# Spring Term 1 Newsletter Year 3

#### Topic for the term:

The Stone Age.

#### Home Learning:

Each week, children are to choose an activity from the home learning menu.

One activity from the home learning menu should be completed and handed in every Friday.

Children should read at least 3 times a week and record this in their reading diaries. Class teachers will collect these in every Friday. Children will be rewarded for reading at home and this is shown on our class reading rainbow.

Children who complete all 6 pieces of home learning each term will be awarded in line with the school home learning system.

### Key Dates for the Term

Monday 6<sup>th</sup> January 2020 - Back at School

Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> January 2020 - Parents' Maths Afternoon

Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> February - Year 3 Learning afternoon @ 2.45pm

Friday 14th February 2020 - Art Gallery

Friday 14th Term 2020 - Last day of term

#### PE and Sports News:

This term we will be swimming every Monday for 3A. Please remember to bring in your swimming kits. Please make sure you have a swimming hat, you can get these from the reception. We will be returning from swimming at approximately 3.15pm.

Please ensure you have your PE kit (red t-shirt, black shorts and trainers) in school every day.

## Ways to support your child at home this term:

Listen to your child read for 10+ minutes every day. Ask them questions such as: why do you think that happened? How do you know they are happy? Where do you think they will go next?

Practise working with money.

How much change have I got? How much will I get back from a £5 note? How many pennies are in £4.30? If I buy these two items how much will I spend?

#### Term 3 targets:

**Reading:** To be able to think of and ask 5 different questions about a book you are reading.

**Writing:** To use noun phrases effectively in a story setting.

**Maths:** To recognise, write, compare and order fractions.

We hope you've had a lovely Christmas holiday! Make sure you keep checking class dojo to see what we're getting up to!