



Ashley Junior School

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17th April 2026

Dear Parent/Carer,

Welcome back!

We hope your child will have a happy, successful and productive final term in Year 3. We would like to take this opportunity to inform you of the curriculum coverage for the Summer Term. Please find the curriculum web attached which outlines the learning objectives for our new topic – Explorers and Adventurers. We hope that the following information will enable you to provide support and encouragement for your child.

These are the home learning expectations for Year 3:

Reading

Children are expected to read daily for at least 10 minutes and record their thoughts and feelings in response to what they have read in their Reading River Record. The children's work in this book will go towards selecting the 'Star Reader' for Benjamin and Rosen Class. A 'Star Reader' will be chosen, celebrated and mentioned in the weekly newsletter. Library Day will take place every Thursday. Please ensure your child remembers their library book every week.

Spelling

Your child will continue to practise their spellings weekly on a "Spelling Frame". The programme builds your child's spelling confidence and ability as it is tailored to their individual strengths and weaknesses. This will only have an impact if they use "Spelling Frame" at least three times a week for 10 minutes per session.

Maths

Your child will be expected to continue to access 'TTRockstars'. Tournaments will be set over the term between the classes. Please spend time helping your child to learn their x2, x5, x10 followed by x3, x4 & x8. This will support their

learning in class. In school, the children use another programme (which is accessible online) called 'Hit the Button'.

P.E

P.E. will continue to take place on Mondays. Children will need to come into school wearing their kit on the day.

Snacks and water bottles

We politely request **ALL** children have a named water bottle in school. Please ensure that these are not filled with squash or fizzy drinks, as only water is permitted. These will need to return home and be washed each day.

Fishbourne Roman Palace

To enrich our topic learning on The Romans, we are excited about our upcoming trip to Fishbourne Roman Palace on Wednesday 10th June. A letter has been sent out outlining the details. Powerpoint slides from the Parent Meeting in March can be found on the school website.

Communication with Parents / Carers

If you wish to speak to your child's class teacher, please contact the school office and they will forward your message to the relevant adult/s.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs Deverill, Mrs Morgan and Mr McCormack

The Year 3 Team