



Welcome to Year 3 – Autumn 2020

Welcome to the Autumn term and Year 4! We hope you all had a fantastic holiday and are enthusiastic about the new academic year. So far, we are onto a great start, your child's enthusiasm and resilience for learning is already evident.

Your Year 3 team this year will be:

Cedar	Elm
Ms. Khorasani Ms. Francis (TA) Ms. Rebekah (1:1)	Ms. Faith Mr Jordan (TA) Ms Bittu (1:1)

Reminders:

Attendance and Punctuality

Children should be in the KS1 playground at **8:55am**, ready to start learning promptly at **9:00am**. School finishes at **3:30pm**; please be prompt when collecting your children from the same playground, as we are following staggered timetables and social distancing from other classes. We kindly request that you follow our safety guidance and do not enter the playground past the designated area. We expect your child to be in school **every day and on time**. Children need to be in school every day if they are to excel in their learning.

School Uniform

Please ensure that your child wears the correct school uniform **every day except for PE days**. **Every item of clothing must have their name written inside**. Please see the school website for information on how to purchase uniform. Trainers are **not** part of school uniform; this includes black trainers.

P.E. Kits

As a new safety precaution, children will not be changing in school; this includes for PE. Please ensure children arrive in their P.E. kits on PE days - no uniform necessary. Cedar and Elm's PE lessons will take place on Tuesday and Thursdays. Make sure every item of clothing is labelled.

Reading Books

- Your child will be allocated a reading book on Bug Club. Library books will be changed once a week and sent home every Friday. Login details to be sent shortly.
- If a school reading book is lost, £5.00 will need to be paid to the school office to replace it. **Your child must read for at least 20 minutes every day. Please make a comment in their reading journal.**

Homework

Homework and spellings will be uploaded onto Seesaw every **Friday**, and should be completed and returned on the following **Wednesday**. It is important that your child completes the homework to a high standard. Login details will be provided.

Spellings test will take place on the following **Wednesday**.

All pupils should also be practising their **times tables** to support them in class.

Class Dojo:

Please ensure that you have signed up to class Dojo's as this is a good way to communicate with the class teachers as well as see how your child is getting along in class.

Key Dates:

Friday 18th jeans for Genes Day

1st October Black history Month

2nd October: Macmillan Coffee Morning (virtually)