



With trust and care we will grow and flourish

Year 3 Parents Information Booklet
Summer Term 2019

At Pear Tree Junior School, we believe that learning is a two-way partnership, involving school and home. We hope this leaflet will answer some of your questions as your child learns in Year 3 and gives you some ideas of ways to help at home!

Inside this booklet you will see what your child is studying this half term. Please take time to read through and discuss this with you child.

Should you require any further information about the curriculum or any other queries please ask to speak to a member of staff

Teaching Staff

Class: Carsington	Teacher: Mrs Saini
Class: Derwent	Teacher: Miss Dolman
Class: Foremark	Teacher: Miss Hassall
Mrs Osbaldeston (cover)	

Year 3 additional teaching staff

Mrs Sullivan	Mrs Osbaldeston
Mrs Slater	Mr Spencer
Miss Aisha	
Mr Ozmen	

Homework

Homework will be given out each Friday and will be expected to be handed in the following Wednesday. Children who do not complete homework activities will complete them during their break times.

Knowledge Organisers

At Pear Tree we have introduced Knowledge Organisers (KOs) in class and as homework to help children to learn the essential knowledge they need for each topic they study. A Knowledge Organiser sets out in detail what we want children to know by heart by the end of the topic. We expect the majority of children to be able to recall all of the information on the KO by the end of the topic.

Reading

Your child will have a home school learning log and reading book, which will need to be taken home and returned to school every day. Your child should read at home every day and an adult will need to sign the learning log to show that your child has read. Reading diaries and logs will be checked every week.

PE Kits

Your child will need the correct PE kit. We will be doing PE on Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays.

Please ensure your child is wearing the correct school uniform everyday. Make sure that all clothing is clearly labelled.

Websites to help

BBC Bitesize, Bug Club, Times Tables Rock Stars, Purple Mash

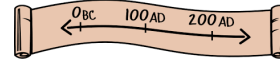
Science

This term we shall be learning about plants and animals, including humans.



History

We shall be learning about significant people in History during our assemblies.



Geography

In Geography we will be learning about the climates different plants need to grow and flourish.



Shared Reading

During our English and Shared Reading lessons we will be reading a range of fiction and non fiction related to the Plants and animals.



Enrichment

The children will have the opportunity to teach each other a new skill.



Outcome

To have knowledge and understanding of what plants and animals need to grow.



Maths

This term in Maths we will be looking at how to tell the time.



Key Text

This term we shall be reading The Promise by Nicola Davis and The Flower by John Light.

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Key Question/Topic What would happen if we lived in a world without any plants?

Writing Opportunities

During our plants and animals topic, the children will have the opportunity to write a speech about the importance of looking after our environment.



PSHE

This half-term we will be focusing on how we can Teamwork.



Learning Together

The children will be learning about how working as part of a team will help them succeed.



Music

We shall be learning new songs during our singing assemblies.



Computing

This term in computing we will be learning about e-safety, algorithms and networks.



Art/DT

In our Art and DT sessions we will be creating skeletons.



PE

In PE will be learning striking and fielding and athletics.



Languages

We will be learning French.



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The children will be learning about Ramadan during our assemblies.

