



Geraldine, our lovely librarian, is planning a stock audit during the Easter holidays. To make this job a little easier for her we will not be sending home reading books and ask that you please return all library books and reading books that you may have at home before the Easter break.

English

We had a great purpose for writing this week—instructions for using our Time Machines! We looked at imperative verbs and adverbs which helped us structure and organise our writing about our Time Machines. The children really enjoyed showing you how they work at our open afternoon.

Maths

This week we have focused on subtraction using the column method, moving from simple subtraction of HTU to exchanging (borrowing). The children quickly realised how important it is to keep their work neat and organised to enable them to subtract accurately.

Time machines

The children had a fabulous day of planning, constructing and evaluating their very own time machines! Year 3 can not wait to use them to travel back in time to Ancient Greece! Thank you very much for sending in lots of cardboard boxes and resources to enable the day to be so successful.

Spellings

There will be no new spellings until after the Easter holidays.

Reading Carousel

Last week was our last Reading Carousel for this term. Many thanks to everyone who has helped make this so successful. Our new Reading Carousel rotation will start after Easter—please let Alison, Toby or Clare know if you are able to continue to help or would like to help.

Easter Gardens

During lunch time play on Monday the children are invited to make Easter Gardens. There are prizes for the winners and a chocolate treat for all entrants. Gardens need to be made from natural materials and the materials should be brought into school in a named bag on Monday morning.

3C Swimming

Please return all forms **a.s.a.p.**

Lessons start on Wednesday 1st May.

End of term

School closes at 1.45pm on Friday 5th April for the Easter Holidays. We look forward to seeing everyone, well rested, on Wednesday 24th April; please remember that lessons start at 8.40 am.

WW2 Topic Launch

Tuesday 30th April is our Evacuee day which launches our WW2 topic. The children will need an 'evacuee' costume to wear for the day. Please make sure that the costume is comfortable, warm and suitable for a day outdoors.

