



Worplesdon Primary School – Weekly Update

Friday 8th October 2021

Dear Parents / Carers,

We have had another exciting week of learning in Year 3.

In English, the children have been rewriting the story of Captain Flinn and the Pirate Dinosaurs using prepositional phrases. The children have really enjoyed this text! Next week we will be tweaking the text by changing the pirates. Instead of pirate dinosaurs, they could be pirate unicorns or pirate aliens! We will also be introducing the children to prepositional phrases to describe time.

In Maths, we have continued to practise adding using the column method and the children can now add 2 three-digit numbers together this way. It would be great if you could ask your child to show you this method at home! Next week, we are moving onto subtraction and we will begin by subtracting one digit numbers before moving onto subtracting two digit numbers using column method.

Online Resources

Your child has their log in details stuck in their reading diary. Their log in for Google Classroom is their username followed by @wps.school . This username and password can also be used for Purple Mash, however for this website it is just the username and doesn't need the @wps.school . We have been using Purple Mash in our Computing lessons, in particular, we have been using the programme 2Code. It would be great if the children could also use this at home to practise their coding skills.

Homework

In Year 3, we continue to set homework via a homework passport. This is available on Google Classroom when you click on the 'Classwork' tab. The children should complete at least 6 activities from the homework passport this term (up to Christmas). As your child completes an activity, please upload photos, posters, reflections, etc onto Google Classroom as we would love to see the progress you are making. We will then have a sharing session where the children will share their home learning with the rest of the class. This will happen during the week beginning 13/12/21. We still expect the children to complete 4 signed reads each week as a well as spending some time practising your times tables.

PE

Just a reminder that Year 3 do their PE lessons on Tuesdays and Wednesdays. Please could you ensure that, if your child has their ears pierced, that they do not wear earrings to school on these days.

Class Assembly

Just a date for your diaries, Sparrows have their class assembly on Friday 5th November which is the first Friday after half term.

Please don't hesitate to get in touch if you have any questions or concerns throughout the year. Our email addresses are below.

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Many thanks,

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