

Year 3 - Summer Events

22nd April - PTA International Evening CIS 6pm

25th April - Wroxham trip

2nd May - Bank Holiday

6th May- PTA Maypole dancing and pop-up shop CIS after school

9th - 13th May - No instrumental tuition

9th June- Sports Groups photographs

14th June -Summer Concert 7pm

15th June-Summer Concert 1.45pm

16th June- Children's University Graduation

8th July-PTA Summer Fair after school

Sports Day (Date TBC)

Homework

- Read every day for at least 20 minutes - reading to an adult is important as it allows the reader to develop fluency and accuracy and to talk about what they are reading. We believe that you are never too old or too good at reading to benefit from this.
- Learn the weekly spellings set by your child's class teacher. Going over these words once or twice a day will help your child to remember them, not just for a test but in their future work.
- Learn the maths facts and/or times tables set by your child's class teacher. These are important as they underpin all of the maths that your child will do in the rest of their time in education; knowing these facts will make it easier for your child to do maths, particularly as the ideas become more complex higher up the school and into high school.

If these activities are done regularly and thoroughly, it will make a big difference to your child's learning progress and confidence. There are also additional **optional** activities that your child can do if you wish, such as using Mathletics on a computer or researching a topic being studied in class.

Weekly Reminders

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| Monday | Dinner money Hand in reading record (3JR & 3SH) Spelling Tests 3SH library books to change/renew |
| Wednesday | 3JR & 3SH PE kits |
| Friday | 3JR and 3SH Games/Swimming kit 3JR library books to change/renew |

Our topic this term is Nature Explorers.

We would encourage you to discuss this topic at home and see what extra information your children can find out to share in class.

Curriculum Overview

Summer 2016

Year 3



Our curriculum has been designed to meet the requirements of the new National Curriculum (2014) whilst providing rich, meaningful and exciting learning opportunities for all children.

Our aim is that our curriculum will inspire all children to develop a lifelong passion for learning.

Summer Term

Monday 11th April - Wednesday 20th July

Half Term: Monday 30th May - Friday 3rd June

ENGLISH



Recount writing
Poetry: Language play/shape poems
Newspaper reports
Fortnightly 'Big Write'

SPANISH



Pets
Family
Alphabet

MUSIC



Singing games.
R & B Orchestra.

MATHS



Ordering and place value, mental calculation strategies, sorting 2D & 3D shapes, number puzzles, measuring length, recording & calculating measurement, multiplications, fractions, division, telling the time.

SCIENCE



Light
Plants

ART



Inspired by nature:
Landscapes
Observational drawing, natural collages/sculptures

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Nature Explorers

PE & GAMES



Dance
Swimming
Striking and fielding
Athletics
Sailing

PSHE/RE



PSHE Relationships, Sex & Relationships Education, Changes
RE Hinduism - Understanding beliefs & pilgrimage

ICT



Creating databases
Exploring sound & music presentation.

DT

Woodwork: Miniature greenhouses.



HUMANITIES



Geography: Investigating the areas where we live. Using and creating maps.