

Year Three Summer Term Newsletter



Brook
Primary School



Welcome back to school Year 3 after a wonderful Easter break! It was lovely to see all your smiling faces this week, even though there have been lots of changes at our end of the school!

Let's see what we're up to this term...

PE

Our P.E. days will be **Tuesday (outdoor)** and **Wednesday (indoor)**. Please remember to send your child in the appropriate PE kit.

Please can you also ensure that you have removed your child's earrings on P.E. days if they wear them.

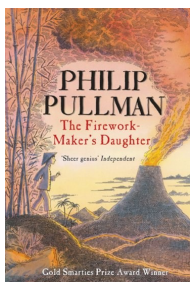
Staffing

3H: Mrs Hill has now returned full time
3B: Mrs Baker will be team-teaching with Mrs Shaw for the first week of term, before Mrs Shaw teaches the class full time.
Mrs Baker's last day will be **Friday 26th April**.

Core text

In English this term, our core text will be "The Firework Maker's Daughter" by Philip Pullman.

We will be writing in a variety of styles using this text as a stimulus.



Passwords

Your child should have their login for Purple Mash, Spelling Shed and TTRockstars. Please encourage them to access these at home to practise their spellings and times tables. This will really help them to progress their learning.



Reading

Following on from our pupil assessments, we have once again highlighted the importance of reading daily. Please help your child with their reading by listening to them read at home as much as possible. This need only be for 5-10 minutes but this will really help with vocabulary and fluency. Remember reading can be done in lots of ways—comics, papers, recipes, even road signs in the car!

When you read with your child, please make sure you sign and date their reading record so that we can celebrate with them and share rewards.

Art Workshop

This half term there will an art workshop held for both classes. The dates for this are:

3B: Monday 22nd April 1:30pm - 3pm

3H: Monday 29th April 1:30pm - 3pm

Please note that only **1 adult per child** will be able to attend the workshop.

Here is our curriculum theme for this term. Some of our activities will include...

Science: Exploring plants & forces

History: Local history of the local area- chain making

Geography: North and South America and comparing them to a local city

RE: Sikhism

PE: Handball, tennis, outdoor and adventurous activities and athletics.

PHSE: Celebrating personal achievements and risks and hazards in the local environment

Music: Learning to play the violins with Dudley Performing Arts

Art: The art work of Pieter Bruegel.

DT: Mechanisms and making an pneumatic toy.

Computing: Simulations and stop-frame animation.

Spanish: Learning how to introduce family members and explaining where they live



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- In French, we will be learning family members, numbers and months of the year.
- In computing, we



