



Dear Parents / Carers,

Friday 31st January 2020

### **Curriculum**

In Maths the children have begun a unit on Statistics, this week focusing on Pictograms. We have been sharing a range of representations in our learning and supporting children in learning to interpret their data as well as challenging them to come up with questions to ask about their data. In English, we have begun a new unit with a focus on adverbs. The children have been inspired by a short film entitled 'Playing with Light' and are planning an imitation of the narrative.

In Science the children will be planning and carrying out an investigation on which materials are magnetic and using practical resources to carry this out. We have also dived further into our topic of transport and trade, finding out more about the Silk Road. The children have been learning about Egypt and in art we have been designing our own cartouches using hieroglyphics.

### **Home learning**

We have continued to see a range of fantastic homework being brought into school this week and it is wonderful to see the children engaged in a variety of activities as well as using their creativity. The children will have the opportunity to share their homework with their peers on the 10<sup>th</sup> February. Please can you support your children with completing 4 activities before this date so that all children have something to share and feel proud of. **As always we would like to see the children complete 4 signed reads every week.**

Just a reminder that you can continue to access the online resources such as Bug Club, Times Tables Rocks and Purple Mash using the logins in your Reading Diaries.

If you have any questions please pop in and see your class teacher, our doors are always open.

Kindest regards,

The Year 3 team.