Week beginning

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Year 3 Newsletter

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Magic Moments!

This week, year 3 investigated the function of a stem on a plant. We conducted an experiment by putting celery sticks into water with food colouring. We enjoyed observing the celery over the week and seeing how the colour transported up the stem. Good job!

In music, we enjoyed using the glockenspiels to accompany our new song 'Belonging Together'.

In art this week, we have been using inspiration from Anni Alber's artwork to create our own. We used our mood boards from last week and a new technique – weaving - to create our own paper weaves.

A Peek at the Week...

In maths, the children will be starting a new unit on properties of shape. The children will be learning about clockwise and anti-clockwise turns and right angles.

In English, we will be using our core book 'Ottoline and the yellow cat' to write a character description. We will identify features of a Harry Potter character description and plan our own for the character Ottoline.

In Science, we are going to be looking at what a plant needs to be healthy and why they need certain conditions to grow and thrive.

In Art, we will be using our mood board for inspiration to tie-dye our t-shirts.

In PE, we will be continuing to learn an African dance. We will use the steps from last week and build a sequence to create a routine. We will also be continuing to take part in running activities.

In computing, we will be adding media to our Google Slide presentations. We will be practicing changing the font size and colour of the text.

Don't Forget!

This week we will be tie-dying t-shirts. Please could you donate a t-shirt for your child to dye.

A reminder that we are a nut free school. So please do not bring in snacks or lunch items with nuts in.

Over to you... Home Learning

Homework is set every MONDAY and due in the following Monday. This week Year 3 have the following online tasks to complete:

Reading Eggs: Complete the reading book set on reading eggspress.

MyMaths: Complete the task practising your understanding of what we will be learning this week.

SpellingShed: Complete your spelling practice. The spellings on there will match your group.

Spellings

This week we are concentrating on

G1: science, scene, discipline, fascinated, crescent, scissors, ascend, scented, scenery, descend.

G2: better, hot, sun, across, gone, hard, floppy, really, wind, wish.

Our spelling test is on Monday 9th May.

Log in to Spelling Shed to practise your spellings! Let's see if we can make Year 3 the top of Towers league!

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