

## Year 3 Newsletter



### Summer 2 Term 2022

A warm, welcome back to the Summer Term! I hope you have all had a wonderful break with your children. This coming term is as busy as ever, with a maths' workshop, sports day and ensuring the children are prepared in readiness for Year 4. If you have any concerns about your child at any time, please send a message on Class Dojo, contact the office or speak to me at the end of the school day.

Miss Riley

### English

This term we will be comparing different characters and different settings. We will then be using our descriptive techniques to write character and setting descriptions. We will be considering the reader and looking at the use of language and sentence structures to further develop a writer's style and create an intended impact. We will also be focusing upon developing our joined handwriting to ensure our letter formation is accurately and consistently formed.

### Maths

We will continue working on the 10, 5, 2, 4, 8 and 3 times tables, including division facts. Remember Times Tables Rock Stars is a great app to practise with. This term's Maths' focus will be securing number and calculation and also time, including reading the time from an analogue clock to the nearest 5 minutes, and then 1 minute.

### P.E.

This term, Year 3 will have PE on a Tuesday. Children need to have a P.E. kit in school, consisting of a school P.E. t-shirt, black shorts and pumps/trainers. Children can bring long jogging bottoms and a warm top for outdoor P.E.

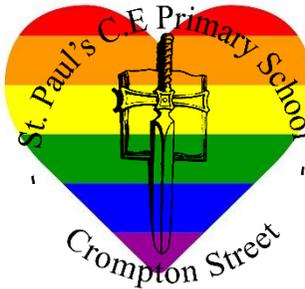
### Reading Books



Reading as regularly as possible to an adult can really help your child progress. We would like to see your child read a minimum of FIVE times a week. Once they have read to an adult, the adult should sign their Reading Records.



Homework is set every Friday and should be returned by **Wednesday**. Please encourage your child to complete their homework to a high standard every week.



### R.E.

This half term our topic will be: "Which rules should we follow." Looking at whether everyone follows the same rules.

### Learning Challenge

In our topic, "How has transport change over time?" we will learn about the different types of transport of Walkden and their purpose.

### Science

In our topic: "How far can you throw a shadow?" we will explore light, including reflection and shadow.