



St Margaret's-at-Cliffe Primary School
Class Three Newsletter
Terms 5 and 6 2022-2023

Dear Parents and Carers

Welcome to the summer terms! I hope that the wet and cold weather is slowly departing us and the warm sunshine is approaching.

PE lessons continue to be on a Tuesday and Friday. This term we are doing rounders and tennis outside (weather permitting!)

The children will therefore need suitable trainers for our PE lessons as well as some extra warm layers for outside. Please add some extra leggings, tracksuit bottoms or a long sleeved top if you wish to do so.

Mrs Fairhurst

Some topic highlights from our curriculum

History – Castle (Local study of Dover Castle)

We will be discovering why people built castles, who built them and why don't we build them anymore? We will learn about the various features of castles; linking this to a Medieval art project. We will investigate the people who lived in castles, from Kings and Queens to the kitchen staff. Class 3 are going to go back in time to when Dover Castle was first built and find out why the castle is so important to our local history. We will also be learning about the patron saint of England – St. George as well as learning about dragons through our Art and English work.

We will be learning about Forces and Magnets in Science, as well as completing some printing in Art using the natural environment as inspiration.

Reading Books & Homework Books

We have a 'home learning box' by the door in the classroom. If your child needs a new reading book or has any homework that needs marking, please remind them to put them in their so they can be changed or checked. Many thanks!

Just a Few Things to Remember...

- The children can bring a named water bottle in school. These should only contain water and I will do my best to remind the children to take them home every day for washing and refilling.
- Tuck shop is open on Friday at break time. Healthy snacks and drinks are available to purchase for between 20p and £1.00