

WELCOME



Year 3

Parent/Carer Information

Year 3 Staff

- ▶ Mrs Foden (Mrs Herlingshaw- Monday)
- ▶ Miss Moore
- ▶ Mrs Pink/ Miss Clayton/ Mrs Meadows (across Y3/4)
- ▶ Mrs Gaffney- Teaching Assistant



Research topics

- Autumn Term -Australia
- Spring Term – Stone Age to Iron Age
- Summer Term – Romans



YEAR 3

BECOME AN ARCHAEOLOGIST
BE A SHINING LIGHT
TRAVEL TO THE ROMAN EMPIRE
SURVIVE A NIGHT IN SCHOOL
PLIGHT OF THE NAVIGATORS
DISCOVER A HIDDEN WORLD

CHARITY WORK: SOUTH TEES HOSPITALS CHARITY



Equipment

- ❖ Physical Education – Children should come to school wearing their kit on a **Tuesday**
- ❖ Water Bottles – only water should be put in bottles not juice.

PLEASE label all belongings

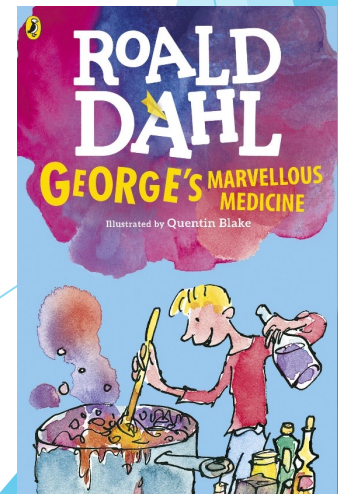




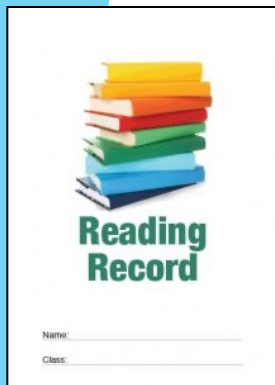
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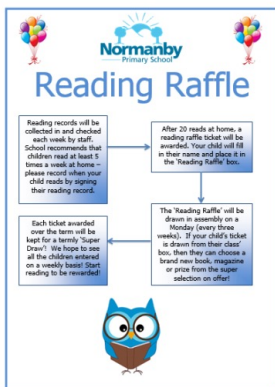
- ▶ Key objectives for Year 3- correctly punctuating a range of sentences including speech and list sentences.
- ▶ Re-read own work, checking that it makes sense and editing for errors.
- ▶ Writing a range of genres including poetry, non-fiction and stories
- ▶ Handwriting – teaching horizontal and diagonal joins.
- ▶ Author being studied this term is Roald Dahl.



Reading



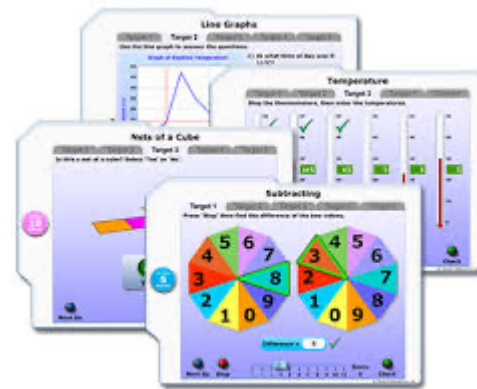
- Reading records will be issued to FS2 - Y6 in the autumn term.
- Reading records will be taken home each night and returned to school for teachers to check.
- Continue to read 5x per week at home and initial when your child has read.
- Keep a running total of how many times your child has read so your teachers can see. Teachers may check these in school or ask you to upload to Seesaw.



- Reading Raffle – children will be issued with a ticket after 20, 40, 60 reads etc. Each ticket will be entered into the year group raffle box. At the end of each term, names will be drawn from each year group raffle box and book prizes will be given.
- We will no longer be issuing reading certificates now that the raffle has been reinstated.
- In the event of school closure, staff will publish resources on Seesaw to support reading.

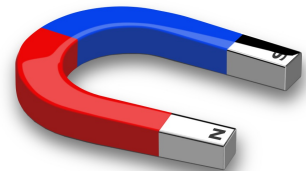
Maths

- ▶ Times tables & division facts x3 x4 x8 taught in Y3
- ▶ Rapid recall of number bonds
- ▶ Place value in at least 3 digit numbers
- ▶ Written methods for $+$ $-$ \times \div
- ▶ Telling the time to the minute



Science

- In Science, the children will be investigating the world around them.
- They will participate in practical science investigations whenever possible.
- The areas of science we will be studying this year:
 - Animals including humans
 - Rocks and Soils
 - Magnets
 - Forces
 - Plants



Marvellous Me!



