<u>Homework</u>

Your child will have **spelling homework** every week on a Monday. The list of ten words follows the spelling patterns that we have been learning in class that week. On the following Monday, the children will be tested on these words. Children will also receive weekly work to help them practice the **times tables** that we are learning. Please help your child practice their spellings and times tables at home. These skills are truly crucial.

Daily Reading

Your child will have a banded class reading book and a personal choice library book to take home every day. Please listen to them read and enjoy the books together. Your child is expected to have their Home/School Diary and reading book and in school every school day; it is expected that they will read every evening for at least 10mins<u>. Please initial in their</u> <u>Home/School Diary when your child has read</u>. Diaries will be checked on a Tuesday.

The staff and pupils at Featherstone Wood Primary School have been working very hard to develop a positive working environment where every person is valued, works hard and surpasses their potential. This is an exciting time in our history and by working together we can make it a very happy and rewarding experience. We really do value your thoughts.

We are available at the start and at the end of every day. Appointments can be arranged for longer meetings, if necessary.

It is vital that all children attend school daily and holidays will no longer be authorised. Please contact us in writing to let us know of any pre-arranged absences (e.g. Dental/Medical Appointments) and let us know if anyone different will be collecting your child from school at any time.

We look forward to continuing to work with you and your children.

Reminders for this Half Term

 Please make sure your child has both an indoor and outdoor PE kit available in school every week. Children are to bring in their PE kit on a Monday and to take it home on a Friday.

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Topic Planner



Year 3

Summer 2019

English

In English we will:

- Different types of poems
- Writing play scripts

We will be focussing our attention on the structure and grammar of our sentences.

Music

In music we will be learning to play the recorder and read music.

We will be studying rhythm using crotchets and quavers.

R.E

The children will learn about:

 religious codes of conduct and rules for living, considering the effect of these on life

Computing

The children will be learn how to:

- know what a spread sheet looks like.
- navigate around a spread sheet and enter data.
- learn new vocabulary related to spread sheets.
- add clipart images to a spread sheet.

To use the 'move cell' and 'lock'

Mathematics

The children will learn about:

- Division Problem Solving Sharing and Grouping
- Division Two and Three-Digit Numbers by One-Digit Numbers including Halving
- Multiplication, Division and Fractions Scaling and Correspondence Problems
- Division Long Division
 - Time Telling the Time (Analogue and Digital) and Estimation

Key Topic Vocabulary:

Rocks, limestone, properties, fossils, soils, divide, share, group, analogue, digital, minute, hour, day,

Personal, Social and Emotional Development:

The children will be learning about respect including why and how rules and laws are made and enforced, why different rules are needed in different situations and how to take part in making and changing rules.We will also be developing our mindfulness practices using meditation and range of other calm, fun and focusing activities.

<u>Science</u>

In Science, the children will be learning about Rocks.

They will be:

- comparing and grouping together different kinds of rocks on the basis of their appearance and simple physical properties
- describe in simple terms how fossils are formed when things that have lived are trapped within rock
- recognise that soils are made from rocks and organic matter

PΕ

The children will be developing their coordination, stamina, tactical thinking, control and team skills during P.E. through various team building exercises, games and activities.

