



مدرسة المنتزة الانجليزية
PARK HOUSE ENGLISH SCHOOL

Year 3 Curriculum booklet term 2

'Amazing learning'

PRIDE, HONESTY, ENTHUSIASM, SUCCESS

Our Mission

To challenge our pupils to be proud, be hardworking, be enthusiastic and achieve success in a happy, caring and respectful environment.

Our Vision

To develop confidence, independence, resilience and a love for learning.

The Year 3 Team

Head of Year: Mrs Sara Axon

Teachers: Mrs. Laura Hutchinson, Mr Sebastian Barlow, Mrs Ramona Donald

Teaching assistants: Mrs Sairah Clifton, Mrs Nicole Vernon, Mrs Karen Beveridge

Literacy (reading, writing, spelling and handwriting)

- Ongoing handwriting practice
- Year 3 British National Curriculum word list spellings.
- Continued reading scheme both at home and at school.
- Continued fortnightly Big Writes.

Literacy Focus includes –

- Adventures and Mystery Stories
- Letter Writing
- Poems from other Cultures

Numeracy

- **Place value**

Embedding a thorough understanding of place value and properties of numbers.

- **Addition; times tables**

Using partitioning in addition; and on the 2, 3, 4, 5, 8 and 10 times tables.

- **Fractions**

Fractions as numbers, finding equivalent fractions, placing fractions on a line, and on fractions as operators, finding fractions of amounts.

- **Angles; 2D shapes**

Angles, including right angles, measurement of turn, and the ° symbol; and on properties of 2D shapes and finding perimeters.

- **Addition and subtraction**

Secure understanding of place value underpins rounding, mental addition and subtraction, and column methods of addition.

- **Time**

Time-telling on digital and analogue clocks, and the calculation of time intervals; these are used in solving word problems.

- **Place value; subtraction**

Using number lines to facilitate an understanding of place value in 3-digit numbers, and as an efficient method of performing subtraction involving 3-digit numbers.

International Primary Curriculum (IPC) -includes Art, DT, ICT, History, Geography, Science

- Chocolate and the Aztec
- Material World

Home learning and Communication diary/reading records

- Homework is given out daily but will be collected in altogether on a Thursday morning.
- Children are expected to write their homework down daily, in their blue diary.
- The pink reading log contains information about what books each child has read. We request that this is signed each time your child reads with you at home.
- Each child is given 2 reading books per week. They are changed every Sunday morning and it is the responsibility of the individual to ensure their books and pink log are in the 'changing tray' on arrival.

Useful dates for your diary

Parent consultations: 14th/15th January

Teacher INSET: 16th January

Internet Safety Week: 2nd February

Half term: 9th February

World Book Day: 5th March

End of term: 2nd April

Useful websites

[BBC Spellits](#) (Spelling games) (KS2)

[BBC Bitesize](#) (Spelling and grammar) (KS2)

[Arcademic Skill Builders](#) (Literacy and maths games) (KS1 & KS2)

[Crickweb](#) (Literacy and maths educational games) (KS2)

[Kids Spell](#) (Create your own spelling lists & games) (KS1 & KS2)

[Fun Brain](#) (Maths, reading and spelling games) (KS1 & KS2)

[Learning Games for Kids](#) (Spelling and word games) (KS1 & KS2)

[Eduplace.com](#) (Levelled spelling and vocabulary games) (KS1 & KS2)

[PrimaryGames.com](#) (Spelling rules, incl. vowels, blends, plurals etc) (KS1 & KS2)

[ICT Games.com](#) (Look, cover, check game) (KS1 & KS2)

[The Times Spelling Bee](#) (Listen to a word and spell it) (KS2) (14 day trial: £1)

[Manythings.org](#) (Aimed at ESL students but includes useful spelling & vocabulary games) (KS2)

[Spelling city](#) (Vocabulary and spelling interactive activities, printable worksheets, games) (KS2)

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/ks2/>

Useful Apps

- **Poptropica**
- **Phonics Ninja**
- **Pizza Fractions**
- **NASA Visualization Explorer**
- **Science 360**
- **Thinking Blocks Multiplication**
- **Vocabulary spelling City**

