

# Belton Lane Community

## Primary School

Year 3—Spring

Dear Parent(s)/Carer(s),

The class newsletter is an update of what we will be covering this term.

### Topic: Ancient Egypt

**Maths**—We will begin this term with a focus on statistics, looking at data that is represented on pictograms, bar charts and in tables. We will then be focussing on fractions. Alongside these topics, we will be continuing to improve our methods for addition, subtraction, multiplication and division.

**English**— We will be writing a story based on an exciting book about a girl who rescues her father from the Sphinx!

**Science**— Our new unit is called 'Mirror, Mirror' and we will be investigating light and finding out how shadows are formed.

**P.E.**— We will be doing football on a Thursday morning (3T) and dance(3L) on a Tuesday afternoon. If children wear earrings they **MUST** be removed for PE. Please bring outdoor shoes for football.

**Art**— We will be creating Ancient Egyptian scrolls.

**ICT**— We will be looking at 'The journey through a computer.'

**History**— We will be learning out the Ancient Egyptians and are very much looking forwards to our trip on the 6th March.

### Homework—

Zappers for spelling will continue to be sent home. When your child is confident in the set spellings they should bring their zapper to us and we will test them. They must be confident to move on. Guided Reading homework will be sent home weekly, please have this completed for the following Monday. On top of this we ask for regular reading, including Bug Club which we monitor regularly. Please also access TTRS in frequent short-bursts.

**Reading**—Your child's home/school diary should act as their reading record. It is expected that children read at least three times per week at home to ensure progression and continuity. Children will change their school books on a Wednesday as well as having access to Bug Club at home.

The children will also visit the library once a week, this will be on a Wednesday (3L) and Friday (3T) so please remember to return books so they can be swapped.

Please note- Year 3's do not get a fruit snack. If you would like to provide your child with a healthy snack for break times then please do.

# NOTICES!

Absences should be reported to the school office.

Children should be in school for 8.55am.



Label me!

Bring me!



Bring me!  
(leave me in school for a term)



Bring me!  
(everyday!)

Bring me for dance and outdoor shoes for football.



Don't wear me on PE days or be able to take them out.



Please make sure you let the office know if someone other than yourself is collecting your child. We cannot dismiss them without this permission.



Bring me!  
(everyday!)