

Year 3 Parent News - Spring



It has been a great start to the New Year as the children continue to show a positive and enthusiastic attitude to learning, as well as their truly excellent conduct. We are really pleased with the way so many children are continuing to show commitment towards our PUPAC. These shared values ensure that we are creating an environment where learning is valued and supported. Please find below what we are learning about this term. If you have any questions or would like further clarification, please let me know. Mrs Sheikh

Reading journals are checked daily. Please make sure that they are signed.

PE takes place on Monday afternoons.

Please ensure that children follow the school dress code.

Our learning this half term

English

This term we will be reading 'Oliver Twist' and 'I am Malala' as a class. For writing, in addition to working at sentence level we will also be looking at paragraph level writing. We will focus on understanding and using adverbial phrases of time, manner and place in sentences. In phonics we will be segmenting, blending and manipulating sounds in words with various structures using the Sounds Write linguistic phonics programme.

Maths

Numeracy this term will continue to focus on learning the value of digits in numbers to 1000. This involves us comparing and ordering numbers in sequences and using knowledge of place value. We will also be introducing Fractions, unit and non-unit. Through measures, we will be learning about time, length and capacity. Finally, we will also focus on 3x, 4x, 6x and 8x, times tables.

Foundation

In history, we will be covering British History beyond 1066 - The Industrial Revolution. This will include research about Queen Victoria and finding out about what life was like for Victorian children as well as how the Industrial Revolution changed the face of Britain. The RE topic is Hinduism, where children will be learning about the importance of the story of the creation. We will be learning about Forces and Magnets in Science. In Art, our focus Artist is Hannah Hoch and we will be looking at textile and collage. For PE, we will be learning gymnastics skills.

Attendance

Our school day starts at 8:45 and finishes at 3:30. We begin our first lesson at 9:00am.

Please help us to start promptly by dropping your child off on time.

At Benedict Academy, we work **hard**, we are **kind** and we are **courteous**. We do this so that we can **be successful**.



