Please Remember:

- Reading Book on Monday
- P.E. kit on Tuesday & Wednesday
- Spelling Test on Thursday
- -Homework completed by Thursday

Mr Durie will be the class teacher every Friday and Mrs Haigh will take the class on Thursday afternoons.



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Concerns:

If you are worried about your child or their schooling, please make an appointment to see myself or Mrs Brooksbank.



Class 3

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Mrs Hoare Mr Durie Mrs Haigh Mrs Mac



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English

The children will study texts on the theme of Dreams & Curiosity.

- *'The Tear Thief' by Carol Ann Duffy, in which the children explore the imagery within. They create a shared-poem, explore different verb forms used in the text and then write a letter in role.
- *'The BFG' by Roald Dahl, in which the children will create diary entries as Sophie and write a new chapter/own version of what might happen before creating their own Giant story.
- *'The Tin Forest' by Helen Ward, in which the children will explore the main character and the journey he goes through. Through the sequence, children write in role as the old man, producing diary entries and wishes and also write a postcard to him. The sequence finishes with children writing a persuasive piece to encourage others to protect an area in the local environment.

ICT - Combining Text & Graphics

This unit is aimed at developing children's graphic and presentation skills by introducing drawing as opposed to painting. It also goes on to further children's understanding of layouts using a desktop publishing application. Children will learn to draw, order, group and manipulate objects to make a picture. They will also learn to evaluate and create effective layouts, combining text and images.

Science - Animals including Humans

We will be looking at the similarities between humans and animals. We will be looking at their skeletons, muscles and needs of diet, warmth etc.

Music-Glockenspiel

This unit introduces the children to learning about the language of music through playing the glockenspiel. The learning is focused around exploring and developing playing skills through the glockenspiel.

<u>Curriculum Web</u> Year Three Half Term 2

<u>P.E.</u>

<u>Real PE</u>: Children will improve their skills of jumping, landing and balancing.

PSHE - Don't Forget to Let Love in!

Self-worth. The children will learn how to love and value themselves well. "You're important, you matter, you're one in a million and above all you're loved." These are messages that we all need to hear, believe and remember - because sometimes we forget.

Maths

Topics covered this half term are:

- Addition & Subtraction
- Multiplication & Division

<u>Please ensure you support your child by practising their times tables.</u>

Geography Mountains

- *What is a Mountain?
- *Mountain Ranges
- *Why do People Live on Mountains?
- *Living in the Andes
- *Mountainous regions of the UK
- *Snowdonia

History- Cradles of Civilisations

- *The Land Between the Two Rivers
- *Trading, Building, Writing
- *The Oldest Story in the World
- *Similar Things about Civilisations
- *Art in Ancient Civilisations

Religious Education - God With Us

The children will reflect upon Christmas as a celebration of God's presence with us 2000 years ago & now.