

What have Year 3 been up to this week?



This week in English we have been looking at letters in more detail! We have identified all the features of a formal letter, including compound sentences, conjunctions of cause and prepositions. We then hunted for this in some examples of letters, highlighting them when we found them! Also, this week we have put a chopped-up letter back together in the right order, thinking about how we know the order of a letter we have never read!



This week in Maths lessons, we have been learning to subtract using the column method. First, we used base ten and counters to understand subtracting in the place value columns. Then, we practised answering subtraction questions using the abstract column method!

In our arithmetic sessions, we have been practising our mix multiplication and division facts for the 2,3, 4 and 8 times tables.

In DT this week, we have looked at existing products and been given the task of creating a recipe and product inspired by Ancient Egyptian foods so that the teachers at our school can make a delicious healthy meal at home for their selves and their families. We reflected back to our history topic when we looked at which foods Ancient Egyptian's ate and then related this to our science topic where we were learning about the NHS Eatwell plate! We spent a lesson designing our product. Then 3A made their delicious meal and 3B will be making theirs next week! How exciting! Once we have eaten some we will then evaluate if it was appealing and fit for purpose!

3A's Star of the Week



This week's star of the week is Hakeem. He has earned the most points and worked incredibly hard to make his handwriting clearer. He has also been helping to keep the environment clean by picking up litter. Very proud of you Hakeem. Keep up the good work!

3B's Star of the Week



This week's star of the week is Aahil! Aahil has worked so incredibly hard this week! He has been setting himself targets and working so hard until he achieves them! He has worked really well this week within his writing lessons, focusing on his handwriting and formation but also the content of what is being written! Well done Aahil!



3A's coin total – 98 coins

3B's coin total – 109 coins

Reminders for next week...

- This half term PE- Dance will be taking place on Thursdays. Please ensure the children bring in their labelled PE kits.
- Spellings are given to the children on a Friday and the children are tested on them the following Friday.
- Please ensure your child brings in their reading pack to school every day as the children regularly read in the afternoons with the Teaching Assistant/ Teacher. Reading books get changed every Thursday.
- Doodle learning homework is set every Thursday and must be completed by the following Wednesday.

Best wishes and have a lovely weekend.

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