



Summer Term 1 2017

Welcome back Year 3!

Our work for Summer 1 focuses on the question:

Why is Wensleydale special?

This topic will be focusing on what makes Wensleydale a special place by focusing on local places and the history of our area.

Geography - exploring the location of Leyburn.

Science - investigating what plants need to live and the life cycle of plants.

DT/History - exploring local traditions such as weaving.

Music - continue to learn some musical notation.

Computing - using data collection software to make questionnaires, tables and charts.

Swimming and Fitness - this half-term we are taking part in lots of different games to improve our fitness.

RE - reflecting on what it means to be 'inspirational'.

Visits or visitors - Walking around our local area; Monday 15th May - visiting Tennants to see the taxidermy collection (kindly invited by Mr Bright).

Things to remember...

Monday: PE Kit (indoor & outdoor trainers);
Water bottle*

Tuesday: Reading books and
Reading records

Wednesday: **Swimming kit**

Thursday: Spellings and Big
Maths (Learn-its)

Friday: -

* Please could you ensure that your child brings a *labelled* water bottle to school every day.

HOMEWORK

- 10 minutes each night - either sharing a reading book or learning your maths Learn-its*
- Topic work (non-compulsory)
- Spellings

* Many children seem to have misplaced their **reading record and homework books** which contain their Learn-its and their spellings (compulsory homework). As a result, they have not been learning their spellings and learn-its so they are at risk of falling behind. This half-term, I will provide new homework books if required and check them weekly to remind the children of their importance.