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**Welcome to
Year 3**



All about Mrs Milner

My favourite subject is:

Art and music because I love being creative and using my imagination.

My favourite colour is:

Pink and yellow because they make me feel bright and happy.

My favourite animal is:

Guinea pigs because I have 4 pet ones and love to cuddle them.

My hobbies and interests:

I enjoy reading and going for long walks with my family.



Interesting facts about me:

I was once featured in a French documentary all about my family.



Something I am looking forward to next year:

I am excited about getting to know our new class and going on the trips we have planned.





All about Mrs Martin

My favourite subject is:

I love English because I enjoy writing and being creative which comes through my love of reading too!

My favourite colour is:

Pink and purple.

My favourite animal is:

I absolutely love giraffes because they fascinate me!

My hobbies and interests:

I enjoy spending time with my family and going walking. I also love to travel and explore new places.



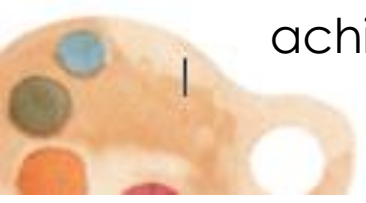
Interesting facts about me:

I was able to travel the world when I was younger and got to sky dive, bungee jump and scuba dive in Australia!




Something I am looking forward to next year:

I am looking forward to getting to know each and everyone of you and look forward to seeing all the amazing things you can achieve.





Y3 expectations:

- Bring your planner to school every day.
 - PE days are: Monday and Tuesday
 - To access Ed Shed and Times Tables Rock Stars weekly.
 - Learn 3 times tables facts a week.
 - Read 3 times a week and record in planner.
 - Spellings will be given weekly and the spelling test will be on a Monday.
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Overview of learning

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Writing (genres)	-Stone Age Boy (narrative) -The Street Beneath my Feet (fact file) -Bronze age (letter) -Wanted: Iron Man (character description) -Autumn is here (poetry)		-Skeletons and muscles (fact file) - Howard Carter discovery (inform- diary)	-The True Story of the three little pigs (narrative) -Fairy Tale Villains (fact file)	-Mythical creatures (character description) -Make a change-FSM (letter)	-The flood (narrative) -The River (poetry)
Maths (Key maths themes)	-Place Value -Addition and Subtraction	-Addition and subtraction -Multiplication and Division A	-Length and perimeter -Multiplication and Division B	-Fractions -Mass and capacity	-Fractions B -Money -Time	-Time -Shape -Statistics
Science	Rocks	Forces and magnets	Animals including humans	Light	Plants	Catch up for any run over units
History	Stone Age to Iron Age		Ancient Egyptians			
Geography				Fieldwork – local and surrounding area Human and physical geography in Ravenfield	Map work skills (discrete)	Study a region of the United Kingdom – Rivers in the UK
Design and Technology		Hunting pouch-sewing/textiles			Food and nutrition – make your own	Structures – floating gardens
					healthy sandwich (parent's picnic)	
Art	Drawing – Stone Age cave art/Stone Henge		Sculpture – making Egyptian masks in papier mache	Painting – landscapes – pointillism		
Computing	Computer systems and networks	Creating media – animations	Creating media – desktop publishing	Data and information – branching databases	Programming – sequence in music	Programming – events and actions
Music		Creating compositions in response to an animation (Theme: Mountains)		Changes in pitch, tempo and dynamics		Ballads
PSHE	Feelings, friends and friendships	Relationships, loss and separation	Choices, emotions and difference	Keeping me safe	My healthy body – healthy lifestyle	World of drugs
RE	Why is Jesus an inspiration?		What is it like to be a Hindu?		How and <u>why</u> Christians worship.	
PE	Tag Rugby Fitness	Hockey Dance	Gymnastics Matball	Basketball Team building/leadership	Tennis Cricket	Rounders Athletics
Spanish	I am Learning Spanish Phonetics Lesson 1 (Introduction to Greetings / colours / numbers to 10)	I'm Learning Spanish Pencil case items Christmas traditions in Spain	At school Pencil case items Christmas traditions in Spain	Numbers and Colours Counting to 20 11 colour words	Role play café/Ordering snacks - The very hungry caterpillar Days of the week Fruits and snacks	The family/ The Alphabet

