



Year Three Newsletter Summer Two

Dear Year Three Parents and Carers,

We hope you all had a lovely break and enjoyed the Spring half term. We are so sad this is our last half term with the children, all of whom have been a genuine pleasure to teach. We are determined to make the most of our last half term together and therefore have a very exciting topic to end the year with - 'Vicious Vikings!'

As part of our Vicious Vikings topic, we will be developing our geography skills by learning about the countries of Europe. In history, we will be learning all about life in the Viking times and how different it is to life now. This half term we will also be working with our artist in residence, Sharon Snaylam. With her we will be looking at Viking jewellery and traditional patterns and how they used art in the production of everyday objects. We will be exhibiting our work at the Year Three Viking Museum on Wednesday 18th July at 3.30pm – all are welcome.

We will be linking our English work to our theme by reading the text, *How to Train Your Dragon*. In maths we will be covering measurement of capacity, exploring shape and angles and we will be covering the topic of time. Your continued support with their learning of key maths skills is greatly appreciated. We have begun our new science topic looking at plants and pollination and will be continuing this growing our own plants. In indoor PE lessons on Mondays the children will be exploring medieval Viking dance, whilst in our outdoor PE lessons on Thursdays we will be learning how to play rounders. We look forward to inviting you to our family rounders afternoon towards the end of term.

We have been very pleased with the children's eagerness to further their learning at home. Please continue to hear your child read as much as possible and complete the fortnightly Learn by Heart maths targets. The final spellings for this half term are: **describe, notice, perhaps, possible, promise, straight, strange, suppose, woman and women.**

Diary Dates for Year Three:

Wednesday 13th June: Sports Day am – all are welcome

Monday 11th June: Viking visitor – please see separate letter

Wednesday 18th July Viking museum – 3.30pm

If you have any questions or concerns at any time, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Kind regards, Miss Fletcher and Mr Breeze

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