



# Year 3 News

A newsletter for Year 3 Parents

Summer term 2024

## Making Appointments

If you need to see your child's teacher for any reason, please feel free to catch us after school. We can discuss the concern then or make an appointment for another time.

## Home Learning

This term Home Learning will be set regularly with tasks to support what we are learning in class. This can be found on Google Classroom, where we will also share highlights of our term.

## Times Tables

By the end of Year 3, children are expected to know their 2, 5, 10, 3, 4 and 8 times tables as well as the related division facts (ie. being able to divide by 3 as well as times by 3).

Please continue to work on practicing times tables out of order, using division facts and recalling them at speed!

## ROMAN BRITAIN

This term we will be learning about the Romans with a focus on their time in Britain as well as the founding of Rome, the rise and fall of the Roman Empire and the Roman's legacy. We will learn about how the Romans lived, what they did for fun and the importance of their powerful armies. The children will develop their historical research skills by thinking about the reliability of sources and how to interpret and record information. We will also have lots of fun using drama, music and art to bring the subject to life.

## SUMMER

As the weather gets warmer, please ensure that your child is protected from the sun by being equipped with a sun hat and plenty of sun cream.

Please remember to name all of your child's belongings as clearly as possible including water bottles, lunch boxes, hats and jumpers.

## PE

Seals continue to have PE on a Friday afternoon and Sea Lions on a Tuesday morning. We are also excited to be going swimming on Thursday mornings during the summer term.

Remember your costume and swimming caps!

## NumberGym

Each week we ask that children log on to NumberGym to help practise their times tables and mental maths.

## HOME READING

Please help your child by hearing him/her read as often as possible and having a chat about the book.

It does make a huge difference!

For information on what we will be learning this term, please see the curriculum pages of our website.

<https://www.stnicolasmary.wsussex.sch.uk/page/?title=Curriculum&pid=35>

## THANK YOU TO ALL OUR HELPERS!

Thank you to all of you who have been volunteering to hear readers in Year 3, it is incredibly appreciated!