Autumn 1



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Year 3 – Learning Journey and Homework menu

Here you will find lots of information about the curriculum, how to help your child at home and any other notes. If you have any questions, please ask the class teacher. Our current learning journey is all about: **Would you have survived the Stone Age?**

Homework Menu

- Please read with your child at least 3 times a week. Make a note of this in your child's planner so reading can be rewarded on a Friday with a raffle ticket.
- Practise times tables using TT Rockstars.
- Spellings will be given weekly.

Suggested activities:

- Draw a stone age feast, thinking carefully about the food and drink that would be on offer.
- Draw and label a stone age person. Can you add any similarities and differences compared to us?
- Find out about stone-age animals and make an alphabetical list.

Reminders

- Just a reminder, our PE days are Monday and Tuesday.
- We will be visiting Creswell Craggs on Wednesday 10th September 2025.

Learning Journey

English – In English we will be writing a narrative, a persuasive letter. We will be reading *I was born in the Stone Age* by Michael Rosen and *Stone Age Boy* by Satoshi Kitamura.

Maths – In maths, we will be focusing on place value and addition and subtraction.

Science – This half term we will be looking at rocks. We will be comparing and grouping together different kinds of rocks based on their appearance and physical properties, learning about how some rocks are formed, learning about the different layers of the earth and describing how fossils are formed.

History – In history, we will learn about the history of the Stone Age, we will explore what life was like during this period, where the Stone Age fits within history and why this period came to an end.

Art - In art, we will be focusing on the artist Alice Seaborn and using her influence to create our own cave paintings.

Computing - The focus of computing this half term is computer systems and networks (connecting computers) and online safety.

PSHE - This term in PSHE we will be learning about being a caring school (feelings, friends and relationships).

RE - In RE we will be learning about Christianity and exploring the question 'Why do some people think Jesus is inspirational?'

PE - This half term we will be doing tag rugby and fitness.

Spanish - In Spanish, we will be learning how to introduce ourselves.



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Visits and Exceptional Experiences

<u>Visit</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Key information</u>
Creswell Craggs	Wednesday 10 th September 2025 (Autumn 1)	To learn about the Stone Age. The cost of the trip is £23.
Parent workshop to create hunting pouches in DT.	Autumn 2 (date to be confirmed)	Parents to come in and support children making hunting pouches.
Panto	Friday 12 th December 2025	Snow White and the Seven Dwarves
Jungle Jo	Spring 1 (date to be confirmed)	Observe and hold a range of animals to study their different skeletons.
Grimm & Co or Weston Park	Spring 1 or 2 (date to be confirmed)	
Local area walk	Spring 2 (date to be confirmed)	To study our local area and support our work on maps.
Parent's picnic	Summer 1 (date to be confirmed)	Children will make their own healthy sandwich to share with grown ups.
Visit to local church	Summer 1 (date to be confirmed)	To support our learning in RE.
Moorlands discovery centre (Longshaw estate)	Monday 6 th July 2025	Children will be studying the local river. The cost of the trip will be confirmed.

Key Dates for your diary

Monday 1st September – INSET Day

Tuesday 2nd September – INSET Day

Wednesday 10th September – Creswell Craggs Trip

Tuesday 14th October – Year 3 Class Assembly

Wednesday 22nd October – Harvest Festival

Friday 21st November - Children In Need

Tuesday 9th December – Christmas Performance

Wednesday 10th December – Parent's evening

Friday 12th December – Whole School panto trip

Thursday 18th December – Year 3 Christmas Party

Friday 6th February – NSPCC numeracy day

Wednesday 29th April – Parent's evening

Monday 6th July – Moorlands Discovery Centre Trip



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