Marvellous Me

The easiest, quickest, most exciting and most effective way to:

- ✓ Give parents regular and positive feedback
- ✓ Get parents engaged
- ✓ Message and remind parents from the classroom
- ✓ Praise hard work and good behaviours

Marvellous Me Teacher APP

- ✓ Tablet and desktop
- ✓ Anytime Anywhere
- ✓ Post activities
- ✓ Award badges
- ✓ Send messages
- ✓ Takes minutes

Marvellous Me Parent APP

- ✓ Smartphone, tablet and desktop
- ✓ Parents are always 'active'
- ✓ Makes parent smile! Every time.
- ✓ Supercharges conversations about school.
- ✓ Parents are up to date.
- ✓ Parents and family members are engaged, supportive and appreciative.



Seesaw connects pupils, teachers and families so that learning can happen anywhere. Activities are all in one place easily accessible for families, and nothing is shared without teacher approval

Check Seesaw regularly for activities which support your child's learning.

Get logged in:

STEP 1: Go to www.app.seesaw.me or Download the Seesaw Class App for Your Child

STEP 2

Click 'I'm a Student'

Log in as directed by your student's teacher or school:

✓ Your child may log in with a Home Learning Text or QR Code

Year Group Email



Our Year group email is:

rnpyear3@normanby.org.uk

For any urgent enquiries please contact the school office directly. For any other matters that cannot be resolved with your child's class teacher please contact our Head of School.

Start and End of the School Day

- School gates will be opened from 8.30am. Children who have permission to walk to school independently (Years 5 and 6) should aim to be on the playground from 8.40am.
- School starts at 8.50am. After 9.00am please enter school via the main office.
- A member of Year 3 staff will be at the door of the East Hall on a morning to welcome children/take messages.
- School gates will open again from 3pm please be aware that year groups may still be using the playgrounds and school site.
- Collection from the East Hall doors at 3.20pm.
- After 3.30pm your child will be placed in Sunshine Club and there will be a charge.
- Two members of staff will be at the East Hall doors at home time to ensure the safe handover of children.
- Please notify us if anyone different will be collecting your child from school.



Absences

All our children have already experienced some disruption to their learning; regular attendance has never been more important.

Same day absences – please inform the school office of any absence, by phone before 9:30am.

The school may ask you for evidence of medical appointments or illness. For example, a medical appointment letter may be requested.

Details of our Attendance Policy can be found on the School website.

Holidays cannot be authorised in term time, save for some specific and limited circumstances; an Absence Request Form must be completed in advance. Absence Request Forms are available from the school office. All absences are reported to the Local Authority; frequent absences or lateness may result in a the Local Authority issuing a Warning Notice or a Fine.

If you require any further information regarding attendance, please ask to speak to Mrs Metcalf or Miss Lawrence via the school office.

Attendance expectations at Ironstone Academy

Every day counts!

100%-99% Outstanding

98%-97% Good

96%-95% Satisfactory

94%-91% Inadequate

90%-86% Cause for concern

85% and below Serious concern



Rules & Rewards

Our school has high expectations for pupil's behaviour. This year we will be introducing three whole school rules that the children created last year:

- Be safe
- Be respectful
- Be Ready

Each year group has different day-to-day ways of rewarding the children for positive behaviours. In Year 3, we give out 'Super Dots'.

Alongside this, we have 'Reach for the Stars' in each classroom across school, which is a reward system to praise and celebrate children who go 'beyond the expected' and work hard towards our STAR values. Once all children in the class have their star on the class chart, the whole class receive a reward of their choice- funded by our PTFA.

We will continue to use Silver and Gold stars to celebrate exceptional behaviour.

We will also be celebrating work and positive behaviour on Marvellous Me so please check this regularly.

Our STAR Values

Self-belief

Teamwork

Achieve

Respect

We reach for the stars!



Normanby Primary School



PSHE

Personal, Social and Health
Education



Relationships and health education (RHE) became compulsory last year. However, at Normanby Primary School, we've already been delivering this curriculum for many years.

Teaching in this area of the curriculum includes work on health and hygiene and (age appropriate) drug education and sex & relationships education (SRE).

Again this year, there will be an extra emphasis on resilience and mental health and well-being.

Our Learning Journey and policies are available on the school website.



Homework

- ◉ Homework is given weekly on a Thursday through Seesaw. You can also find a list of the homework on our Year 3 newsletter.
- ◉ Children should be practising their times tables on a regular basis and completing their sessions allocated on TT Rockstars based on their targeted tables.
- ◉ Children should be reading 5 times a week.
- ◉ Spellings are checked weekly, and will be sent on Seesaw.

LEARN TO PLAY AN INSTRUMENT!

In our school Musicworks offer group lessons for:



Guitar
Keyboard
Ukulele



See our school office for further details
or visit the website.

www.musicworksnorthern.co.uk

musicworks

GDPR

General Data Protection

Information regarding how your data is used and stored can be found on our school website:

<https://normanby.ironstoneacademy.org.uk/general-data-protection-regulations/>

Privacy notices are issued via ParentPay and your personal data can be updated using the SIMS lite App. Further information can be obtained from the school office.