

TOMB RAIDERS

Dear Families,

We would like to begin this newsletter by saying a huge well done and a big thank you to all of the children in Y3 for such a fantastic Spring term! Even though school is a very different place last term, the children have all worked incredibly hard during our second topic and have produced some excellent work in all areas! We teachers are very impressed and very proud. We are also very grateful to all of our parents for all of your hard work and support since the beginning of the year.

Curriculum Topic

For our next exciting topic, we will be heading back in time to find out all about life in Ancient Egypt. This term our Learning Journey will take the children on a historical adventure back to a time when life was VERY different to the way we live now. Our learning journey questions include **Who was Tutankhamun? What was a Canopic Jar used for? If you could visit Egypt, which famous landmark would you most like to go to?** We will be learning about Egyptian artefacts, daily life, farming, and royalty.

We are hoping that our learning journey will be enhanced by a interactive themed day where children will explore Egyptian life and ancient artefacts. More details will follow after Easter.



P.E

The children will undertake one and a half hours of P.E taught in 2 separate lessons each week, as follows:

Outdoor: Tuesday afternoon

Indoor: Wednesday afternoon

P.E. Kit

Top: Children are to wear a plain coloured t-shirt in the colour of their house team.

Bottoms: Children are to wear plain shorts or plain tracksuit bottoms.

Footwear: Plimsolls are to be worn for Indoor P.E. and trainers are to be worn for Outdoor P.E.

No items of jewellery can be worn for P.E. We suggest children do not wear jewellery on our P.E. days as we can not help to remove it. Long hair must be tied back, please provide a bobble.

School Items

Children should only bring a school book bag, a labelled PE kit bag and a clearly labelled drinks bottle containing water for in the classroom.

They will also need a healthy snack for morning break.

Home learning

Children must complete their Maths or Literacy home learning on a weekly basis. It will continue to be sent home on a Friday and is due in the following ~~Wednesday~~ **Wednesday**.

Children should be proud of their home learning as it is an extension of school learning and we hope that they will continue to complete this to a high standard.

Spellings

Your child will continue to receive their weekly spellings list as well as their personally tailored spelling zappers. Weekly spellings will be sent out each Friday to be tested the following Friday.

Times Tables

Times Table zappers will continue to be tested on a Friday. It is highly recommended that the children also continue to use the Times Tables Rockstars website at home as a continuation of their times table learning.