

Welcome to your new Class Beech

Class teacher: Mrs Crockett

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Current learning support: Mr Swatman

PPA teacher: Mrs Adams (Wed pm)























































Welcome!

It has been fantastic getting to know your children and they have been settling into Year 3 very well!

Thank you for supporting your child through lockdown. I really appreciate all the time, hard work and dedication that you have spent completing the home learning tasks.



Timetable 2021-2022

	 9:00	 10:20	 10:40	 11:00	 12:00	 1:00	 2:00	 3:15
 Monday	 English	 Assembly	 Break	 Maths	 Lunch	 RE	 PE	 Home
 Tuesday	 English	 Assembly	 Break	 Maths	 Lunch	 PSHE	 PE	 Home
 Wednesday	 English	 Assembly	 Break	 French and Yoga	 Lunch	 Science	 Science	 Home
 Thursday	 English	 Assembly	 Break	 Maths	 Lunch	 History or Geography	 History or Geography	 Home
 Friday	 Assembly	 Handwriting and Spelling	 Break	 Maths and singing	 Lunch	 Music and Library	 Social time	 Home



Year 3 Curriculum Overview

2021-2022

	<u>Autumn</u>	<u>Spring</u>	<u>Summer</u>
<u>Science</u>	Animals including humans	Rocks and soils Light and shadows	Forces and magnets Plants
<u>Art</u>	Drawing and painting – Giotto Angels linked to RE	Printing: Monuments	Sculpture: Buildings from megacities through clay
<u>Design and Technology</u>	Construction – design and make a meal box (shell structure)	Making Rock cakes	Sewing making a cacti cushion
<u>Computing</u>	Programming an animation and finding and correcting bugs in programs	Videoing performance and making and sharing a short screen cast presentation	Communicating safely on the internet and collecting and analysing data
<u>French</u>	Phonetics 1 : I am learning French, Animals and Christmas	Fruits and Easter	Musical instruments, Ice-creams, Bastille day

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<u>Geography</u>	Beyond the magic kingdom: What is the sunshine state really like?	How and why is my local environment changing?	Why do so many people live in megacities?
<u>PE</u>	Hockey, Football, Gymnastics, Netball	Tennis, Dance, Basketball, Tri-golf	Cricket, team building and orienteering, Rounders, Throwing, Running and Catching
<u>History</u>	Stone Age: How did the lives of Ancient Britain's change during the Stone age?	Bronze Age: What is the secret of the standing stones?	Iron Age: How do artefacts help us understand the lives of people in Iron Age Britain?
<u>R.E.</u>	<u>Hinduism – Divali</u> <u>Christianity – Christmas</u>	<u>Christianity - Jesus' miracles,</u> <u>Christianity - Easter – forgiveness</u>	<u>Hinduism – Hindu beliefs</u> <u>Sikhism – Prayer and worship</u>
<u>Music</u>	Exploring descriptive sounds and exploring rhythmic patterns	Exploring arrangements and exploring pentatonic scales	Exploring sound colours and exploring singing games
<u>P.S.H.E/SRE</u>	Being me in my world and Celebrating difference	Dreams and goals and Healthy me	Relationships and Changing me

*Please note that offsite visits are currently being reviewed



Class Routines

- School starts at 8:50am and children will walk to line up on the playground
- School ends at 3:15pm and children will be collected from their classrooms
- All children need to bring in a named water bottle every day and a healthy snack (e.g fruit, veg, plain carb) if they would like to
- Children must have a change of shoes for inside and outside
- PE kits should be in school for PE on **Monday and Tuesday** you will need a named t-shirt, jogging trousers/shorts Trainers, a mouth guard and shin pads.



Key Information

- Contributions – please supply a box of tissues and a hand sanitiser for the class each term.
- All admin that needs to go to the office please email admin@greenway.Herts.sch.uk
- If your child has a medical/physical condition of which we are not aware, then please let us know. If they require any medication to be administered then it must be in writing for us to be able to give it to your child with your written consent
- Please ensure that if your child requires an epi-pen or inhaler that we have this in school and it is in date.



