



Year 3

Just To Let You Know

Friday 16th October 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

We've had another fantastic week in school. The children have worked incredibly hard, made great progress and should be very proud of all they have achieved this term. We all enjoyed a well-deserved Fluffy Friday at the end of the week!

As we reach the end of term, we would like to thank you for your continued support and wish you all a wonderful, restful half-term break. We look forward to welcoming the children back to school on **Monday 2nd November**.

Just to let you know, some children may have brought home a small amount of homework for half term. We have been writing our letters to Scruffy Fox in our neatest handwriting, ready to be sent to the Tangled Bramble Bush. If your child has brought their letter home, they may have a little more to complete before this piece of work is finished.

Please check your child's bag and ensure that any completed letters are returned to school after half term. Thank you for your support.

Have a lovely half term!

Danni, Laura, Abigail and Lydia

Maths

In Maths, the children have been learning to add and subtract hundreds, spot patterns in number calculations and make connections between adding and subtracting 1s, 10s and 100s. They have been using their place value knowledge to identify which digits change and which stay the same, as well as recognising when numbers cross a ten or a hundred. It has been fantastic to see their confidence grow as they explain their reasoning and use efficient strategies to solve increasingly challenging problems. Have a go at the activity!

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English

In English, the children have been exploring a range of poetry writing techniques, including personification, repetition and performance. They enjoyed taking part in a 'Wonder Walk' around the school grounds, using their observations to inspire creative poems that brought everyday objects to life through personification. They have also written imaginative poems about what happens in a zoo after closing time and begun developing ideas about animals with unusual dreams. It has been wonderful to see their creativity flourish as they experiment with language and perform their poems with expression and confidence.

Why not ask your child to tell you about an object they spotted on their Wonder Walk and describe what it might say, think or feel if it came to life?

Notices

A reminder that the **first day of Autumn Term 2 is Monday 2nd November**. We look forward to welcoming all the children back after the half-term break, refreshed and ready for another exciting term of learning!

Snacks – If your child would like a snack for break time, it needs to be healthy and have no plastic packaging (Tupperware is fine).

Please **label all school uniform, pencil cases, bags and water bottles**.

