

# Africa

Our fantastic TOPIC this term is Africa, which we will be looking at across the curriculum with a focus on KENYA. We will be learning map skills and using atlases. We will explore the key human and physical geography of Kenya as well as comparing and contrasting the country with the UK, including geographical differences. We will also be writing to pen pals from a school in Ghana and completing fabulous African artwork!

Our other topics this term will be:  
World War 1  
Living things and their habitats.

## Spellings

Children will be given spellings in their reading diaries and will be tested on a Friday. Please help them to learn and practise these.

## Homework

Your child will be coming home with their homework on a Friday to be returned after the weekend by Wednesday morning. The homework will vary depending on what work we're doing in class. We appreciate all your support in this.

## Year 4/3M

Welcome back!  
Your children have made a fabulous start to the new school year.



**Class Meeting - Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> September at 2:45pm**

## Water Bottles

It would be really helpful if your child could bring a **named water bottle** to keep in class during the day.

## Times Tables

Children in Year 3 will need to learn their x3 x4 x8 times tables this year, more if possible! Year 4s need to know ALL their times tables by the end of the year. Please help them at home as they are tested every Thursday! They all have a log on to: [www.ttrockstars.com](http://www.ttrockstars.com)



## P.E

We have P.E on Fridays and will sometimes go out for extra sessions so please make sure your child has their full P.E kit in school all week.

## Attendance

Thank you for all your support in this area. **Please remember that school is open from 8.40am and register will be taken at 8.50am.** The school day finishes at 3:10pm.

Keep a look out on the school website and our new twitter account: @WelbeckPrimaryS for updates on your child's activities in class and for school information.

## Reading Corner

Thank you for all your help with reading at home. Please keep this up by **reading with your child at least 4 times a week and sign their diary.** This helps all aspects of your child's learning.

If you have any questions or concerns then please do not hesitate to speak to me.  
**Mrs McConnochie**  
Year 4/3M Class Teacher

