

St Philip Westbrook News

Year 3 Newsletter: Friday 28th April 2017

Summer 1

Homework needs to be handed in on a Thursday.

Remember to read at home 3 times a week.

Please bring a water bottle into school every day.

Our Learning

On Tuesday we had our trip to Tatton Park. The children loved learning about the Saxons and Saxon life. They took part in lots of interesting activities to become good Saxon warriors, learning about weapons, how to make Saxon food and how to make rope and threads.

In Maths our focus is time. Children need to be able to read the time to the nearest minute so it would be useful if you could practice this at home. Children can wear a small watch to school.

In English we will be focusing on narrative. We will learn how to plan a story, using the

story hand. The children will need to plan their time so that each part that they write is detailed and interesting, but that they complete the entire story.

In RE we will be focusing on the stories of Jesus and how he helps others. We will discuss how his acts inspire us to help those around us.

Our Science topic is light. Children will plan investigations to find out how shadows change over time and also learn how light travels.

In D.T we plan to make a wall hanging from small fabric squares which the children will design and sew.

Year 3 Sports Days: Monday 15th May 2:00pm Reserve Day: Wednesday 17th May 2:00pm

PE

This half term our PE focus is rugby and dance. Warrington Wolves Foundation are coming in each Tuesday morning to work with the children and teach them rugby skills.

The children will also take part in cheer leading in dance lessons. They will be working on a dance all half term which they will perform to the infant children in the final week. Look out for the video on our class pages.

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Sewing:

We will be looking for adult helpers with this so please let us know if you are able to help on Tuesday 18th May. If you have any spare fabrics or threads then we would be appreciative of any donations.