



The Oaks Primary School
Bringing Learning to Life

Year 3 Curriculum

Summer 1

This half term our project is 'Are you Faster than the Flash?' The project will involve lots of science linked to humans and animals. Please encourage your child to blog regularly and check their class page for important information and updates about their learning. Remember to also follow us on Twitter @OaksBolton – we post lots of pictures of our learning in school!

Swimming

This half term Year 3 will be going to Sharples High School for their swimming lessons every Tuesday afternoon. This is part of the national curriculum requirements for PE and it is also an essential life skill. Girls must wear swimming costumes with their hair tied back and a swimming cap. Boys should wear swimming trunks – long baggy shorts are not allowed. Both Mr Green and Mrs Robinson will take the children to their lessons. The children will be taught by qualified swimming instructors at Sharples High School.

English & Maths

This half term in English we will be focusing on writing diaries and scientific reports. You could practice writing in this style with your child at home. In Maths, we will be focusing on multiplication and division as well as measuring mass, capacity and length. At home, please continue to practice mental maths with your child including counting and encourage them to go on Times Tables Rockstars.

PE Kit

Children must have their **indoor and outdoor PE kit** in school at **all times**.

Football kits and branded tracksuits are not allowed to be worn for PE in school.

READING!

It is extremely important that your child continues to read at home EVERY DAY. Reading books will continue to be sent home and you can also find a list of recommended reading books in the back of your child's Reading Record. Children should log each time that they read and this should be signed by parents. This is monitored in school.

NEWSLETTERS

Your class letter provides information for your child's class that is relevant for that half term. Each week, the school **newsletter** is emailed out, uploaded to the school website and paper copies are available from the school entrance. The newsletter contains key weekly messages that are essential in supporting your child at home. Please ensure that you read this on a weekly basis so that you keep up to date with these key messages in school.

Class Novel

This half term Year 3 will be reading *The Worst Witch* by Jill Murphy.

THINGS TO REMEMBER!

Monday

Times Tables Test

Tuesday

Swimming

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

PE