

# **HUSTHWAITE and SESSAY CE PRIMARY FEDERATION** and Husthwaite Apple Tree Nursery

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### Class 3 Information – Autumn 1 2021

Welcome back!

I hope you are all ready for the new term.

A few reminders to start off with:

- Class 3 drop off is 8.40 for 8.50a.m. registration and pick up is 3.20p.m.
- P.E. is on a Tuesday & Wednesday afternoon. The children will need to be in school uniform every day and will keep their PE kits in school for the week. On Forest School Day (in Autumn 2) they will bring their outdoor clothes to get changed into.
- LABEL EVERYTHING
- NO pencil cases please. The children will have the resources they need in school and so only essential things such as packed lunches/coats need to be brought in.
- Planners In Class 3 the children will have planners to remind them of upcoming events as well as to record guided reading or other interventions they are taking part in. You can write communications in these, although they will not be checked every day by staff. If you need a message passing on, please make your child aware of the message that needs to be seen.
- Class Dojo/Email This is the best way to get in touch. Any urgent messages through the office please. Our class email address is class.3@husthwaite.n-yorks.sch.uk; your dojo details should be the same. I have already set up the Class 3 2021/22 group. If you don't think you are on it then let me know.

#### **Our learning**

Maths - Our focus for this half term will be number, place value, rounding and addition and subtraction both mentally and using formal methods (columnar.) Year 5 will be using numbers up to 1,000,000 and Year 6 to 10,000,000 as well as decimal places. A Year 4 objective is to know all times table to 12x12. If you know your child has gaps, please continue to practise at home.

English – Our Class Text this half term will be Who Let the Gods Out?, Maz Evans. Through this we will conduct whole class guided reading sessions and write a range of genres from narrative to information texts honing our understanding of audience and purpose for writing.





Topic – Our theme this term will be The Greeks The children will study of Greek life & achievements & their influence on the Western world and understand geographical similarities & differences in a region of a European country- Greece.



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Science/Art – Living Things and Their Habitats, particularly around classification.

R.E. – Understanding Christianity - Creation and science: conflicting or complementary?

Computing - Coding

P.E. –Mr Shinwell Cross Country and Circuits (Tuesday); Indoor with Mr Chapman Dance (Wednesday)

Music – Young Voices

French - Ma Famille

## Homework

Year 5 Xtables – Through rockstars

Spellings – Children have already received the list for the half term

Reading Comprehension (First News / National Geographic / The Week Junior – once per half

term)

Reading – levelled books from school (e.g. dark blue)

Last week of each term – research / practical / maths investigation.

Century Tech Maths

Year 6 Xtables – Through rockstars

Spellings – Children have already received the list for the half term

Reading Comprehension(First News / National Geographic / The Week Junior – once per half

term)

Reading

10 minute test ESPAG a week

10 minutes test Maths a week

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Kind regards,

Mr Chapman