

THORNHILL PRIMARY SCHOOL
Year 3 Learning Journey

Week Beginning: 24th Sept 2018

English – This week we will be start our English learning with diary entries. The children will spend the first week of this genre learning about the key features and looking at different types of diaries. The children will also start to use dictionaries to develop their vocabulary.

Spellings this week are focused on number words. Spelling test will be on Friday.

Maths – The children are learning about Place value from our new maths programme. The children have been using the base 10 to help them identify amounts and ordering and comparing numbers. This week in maths the children are learning how to add 1 digit to 3 digits, 2 digits to 3 digits and 3 digits with 3 digits. The children will be looking at different methods how to solve each maths problem. They will also be counting in fifties, practising times tables and recognising number patterns. The children will also have a times table test every Friday. This week's test will consist of 2,3,4,5 and 8

Topic - During this term the children will be learning about the Stone Age – the Iron Age. We will be linking our topic into most of our subjects to make learning more fun and to stimulate minds. History will be taught for the first half term and the second half of the term will be Geography.

This week in History the children will research set questions about The Bronze Age. The following week they will research the Iron Age. Throughout the topic, the children will research the different Age's and will learn about the way of live, tools, hunting for food and compare their lives to the Stone Age.

INFORMATION

All children must read at home at least three times a week with an adult. The adult must also date, comment and sign the child's record book. Don't forget to ask your child questions about the book which also develops their understanding of the text further. *Happy reading!*

P.E. days

P.E days will be on a Monday and Tuesday. Please make sure all children's clothes, shoes and bags are labelled with their full name and class. Please make sure your child has their kit in school every Monday. This half term in P.E the children will be taking part Dance and invasion games.

HOMEWORK - Updated info

Homework will be handed out on a **Wednesday** afternoon and to be completed and returned no later than **Monday**. Homework this week will be based on what they have been learning throughout their maths lessons, place value.

English homework will also be based on what they have been learning this week.

Homework club takes place on a Tuesday in year 3. Children who attend homework club will receive their homework a day earlier.