# Year 3 Vines Spring 1 2023

## Welcome!

We hope you had a fantastic break and are ready for the exciting learning that will be happening this term.



## **Maths**

Building on our understanding of Hundreds, Tens and Ones, and understanding the value of the digits, the children will move onto the formal methods of addition and subtraction by laying calculations out in columns. We will begin this by using equipment to represent the hundreds, tens and ones.

#### In English lessons, children will learn to use a range of punctuation, expanded noun phrases and conjunctions to write their own action stories. Later in the term children will write a diary entry.

#### Science

This half term we will be studying light. We will learn how light allows us to see objects, how light reflects from surfaces, how shadows form and how to keep ourselves safe in the sun. We will also be carrying out investigations using fair tests, making predictions and answering questions using evidence

Mindfulness The work in the Vines will focus heavily on social, emotional and mental wellbeing. We have regular yoga/mindfulness sessions as well as regular

feelings check-ins. We will also work on relationships and respect and find ways to get along with our peers in a respectful way. This term will see the start of a 6 week block of structured yoaa sessions. Children will also have access to some structured play provision to further support their mental health.

#### D&T



In D&T we will be making electrical posters. We will begin by understanding the purpose of information design and researching a range of ideas before creating our own plans. We will assemble our final designs and incorporate a simple circuit.

#### A polite reminder...

Children to need to come into school in full uniform. On non PE days plain, black shoes or boots should be worn. Please ensure all clothes have your child's name and class clearly written on.

#### Homework

Children will be given weekly spellings and tasks on Sumdog. Please ensure they have time at home to do this. Children should also read their home reader book daily. They need to only read a few pages

each day.



If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to email vour child's class teacher.

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