Year 3 Newsletter - Autumn 2022

Welcome back to all of the children in Year 3!

In Year 3, the children will be using 'Dolphin Boy' as a stimulus for their English and Guided Reading lessons. They will be learning how to punctuate direct speech and creating persuasive flyers. They will also be exploring

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different genres of texts such as poetry and non-fiction.

In maths, the children will be focusing on number. They will explore addition and subtraction within 1,000. They will also be working hard learning their 2, 3, 5 and 10 times tables as well as grouping different amounts.

This half term, we are working as geographers and focusing on 'Earthquakes and Volcanoes'. We will be learning about how earthquakes occur and how volcanoes are formed as well as researching the city of Pompeii.

Our science topic for this half term is 'Rocks'. The children will explore and classify different rocks as well as learn about the different layers of the Earth and investigating different types of soil. They will also be learning all about fossils and how they are formed.

This half term in PE, we will focus on tagrugby and gymnastic skills. Please make sure children bring their PE kits (including trainers) to school on a Monday and take



them home on a Friday to be cleaned. For these sessions, hair must be tied back and earrings must either be removed for the session or covered, with their own tape or small plasters, for health and safety reasons.

Thank you for your continued support,

Mrs Bell and Miss Hill