

CURRICULUM NEWSLETTER

MALTBY REDWOOD
Year Three



Welcome to the Spring 1 edition of the Year 3 newsletter. You will find lots of information about the curriculum, how to help your child at home and any other notes. If you have any questions, please ask the class teacher.

Our current learning journey is: **Stone Age Britain: What do archaeologists think they know about it?**

Curriculum outline

Reading: We will be reading 'Stone Age Boy' by Satoshi Ktamura alongside a range of unseen extracts to develop our retrieval and inference skills.

Writing: We will be writing a narrative based on the story 'Stone Age Boy', and we will also be writing an explanation text based on the story 'Street Beneath My Feet'. We will be developing our knowledge of subordinating and coordinating conjunctions, as well as our knowledge of speech.

Maths: We will continue to focus on multiplication and division. We will practice multiples of 2, 5, 10, 3, 4, and 8. We will use our timetable knowledge to answer division questions too.

Science: We will be learning about light and shadows. We will learn to identify light sources and explore reflections. We will also investigate materials, and which ones makes the best/worse shadows.

History: We will be learning about The Stone Age. We will look at the chronology of the earliest humans in Britain. We will look at evidence from archaeologists and early settlement as well as other historical skills.

Art: We will be using watercolours and charcoal to create Stone Age drawings.

Spanish: Our Spanish unit is Los Animales- Animals.

Helping your child at home

- PE Days: **Tuesday and Wednesday.**
- Please read weekly with your child and record this in their reading record
- Rapid recall of times tables – TTRockstars
- Practice spellings on EdShed.
- Complete weekly homework and return on a Wednesday.



Notes:

- 06/01/2025- Back to School
- 14/01/2025- Road Safety Assembly
- 16/01/2025- Prime VR Day
- 27/01/2025- Stone Age Day and Stay and Art @ 2.15pm
- 27/01/2025- National Story Telling Week
- 03/02/2025- Children's Mental Health Week
- 12/02/2025- Parents Evening

