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#### BROADACRE PRIMARY SCHOOL

## NEWSLETTER

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### Year 3 Newsletter

## **Spring Term**

#### Welcome to a new term in Year 3

We hope you've had a fantastic break and enjoyed every minute of your Christmas break and New Year. We are very excited to welcome you all back this term and exceptionally excited to deliver the learning for the new term.

#### **Twitter**

We update our school Twitter regularly with photographs of the children in Year 3. Please feel free to take a look and follow us on the following social tag:

@BroadacreSch

#### **Maths**

This half term, we will be focusing on multiplication and division; length and perimeter; fractions and mass and capacity.

Your child will also have access to Times Tables Rockstars (TTRS) and logins will be resent home this term.

#### **Reading and Homework**

Homework is set every Friday and this should be returned the following Tuesday. Reading books will also be sent out on a Friday and collected in on Wednesday. The reading books come with a reading record. We aim to record reading with each child four or more times a week. Short burst sessions are encouraged.

#### **PE Kit**

This half term, the children will be focusing on invasion games and gymnastics. 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.

#### **English and Guided Reading**

In Year 3, we are using a short, stop-motion stimuli called 'migrants' to inspire our writing. We will be writing for a wide range of purposes such as to entertain and to inform. Writing setting descriptions, story openers and wanted posters.

In guided reading, we are reading 'Creakers' by Tom Fletcher. This text helps form a basis for the different reading domains that the children are learning. This half term, we are looking at retrieval, prediction and inference to name a few.

#### **Wider Curriculum**

In History this half term, artworke looking at 'Hull Heroes' where we will be doing an in-depth look into the lives of Clive Sullivan, Mary Murdoch and lames Reckitt.

In art, we are looking at the artist Favianna Rodriguez whose work lies in nature. The children will be using their knowledge of the colour wheel to recreate her artwork and use newly taught skills such as printing.



The Creakers by Tom Fletcher