

# P3 Class Newsletter

May 2018

Dear Parent / Guardian,

There's not long to go until the Summer holidays now and our Primary 3s are excited and ready for Primary 4. I hope you all have a lovely Summer when it comes.

## **Topic**

This term, Primary 3 are exploring the Human Body, in particular, the vital organs and how germs are spread. We have conducted lots of experiments, photos of which can be found on our blog:

<https://blogs.glowscotland.org.uk/ac/fernieleprimary3/>



## **Maths**

In Maths, P3 pupils have been learning about time. We have been learning about half past, quarter past and quarter to. P3 pupils will also be developing their knowledge of data handling and fractions this term. It would be great if you could continue to help your child practise the multiplication tables at home.

## **Language**

In Language, P3 pupils will have the opportunity to write creative stories using lots of wow words and improving their use of connectives. We will continue to learn their list of 5 common words each week. P3 pupils will be working on their predicting skills in reading, making educated guesses about what's going to happen next in their story.



## **Homework**

Just a reminder to please sign each page of your child's work and reading record.

Homework will be given out on Monday and is to be handed in on Thursday.

Homework Club is on a Monday 3-4pm for parents and pupils to attend if they wish. For more information, please ask at the office.

## **Reading**

Parakeets/ Tanagers/ Puff Birds/ Honeycreepers will read every Monday and Wednesday.

Macaws/ Toucans will read every Tuesday and Thursday.

## **Gym**

Our gym days are Wednesdays and Thursdays. Please check your child has a gym kit and gym shoes. Please be aware that no jewellery is allowed during gym. If earrings can't be removed, please provide plasters or tape to cover them.

## **Dates to Remember**

Sports Day: 13th June

Last day of term: 6th July

Please encourage your child to bring in any certificates or achievements attained out-with school so these can be included in their Pupil Profiles and be celebrated in school too. In class we are collecting Mickey points, the child who collects the most points during the week gets to bring Mickey home and have an adventure.

This will be an exciting and busy term! Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

Mrs Leslie