

Year 3 News

Friday 30th April 2021

Keen beans

This week 3B have been busy planting some beans in order to carry out an experiment. 3R will be beginning their experiment next week. We are investigating what a plants needs in order to grow and what happens if one of these things is removed.

We have also been making some eagle eyed links in our reading sessions. Linking the vocabulary and the questions by using synonyms.

The year 3 team

HOME LEARNING

Reading – Children are bringing home reading books. Children should aim to read at home for 15-20mins daily. One of your reading sessions at home this week let the children pick out new words or words they don't know and find their meanings in a dictionary. It is also great to see so many children quizzing!

Maths – We are using the column method to add numbers together. Use the work on mymaths to practise you addition skills and speed. You could challenge yourself to write out a few column addition problems and teach your parents the stem sentences. – see below.

Times tables – We will be exploring the 3 times table this coming week. Please practice these tables at home. Use <https://play.ttrockstars.com> to improve your speed. Where possible we would love children to use the website and challenge themselves to recall the facts quickly. Don't also forget about the 99 club or practicing saying them out loud whilst throwing a ball to someone else. 😊

Optional Extras – There is no requirement to complete these tasks, they are entirely optional. Our science unit focuses on plants and flowers. You could plant a seed and document it's growth. You could take photos, draw pictures or make a video diary of your plant! You could also find out a bit about the plant for example, where does it grow best?

Please do not send in any paperwork- photos can be taken and sent in via DOJO or class email: 3b@brixington.devon.sch.uk 3r@brixington.devon.sch.uk

SUBJECT SPECIFIC VOCABULARY

These words will come up in our learning this week. Please have a conversation at home about these words.

regrouping once twice
persuade adverb conjunction
stem truck soil

Spellings

The children should know these words inside-out, upside-down and back to front, in context!

reign weight

NOTICES

Please could all children have their full PE kits in school daily.

It is a four-day week next week! We will see you on Tuesday.

Stem sentences-

First we lay out the ones, _____ one(s) plus _____ one(s).

Then we lay out the tens, _____ ten(s) plus _____ ten(s).

First we add the ones, _____ one(s) plus _____ one(s) is equal to _____ one(s).

Then we add the tens, _____ ten(s) plus _____ ten(s) is equal to _____ tens(s).