

## ARCHBISHOP RUNCIE CHURCH of ENGLAND (VA) FIRST SCHOOL

4<sup>th</sup> June 2019

Dear Parents,

Welcome back, I hope you have had a lovely week off and are raring to go for the FINAL half term!

As we embark on the last half term in year 3, and with only 7 weeks to go, I would like to thank you all for being so incredibly supportive, I have had an extremely rewarding year teaching year 3. I would also like to thank all parents for their help with school trips and of course the wonderful reading buddies, your support has been invaluable. Thank you!

This term PE will continue to be on a Wednesday afternoon; therefore, it is advised that PE kits remain in school for the duration of the term. Children will predominately be doing athletics, so a pair of trainers must also stay in school. Please could hair be tied up on a Wednesday.

As the weather is heating up it is advised that ALL children should bring a water bottle to school. This can be left at school throughout the week and taken home on a Friday to be washed. We are really trying to reduce our use of disposable cups so this would be a great help. Children are also advised to bring a snack (fruit/veg) for snack time. Children should also come to school with sun cream, already applied, and a sun hat. Please do not send your child to school with a bottle of sun cream.

Homework will continue to be handed out on a Thursday and collected in on a Tuesday, thank you for your cooperation with this! Please continue reading with your child as much as you can, leaving a comment in their reading record so I can see how they're getting on at home.

I will continue to quiz children on their common exception words this term, which I have stuck in their reading records. I will continue to set 7 words each week on their homework sticker. It is very obvious that that children are learning their spellings, with most children getting 7/7 each week! Well done year 3! ©

Remember to keep rocking out on Timestable Rockstars!

I look forward to seeing you all again this term, please feel free to contact me if you have any queries. **abby.mcgregor@archbishop.newcastle.sch.uk** 

Yours Sincerely,

Miss McGregor