If Your Child Is Unwell

- If your child is unwell please email or phone admin@greenway.herts.sch.uk
- If they have sickness or diarrhoea, it is a legal requirement for your child to be kept off school for 48 hours following the last occurrence
- If your child requires Calpol/Paracetamol to come to school then they should be at home!
- Antibiotics will only be administered if required 4 times a day, unless attending Waccy (after school club)
- If your child needs to go to an appointment during the school day then please email admin@greenway.herts.sch.uk. You will then be able to enter the school to collect your child from the office.



Communication

- Please inform the school of appointments or communicate any issues that arise including a reason for lateness or absence via email to the school office admin@greenway.herts.sch.uk
- It is very important that you let us know of anything that may affect your child in school. If you should have any situations that arise that could affect the emotional well-being of your child please also inform us. e.g. moving house, illness of close relatives, parent travelling and being away from home.



Home Learning

Maths will be set weekly on Fridays at 3pm on Google Classrooms. This needs to be submitted/up loaded to Google Classrooms by 3pm the following Thursday. Your child will complete their Maths home learning in their Maths home learning book, which is to stay at home.

Spellings are set weekly every Friday via Spelling Shed. The class will learn the rule and refer to it throughout the week along with revisiting it. This is to ensure that spellings are applied in writing rather than just learning them for a test.

Please practise with your child using their spelling books (see next slide for examples). The dictation includes words using the same spelling rule.



Spelling journal examples

early early early
↑
rainbow writing strategy

every
ant
runs
through
hedges
← Silly
sentences
strategies

dis

↑
the rule

→
pyramid
word
strategy

d.
di
dis
disa
disap
disapp
disappo
disappoi
disappoin
disappoint

disagree

← segmentation
strategy

disagree
no! no! no!

← pictorial
and giving
meaning to the
word

disobey

↑
word shape strategy



Reading Records

- Your child will have a reading record for them and yourselves to record their reading
- Please record your comments in the reading record – it is very useful and important to see
- Your child must bring in the reading record every day
- Your child will need to practise reading at home at least 3 times a week – it is recommended that they read every day. Please write a comment about how they have read and sign the reading record once a week ready for us to change books on a Friday (if ready to)
- Your child will bring home 2 books from school a week – please remember to also read other texts too for variety and to encourage their interests and literary appetite!



Home Learning - Reading

- To read with your child at least 3 times a week
- To spend time discussing the text
- Asking and answering questions about the text together
- Predicting what might happen next
- Discussing the vocabulary and meaning of the language in the text
- Remember that re-reading a text is important for consolidation, fluency, expression and comprehension
- Reading together for enjoyment!



Home Learning - Maths

- Times tables: 2, 5, 10, 3, 4, 8
- Telling the time confidently to the nearest 5 minutes (12 and 24hr clock) and then using time in every day life
- Number rehearsal – counting, ordering, estimating, sequencing numbers up to and including 3 digit numbers
- Using and recognising Maths in every day contexts – such as baking, shopping, using money, measuring
- Maths games – such as snakes and ladders, monopoly, card games.



Useful Resources

- BBC bitesize
- Mathletics
- TT rockstars
- Oak National Academy
- Classroom secrets
- Nrich
- Twinkl
- Oxford owl
- CPLE (Centre for Literacy and Primary Education).



Marking And Feedback At School

- Your child will receive regular verbal feedback
- They will also have their work marked in green pen
- Children can earn house points, stars, stickers and star of the week
- For outstanding achievements children can receive a 'special award' from Mrs Ellwood
- Children can receive postcards home for outstanding effort, behaviour and personal achievements.



Special educational needs/disabilities SEND

- Greenway School INCO-(Inclusion Co-ordinator) and Autism Lead is Dani Roe
- INCO works in partnership with parents/carers, staff and professionals to ensure that pupils with SEND have the appropriate provision and **reasonable adjustments** in place in school
- SEND policy, School offer and Hertfordshire local offer for SEND is on website
- All pupils with SEND will have a One Page Profile. This will be shared and targets reviewed with staff and parents/carers
- Please look out for letters and flyers for courses and opportunities for pupils with SEND, sent via email
- If you have concerns regarding your child please email [yourclass](mailto:yourclass@greenwayprimaryandnurseryschool.co.uk) teacher and/or INCO.

Class Rep...

Thank you to...

Kate Hamer!

If you change your mobile phone number or e-mail address then please let the office know (if you have not given either of these to the office please do so asap).



Thank You For Listening

Please email me on

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If you need to contact me.

