

# Year 3



## Dear Parents,

This week, the children have been busy exploring measurements in m, cm, and mm. In science, they've been learning about different energy sources and examining food packaging. They've also begun their new RE topic, which focuses on the importance of listening and sharing. In computing, the children have been creating stop-motion animations, and in art, they've been experimenting with tints and shades. Their artwork has been inspired by the works of Jane McKeown and Alice Kettle.

### Key Dates

Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> February – RSE meeting 2.45 - 3.15

Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> February – Nightingales DT day (email to follow)

Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> February – Kingfishers DT day (email to follow)

Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> February – Year 3 joining parish Mass at church 11am. All welcome.

Friday 14th February – Break up for half term

### **RSE (Relationships and Sex Education) Meeting**

This year we are using a resource called Ten Ten to support our RSE and PSHE curriculum. This is recommended by the Diocese and the Bishop. Please watch the below video for information about it. We will be having an information meeting on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> February if you have any questions.

## Life To The Full Primary – Ten Ten Resources

Username	Parentspolys			
Password	Tenten2024!			
Parent Portal	https://www.tentenresources.co.uk/parent-portal/			
Parent Consultation Tool	https://www.tentenresources.co.uk/parent-consultation-tool-primary/			

**<u>Reading</u>** – focus for homework this half term.

Please can you ensure that your child has completed their Accelerated Reader Quiz online. We would expect children to be completing **one** Accelerated Reader quiz per week (dependent on the size of the book). Please can this be a focus for homework this week!

<u>RA – Young Artists' Summer Show Competition</u> – just a reminder that the closing date for submission is Friday 28<sup>th</sup> February. It would be lovely to have some entries from the brilliant Year 3 artists! Any theme, any medium, any size!

<u>Feet First</u> – You have received an email this week informing you of our feet first walking programme. Please use the link in the email to sign your child up to the programme so they can take part in March. Any issues, please let your child's teacher know. **Uniform** – Please ensure your child is wearing correct school uniform each day. No long socks with shorts or leggings please. A list of school uniform for each term can be found on the school website. Thank you for your cooperation with this.

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#### Homework

- 1. Reading: continue to read daily and complete your AR quizzes. Find the link to AR here. If your child is on RWI please write in their reading record daily.
- 2. Times Table Rock Stars: please continue to do this every week, practicing the times table that will be tested on Friday. Children will progress after getting full marks on their times table tests on three separate occasions.
- 3. Mathletics: Fact families: multiply 7 divide and Test
- 4. Spellings: This week the spellings are homophones (words that sound the same but are spelt differently and have a different meaning – please practice reading a sentence out that indicates the meaning).

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If you have any questions or messages for your child's class teacher, please come and speak to us at the end of the day or email info@stpolycarps.surrey.sch.uk.

Many thanks for continuing to support your child's learning. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact your child's teacher.

Have a wonderful weekend!

Mrs Thomas, Mrs Roussel and Miss Stainton