



Welcome to Year 3



Adults who work in our year group

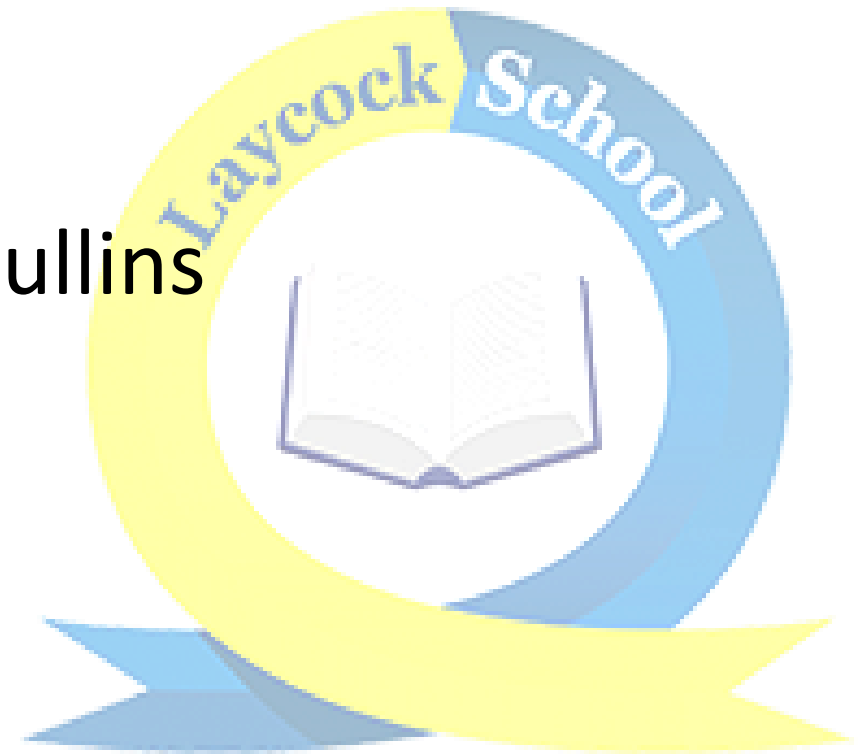
Y3A: Ms Hakim

Y3C: Miss Linaker

Support staff: Ms Adotey and Ms Khan

PPA cover: Ms Rashid-Bailey and Ms Mullins

Phase Leader: Ms Liney



Our class names are....

Y3A – **Westminster** Class

Y3C – **Kings Cross** Class



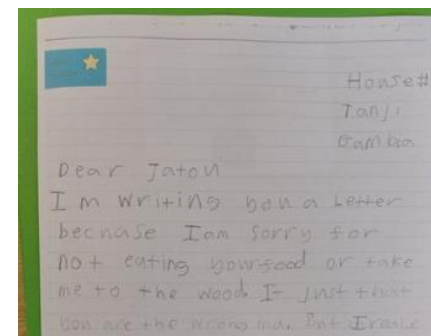
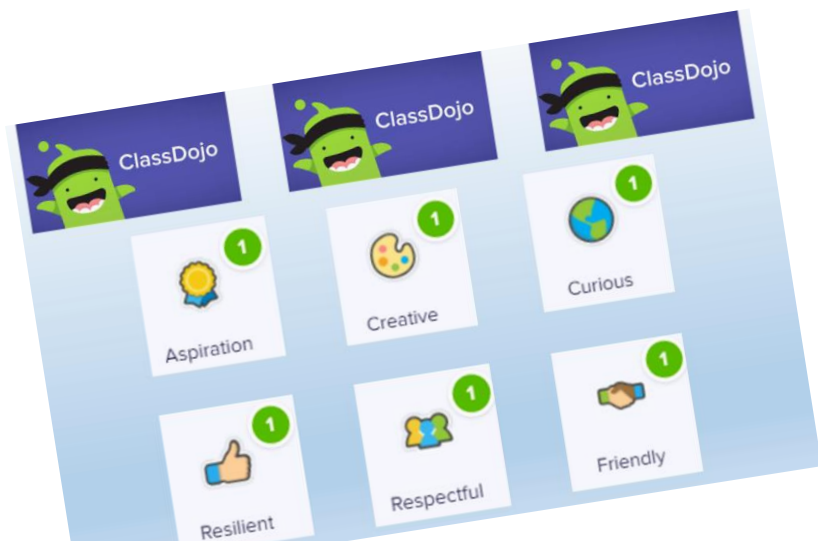


We expect our children and families to model our school values

We teach these in assembly and our classrooms



We celebrate our school values by...



