



# YEAR 3

## AUTUMN TERM

### Dear parents/ carers

We have an exciting term of learning ahead for the start of Year 3. If you have any general teaching queries, please contact us at our class email addresses below. Please continue to send child attendance notifications to the main school office address ([office@holbrookprimaryschool.com](mailto:office@holbrookprimaryschool.com)) Thank you for your continued support.

### Our Autumn Theme

**Precious Earth** is our autumn theme. We study prehistory, specifically prehistoric Britain, discovering how crucial discoveries transformed our ancestors' lives. Our trip to **Butser Ancient Farm** is on Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> October.

### Curriculum

**Maths:** we will start building on our place value knowledge, moving onto addition and subtraction and multiplication and division.

**English:** narrative, poetry, report and instructions and persuasive writing.

**Reading:** Our class stories for this term are:  
The Magical Yet, Stone Age Boy, Stone Age-Iron Age Factual Books,  
How to Wash a Woolly Mammoth,

**Science:** Light and magnets

**PE:** Outdoor PE on Tuesdays and indoor PE on Thursdays

**Art and DT:** Portraits, typography and graphic design, cave painting

**Computing:** E-safety and types of connections

**French:** J'apprends le français (I Am Learning French)

### Home Learning

We will continue to upload the home learning to Tapestry on Friday and it should be sent back to us, before the start of the school day, the following Thursday. All children are expected to spend up to 30 minutes on their home learning (this can be spread out throughout the week).

In addition, please encourage your child to read  
at least five times a week.

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