



HALF TERM INFORMATION UPDATE		YEAR 3	
<b>Adults in the class:</b> Miss Stewart and Mrs Johnson 3S Miss Riches and Mrs Paige 3R			
<p><b>Message from the staff:</b> We hope you had a fabulous half term! We've got a busy half term with lots of fun planned. Please come and speak to any member of the Year 3 team at home time if you have any queries, we would love to chat in person.</p> <p>We will send any messages out via Seesaw; your child's login is in their reading diary.</p>			
THIS HALF TERM'S LEARNING			
<p><b>MATHS:</b> We are continuing to learn how to set out formal written calculations for addition and subtraction. We will also develop our understanding of multiplication and division. The children will be learning the 3, 4 and 8 multiplication tables.</p>		<p><b>English:</b> We will be using the stories Tell Me A Dragon and Charlie and the Chocolate Factory to inspire our descriptive writing.</p> <p><b>VIPERS</b> In our reading Vipers lessons, we will be developing our vocabulary, inference, prediction, retrieval skills</p>	
<p><b>PE:</b> Children will be having PE on a Monday and Wednesday afternoon. Children are to bring their PE kits to school to change into.</p>	<p><b>PSHCE:</b> Identifying how to keep safe at home and in the community. We'll also be learning how to keep safe online.</p>		<p><b>MFL:</b> This half term we will begin to learn Spanish using Language Angels.</p>
<p><b>History</b> We will start to investigate the life of the Ancient Egyptians. We've got an exciting trip planned with details to follow soon.</p>	<p><b>Science –Forces and Magnets.</b> The children will be investigating the effects of forces on different objects.</p>		<p><b>Music</b> The children will deepen their understanding of music through singing and playing the glockenspiel.</p>
<p><b>How parents can help at home:</b> We really want our class to develop a lifelong love of reading so please encourage your child to read as much as possible and read them stories whenever you are able. Practice times tables using Time Tables Rockstars: your child's login can be found in their reading diary. For the children on the spelling program, we will send spellings home for children to practice weekly. There will be no formal spelling test, but we will be using these words in our English work.</p>			
<p><b>Days/Dates to remember:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Please ensure children bring their books daily to school so we can also read with them in class.</li> <li> Parents evening Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> November.</li> <li> 3R Egyptians workshop 23<sup>rd</sup> November. 3S Egyptians workshop 24<sup>th</sup> November. More details to follow.</li> <li> Indoor PE kit on a <b>Monday</b>. Outdoor PE kit on <b>Wednesday</b>. When it is an outdoor PE session, we will be outside for an hour so please bring suitable PE kit.</li> </ul>			