



Welcome to our Year 3 & 4
Transition Meeting

*Reach Together
for Success*

There are 3 Mixed Classes for Year 3 & 4:

Staff :

Mrs McDonald (Eco Leader)

Mrs Hall (English Leader)

Mrs Marchant (Part time - will cover
Weds and Thurs)

Miss Elliman (Deputy Headteacher)

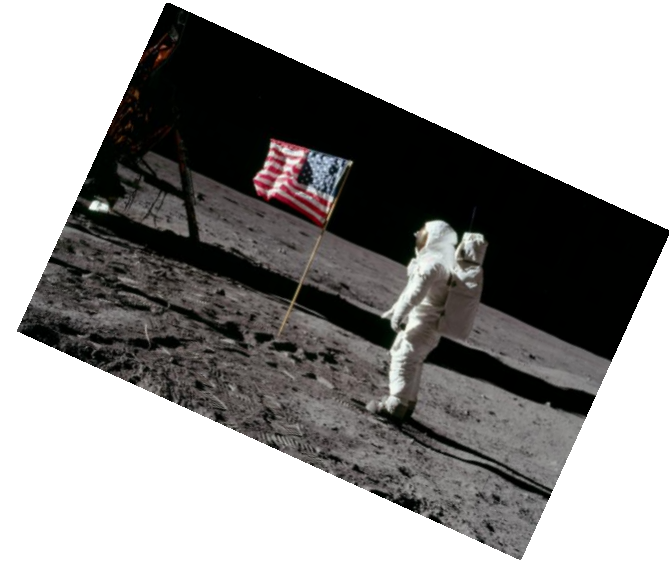
Mrs Pidgeon (Learning Support
Assistant)

How we teach...

- We do not 'set' for English - this is taught in our base classes (mixed ability)
- We do group for maths - there will be a mainly Year 4 set and then 2 mixed ability sets (Y3 and 4 children)
- All other subjects are taught within our classes
- Your child may work with Mrs Pidgeon in a small intervention group to 'boost' or 'catch-up' any identified children



Topics



Autumn - The Romans & Anglo-Saxons

Spring - Space

Summer - The Seaside



Where possible, we will link our trips to our topic for that term.



Homework

In Year 3 and 4, we do homework projects.

Each term, your child will be asked to produce a project based on what they will be learning e.g. The Romans for Autumn term. It can be as creative as you like - all we ask is that you simply help your child and not do it for them!

Examples:







Homework Continued...

In addition to the projects, children will:

- Receive weekly spelling investigations homework (handed out on a Wednesday and to be back in on a Tuesday). Children will then have a spelling test on a Wednesday based on the spellings they have had
- We also expect children to still read at home at least 3 times a week and practise their times tables (by the end of year 4 they will need to know all their times table facts up to 12x12!)



Reading

- Reading credits. 1 credit is awarded for every time you read with your child but it **MUST** be signed! Maximum 1 credit per day.
- Please use the Home-School links book to record when your child has read and make any comments
- Your child is responsible for changing their own book!

PE/Swimming

- Swimming will be for Year 4 children only until Feb half term
- After Feb half term, it will then be Year 3 children
- **PLEASE** ensure your child has their PE kit in school and it is clearly labelled! Trainers are preferable
- Ear-rings are not permitted so please remove them when it is PE day
- Please tie long hair back
- Provide socks if your child is wearing tights



Violins

Violins will be every Friday
afternoon for Year 3 children



General Information:

- No jewellery allowed except for a watch and/or stud ear-rings
- Water bottles to be filled with water only please for use in class
- Your child does not need a pencil case. However, if they wish to bring one, please bring a small one!
- No mobile phones/toys/fidget spinners etc

School Uniform & PE Kit:



Finally....

- We want to create life long learners. Our aim is therefore simple - we want to help your child learn so that they can reach for success and leave Burton Manor having achieved the best that they can.
- HOWEVER...we can only achieve this if we work together! Please come and see us if you have any queries/concerns/issues and we will always do our best to help!
- Also, please support us with issues such as behaviour, school uniform and homework as this does make a massive difference to your child's education. Thank you!

Questions....

