



February 2026

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome Back! We hope that you have had a restful holiday.

Curriculum

Topics

Our history topic is **Persia and Greece**. In this unit, children will look at how the kingdom of Persia expanded to include kingdoms like Babylon and Medes; learn about the king of kings, Darius and how he controlled his many kingdoms, the many city-states of ancient Greece, life in Greece, their stories and culture and the Persian-Greco wars which culminate in victory for Greece in the battle of Salamis!

Our geography topic is **Agriculture**. In this unit, we will look at changing farming practices & impact on landscapes - arable and pastoral; study example of Wales (hill-sheep farming, Snowdonia and revisit mountains); explore changes to food consumption including trends re local & organic food; look at Haringey example: vegetarian and plant-based diets; businesses & local markets in London: consumerism, people getting meals to work etc. Idea of 'healthy shops'; and do local fieldwork investigating shops.

Animals Including Humans will be our science topic. We will learn about: How living things get their energy; What we need to eat; How much food is enough?; What bones are in the human body?; Are animal and human bones the same?; and How do animals move?

PE

Please send your children to school dressed in suitable clothes on their PE days.

During this half term, each class will visit the local squash club for squash lessons once each week. Below is the PE timetable:

	Week 1	Week 2
3O	Tuesday (Squash)	Tuesday (Squash) and Friday
3R	Tuesday (Squash) and Thursday	Tuesday (Squash)
3P	Tuesday and Friday (Squash)	Friday (Squash)
3B	Tuesday (Squash)	Tuesday (Squash) and Friday

Dates for your diaries:

Thursday 5th March – World Book Day

Friday 13th March – INSET day (school closed for all children)

Monday 16th March – Year 3 Inter-Colour Sports Day

Tuesday 17th March – Year 3 visit the classroom for parent/carers (8:50am – 9:10am)

Tuesday 24th March and **Wednesday 25th March** – Parent meetings this term will be taking place between 4-6pm online on SchoolCloud. More details on this to follow.

Yours sincerely,

The Year 3 Team