

The World of Chocolate!

Our exciting TOPIC this term is The World of Chocolate! We will explore human and physical geography in relation to Fair Trade and will learn about where chocolate comes from. In English, we will be linking to our topic through Charlie and the Chocolate Factory, and in Computing we will be using Stop Motion Animation to create a scene from the story. In Science, we will compare states of matter and learn about how teeth are adapted to eating. Please follow your child's progress on X (Twitter) @WelbeckPS.

Homework

We give out homework on a Friday, to be returned after the weekend by Thursday morning. The homework will either be 1 piece of maths OR English.

We will also give out Spellings on a Friday to be tested the following Friday. Please help them to learn and practise these.

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. You can also encourage them to visit the reading room at lunch times to get their diary signed.

Times Tables

Your children will be tested on their Times Tables each week on Fridays. Please help them at home.

There are lots of free times table games on: <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/> just type Times Tables into the search bar.



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Welcome back!

I hope you had a lovely Christmas break and are ready and raring to go with a new school term!

IMPORTANT DATES:

Tuesday 19th March - open evening
Wednesday 20th March - open evening

If you have any questions or concerns then please do not hesitate to speak to me at the end of the school day.

Miss Lawler

Year 3L Class Teacher



Jewellery/Watches

Please ensure any bracelets and necklaces are taken off for school. This includes **smart watches**. Small studded earrings can be worn.



P.E

We have P.E on Wednesdays 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 starts at 8:45am with morning activities and your child needs to be on the playground for 8:40am.**

The school day finishes at 3:15pm.

Screens and Bedtimes

Please could you make sure children are not spending too long on their screens and that they are **removed from their bedroom** when they go to sleep. Please also ensure that your child is getting plenty of sleep so they are refreshed and ready to learn. Some children appear to be a little tired during the day.