Assemblies

Tuesday: Singing assembly

Wednesday: Cultural assembly

Friday: Celebration assembly

- Weekly value certificates & afternoon tea with Mr Hall
- Termly Laycock Legend ceremonies
- AND! Termly year group assemblies



Class timetable



3A - Ms Hakim

Autumn 1 - Week 2

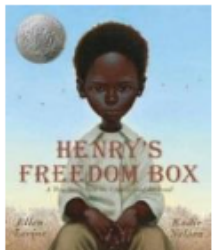


	8.45-9.05	9.05-10:15	9.30-10.15	10.15-10.30	10.30-11.15	11.15-12.15	12.15-1.15	1.15-2.15	2.20-3.15	3.15-3.30
M	Soft start: SPAG focus	Maths Meeting and Maths		Break	Reading (VIPERS)	Writing	Lunch	History	History	Story time focus on comprehension
Tu <small>PPA AM - MS Rashid-Bailey</small>	Soft start: Times Tables focus	Singing Assembly-KS1 (9:10-9:30) Maths		Break	PE	Writing	Lunch	Reading VIPERS	Science	Story time focus on comprehension
W	Soft start: Handwriting focus	In class Cultural Assembly/ British Values (9:10-9:30) Maths		Break	Reading (VIPERS)	Writing	Lunch	Computing	RE	Story time focus on comprehension
Th	Soft start: Reading focus/Oxford Reading Buddy	Maths Meeting and Maths		Break	Reading (VIPERS)	Writing	Lunch	PSHE	PE (Middle Hall)	Story time focus on comprehension
F	Soft start: Times Tables focus	Celebration Assembly (9:10-9:30) Maths		Break	Reading (VIPERS)	Writing	Lunch	Art	Music	Story time focus on comprehension

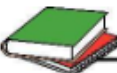



PPA covered by Ms Rashid-Bailey on Tuesday AM


ECT Time covered by Ms Mullins on Wednesday PM FORTNIGHTLY

What will we be covering this term?

Year 3 Autumn 1, 2023: What are we learning this term?

Texts we are reading in class	WOW event- our hook to the unit	Trips & visitors	Important dates for you
 	<p>Victorians Day 18.9.23</p> <p>Wear your Victorian clothes!</p> 	<p>The Ragged School Museum Wednesday 18th October, 2023</p>	

 <p>English</p> <p>All classes will be developing their comprehension skills through the reading VIPERS scheme. VIPERS stands for Vocabulary, Inference, Predict, Explain, Retrieve, Summarise. We will be studying the book 'The Owl who was afraid of the dark'.</p>	 <p>Writing</p> <p>Our writing units will be inspired by 'Henry's Freedom Box'. We are writing non-chronological reports about the Victorians in our first unit this half term. In the second half, our writing will be a diary entry from the perspective of a Victorian child.</p>	 <p>Mathematics</p> <p>Number: Place Value (3 weeks) Number: Addition and Subtraction (3 weeks) We will also be revising the 2, 3, 5 and 10 times tables.</p>	 <p>Science</p> <p>Animals: Movement and Nutrition We will be learning about skeletons, muscles and the importance of nutrition.</p>
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<p>Art/ Engineering</p> <p>We will be following the Kapow Drawing scheme: 'Growing Artists'</p>	<p>Computing</p> <p>We will be following the Islington scheme of work 'Connecting Systems & Networks'</p>	<p>#IAm role model Henry Brown</p>  <p>We celebrate this person for:</p>
<p>History</p> <p>How exciting were the Victorians?</p>	<p>Music</p> <p>We are following the Charanga Scheme of Work 'Let Your Spirit Fly'</p>	
<p>PE</p> <p>PE days are: Tuesday and Friday Tuesday: Coaches Friday: Dance</p>	<p>PSHE</p> <p>Behaviour & expectations Rights and responsibilities, including British values</p>	
<p>RE</p> <p>What do different people believe about God?</p>	<p>Spanish</p> <p>We are starting Spanish later in the year.</p>	

You will be given a copy today.

This information can also be found on the school website.



We follow the White Rose Scheme which we adapt for our pupils.

This can be found easily on line by googling White Rose.

There is a useful section for parents and pupils.

Maths

	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10	Week 11	Week 12
Autumn term	Number Place value FREE TRIAL VIEW			Number Addition and subtraction VIEW				Number Multiplication and division A VIEW				
Spring term	Number Multiplication and division B VIEW			Measurement Length and perimeter VIEW		Number Fractions A VIEW			Measurement Mass and capacity VIEW			
Summer term	Number Fractions B VIEW		Measurement Money VIEW		Measurement Time VIEW		Geometry Shape VIEW		Statistics VIEW		Consolidation	

PE

For PE, your child should wear:

White t-shirt

Navy blue shorts/ joggers

Plimsolls/ trainers

Your child should wear their PE kit to school on their PE days.

Please think about winter months too as all PE will be outside!

Our PE days are Tuesdays and Thursdays.

This year, we are delighted to be working with coaches from Team Kick Start.



Trips planned for this year...

Trips and visits including:

- Theatre
- Workshops
- Museums

This year, we plan to visit:

- The Ragged School Museum
- The Natural History Museum
- Little Angel Theatre
- St Mary's church in Islington



School Uniform

Yellow polo shirt

Blue jumper/ cardigan

Navy blue trousers/skirt/pinafore

Comfy shoes

Navy blue tights, socks, headwear

We are not strict on uniform with badges on, but we do ask for everyone to wear our school colours.



