

Year 3 Newsletter May 2018

This half term we have been contacted by Puffin Publishers who have asked us to help them design a new book cover in the style of Quentin Blake. The children have been busy using their art skills to design their cover and have used their painting skills to create water colour effects. In our reading time, we have been finding out about the Minpins and the Gruncher. In our writing, we have been learning to paragraph information and we have written persuasive pieces based on our opinions of the actions of the characters.

Supporting Your Child at Home

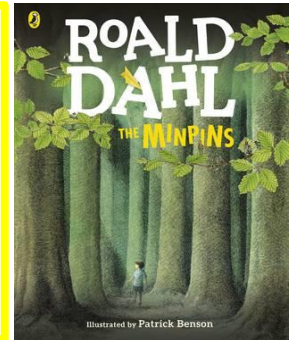
It is important that the children continue to spend time at home practising their reading, spellings and times tables. New Summer term targets can be found in their communication books.

We are currently learning about fractions in maths. Can you talk about finding a half, a quarter, a third, sixth or even an eighth of objects at home? Pizza night is a good way to do this.

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/7-11-years/fractions-and-decimals> has a variety of games to help with understanding fractions and decimals.

Library Reminder!

We change our library books every other Tuesday. Some children have outstanding loans that have not been returned for a long time. Please have a thorough search at home for any library books and return them to school as soon as possible to avoid having to pay for lost



Sun Safety



Now the hot summer weather is here, it is more important than ever to make sure your child has a water bottle in school every day so they can keep hydrated. Don't forget to apply sun screen at home and a sunhat would be beneficial on the hotter days too!

Diary Dates

28th May - 1st June - Half Term

Monday 4th June - TED SCHOOL CLOSED

Monday 18th June - Year 3 Trip to Worcester Cathedral

Wednesday 20th June - Outdoor Education morning at Woodfield

Monday 25th June - Outdoor Learning Day

Think

Is a computer clever?

Don't forget to explain your answer...



E-Safety

In our JIGSAW PSHE sessions we have discussed how to keep ourselves safe, including when we are using the internet. We have also talked about what to do if you accidentally view inappropriate content online.