 2, 3, 4, 5, 8 and 10. (*2 times 3 equals 6, 3 times 3 equals 9 e.t.c*)
3. **Spellings-** we will be teaching and testing a focussed spelling skill each week in school. A list of weekly spellings will be sent home and your child can practise these at home if they wish but this is not compulsory.
4. **English/maths:** one piece of English or maths work will be sent out weekly- this will be practising skills and knowledge that have been taught in school.

Homework will be sent out on Wednesday and is due in the following Wednesday.

Year 3 will have their PE lesson on a **Monday** and **Tuesday**.

This term's focus is:

Rocks, Volcanoes and Greece

In science Year 3 will be learning how to compare and group together different kinds of rocks based on their appearance and simple physical properties. In geography they will research the location of volcanoes throughout the world and their impact on humans. They will explain what tectonic plates are and how they have changed overtime. They will undertake a geographical study of the human and physical factors of the country Greece, such as its climate landscape and volcanoes.

Rocks vocabulary

igneous, sedimentary, metamorphic, permeable, impermeable, fossil, soil

Volcanoes vocabulary

erupt, active, dormant, extinct, lava, magma, molten, mantle, tectonic plate, ash

Greece vocabulary

atlas, continent, ocean, country, coast, human feature, physical feature, climate, location

In addition to the weekly tasks, you might want to extend your learning at home. These are some possible, optional learning challenges:

Create a diagram or model of a Volcano.
Create an information poster about rocks.
Create a 3D map of the earth's tectonic plates.
Make a model or diagram of the layers of the Earth.