

Year 3/4 News

Welcome to the 2018 school year. We hope that you had an amazing holiday and are looking forward to a busy year of learning ahead. Our class newsletters will be sent home on a regular basis to keep you informed of the events of our classroom. Please make sure that you have connected with your child's Seesaw journal as important information in between our newsletters will be sent home via this app. Here is a snapshot of our classroom:

Our learning this term

Unit of Inquiry:

"People form communities in which they learn to live together"

Christian Studies:

Key Idea: "Christians believe that God creates people to live in relationship with him and with each other"

Literacy:

Daily Literacy block incorporating guided reading and writing (persuasive and narratives), spelling, grammar and handwriting. Also a focus on reading comprehension strategies.

Maths:

Daily Maths Rotations for practice of number skills; Pattern and Algebra (Mrs C) Number and Place Value (Mrs V).

Technologies:

Using devices and word processing skills.

Our Week at a glance:

Monday: Browse and Borrow

Tuesday: Choir

Wednesday: German with Frau Hepner
Health with Mrs Skinner

Friday: PE with Mrs Cluse

**** PE UNIFORMS WILL ALSO NEED TO BE WORN ON SWIMMING LESSON DAYS**

Diary Dates:

Week 2: Mon/Tues

Swimming Lessons

Sunday - Family

Night 5pm at School.

An app to try



EPIC!

We will be using this app in our classroom this year as part of Literacy Groups. It is a paid app, but if you contact us we can set you up under our class log-in. We love this app because there are a large variety of lots of "read-to-me" stories as well as both fiction and non-fiction texts. Available on IOS and Android devices.

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Weekly Homework

- 10 minutes reading (1/NIGHT)
- 4 spelling activities (1/NIGHT)
- 1 number activities (1/WEEK)

HOMEWORK BOOKS TO BE HANDED UP ON FRIDAYS

Reading is to be recorded in diaries each night. (This can be done by student)

Diaries will be initialled by the teacher each day and are to be initialled by parents each night.

HOMEWORK BEGINS IN WEEK 2