



Waterbeach Community Primary School

Weekly Learning Update: Year 3/4

Date: 02.10.26

Maths

In Year 3 Maths, next week the children will be learning about:

- Reading and writing 3-digit numbers
- Partitioning 2 and 3 digit numbers
- Comparing and ordering numbers

In Year 4 Maths, next week the children will be learning about:

- One and two step word problems involving addition and subtraction.
- Consolidating using column method for subtraction
- Representing problems as bar models.

English/Phonics

In English, this week the children have been learning about:

- Writing their story based on the Anglo-Saxon story of Beowulf
- Considering how similes and powerful verbs add to the drama of the fight scene.
- Editing and improving their story

Next week we will be :

- Completing and publishing their stories
- Beginning to consider why we write explanation texts and what features these contain.

Topic

In **Science**, each Year 3/4 class are covering a different science topic, and this will rotate throughout the year.

- **Dolphins** – Sound
- **Sea Turtles** – Animals including Humans
- **Manta Rays** – Animals including Humans, focusing on digestion
- **Whales** – States of Matter
- **Seals** – Electricity

In **History**, we all have been learning about the Anglo-Saxons.

- Anglo-Saxons – Settlements.

Additional information & Reminders

- Next week is 'Cycle to School Week'
- Forest School is on Thursday 8th October, please remember a change of shoes is needed for this activity.
- Harvest Festival Assembly is on Thursday
- Please remember to provide a healthy snack for your child's break, crisps and chocolate are not suitable.

WE WILL BE VISITING WEST STOW ANGLO SAXON VILLAGE ON MONDAY 19TH AND THURSDAY 22ND OCTOBER . IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO VOLUNTEER ON THIS TRIP, PLEASE CONTACT YOUR CHILD'S TEACHER VIA EMAIL.

Thank you for your continued support. Please get in touch if you have any questions.
Kind regards, the Year 3/4 team.