Homework

In our year group, your child will receive the following homework:

Reading: daily reading, Oxford Reading Buddies comprehension

Maths: Mathletics/TT Rockstars

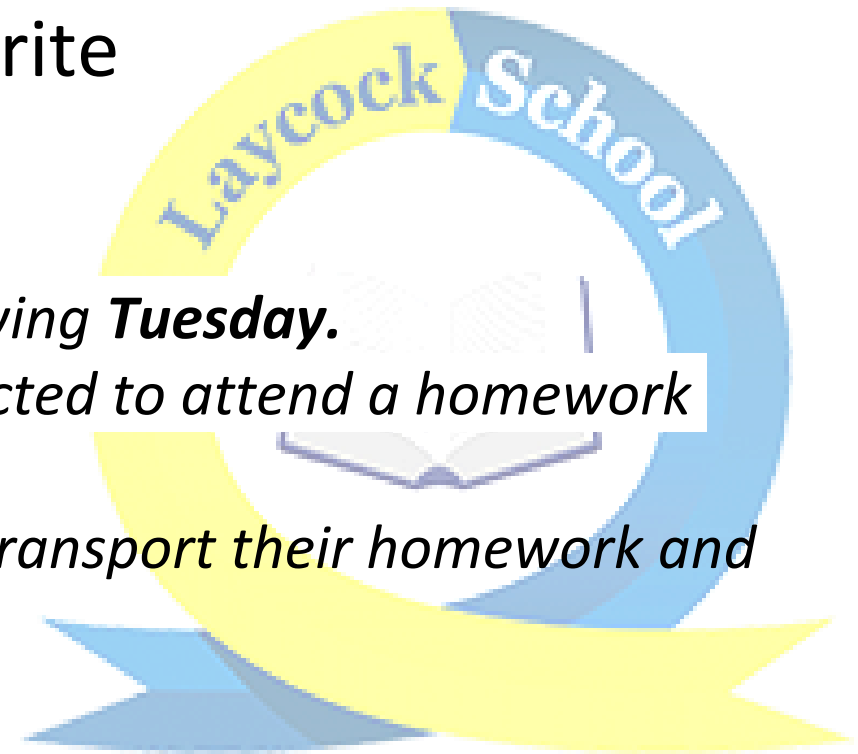
Spellings: in a spelling book to look/cover/write

Termly Curriculum Project

*It goes out on a Thursday and should be returned the following **Tuesday**.*

Children who do not complete their homework will be expected to attend a homework club at lunch time.

Please ensure your child brings a suitable bag to school to transport their homework and reading book.





Spelling List

By the end of year 4, all children need to know how to spell these words by heart. You will be given a copy today. Aim for your child to practise a word a day.

New Curriculum Spelling List Years 3 and 4

accident	centre	experience	important	ordinary	reign
accidentally	century	experiment	interest	particular	remember
actual	certain	extreme	island	peculiar	sentence
actually	circle	famous	knowledge	perhaps	separate
address	complete	favourite	learn	popular	special
although	consider	February	length	position	straight
answer	continue	forwards	library	possess	strange
appear	decide	fruit	material	possession	strength
arrive	describe	grammar	medicine	possible	suppose
believe	different	group	mention	potatoes	surprise
bicycle	difficult	guard	minute	pressure	therefore
breath	disappear	guide	natural	probably	though
breathe	early	heard	naughty	promise	thought
build	earth	heart	notice	purpose	through
busy	eight	height	occasion	quarter	various
business	eighth	history	occasionally	question	weight
calendar	enough	imagine	often	recent	woman
caught	exercise	increase	opposite	regular	women

Times Tables

Year group	Times Tables
Year 2	2, 3, 5 and 10
Year 3	4, 6, 8 and 9 (and revision of Year 2)
Year 4	7, 11 and 12 (revise all)
Year 5	Revision
Year 6	Revision



What YOU can do to help your child:

- Keep up to date with communication from the school – ClassDojo, letters, emails etc
- Ensure your child reads every day, either to you or independently
- Practise spellings, handwriting joins and times tables
- Mental maths in everyday situations, eg cooking, shopping and sport
- Encourage them to complete their homework and provide a quiet space for this
- Ask us if you would like any help or advice



Communication to **you** from **us**

- Fortnightly whole school newsletter
- Website updates
- Class Dojo
- Text service, T2P
- Letters emailed and printed*
- Twitter @LaycockPrimary
- Staff available in the playground before and after school
- Termly parents evenings



Communication from **you** to **us**

- Please use Class Dojo to stay in touch with us,
- Please be aware that we check and respond to Class Dojo between 8am and 4pm,
- We will be on the playground at the end of every day, so please do come and chat!
- We also have a Phase Leader this year, who is Ms Liney...
- We do expect an adult to check and sign the weekly reading record,
- Please inform the Office of any absences or appointments.



Any questions?

We look forward to working with you this year!

