

# Year 3 Newsletter

Friday 9<sup>th</sup> March 2018

This week, we have continued our topic: 'Bright Sparks'. Our latest topic focuses upon the importance of creative thinkers, scientists, artists and inventors.

## **This week we have been learning about ...**

Editing and improving our work. We have been working hard to ensure we are using a range of description within our writing when creating a non-chronological report. The class have been using their self-assessments to make sure they are including all of the features required in this type of text and have worked incredibly hard all week.

In Maths, we have been investigating measurement. We have completed a range of practical measuring activities in the classroom and outside where we have been focusing on measuring accurately to the nearest mm and cm. Fortune have worked exceptionally hard to make sure they have converted between different lengths accurately.

In our afternoon topic sessions, we have been learning all about how muscles help our bodies. We have explored the different muscles in our body and identified the key muscles we use during everyday tasks. We have also been exploring the illustrations of Quentin Blake and have started to create our own wonderful Blake inspired character drawings.

## **Spellings**

To be tested on Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> March 2018.

fruit  
learn  
often  
length  
woman  
weight  
strange  
can't  
went  
heart

## **How you can help at home.**

### **Home Learning this week.**

Please can you ensure that you are reading regularly at home with your child.

### **Homework**

Has been sent home this week and is due in on Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> March 2018.

### **Times Tables**

Please can you ensure that you are practicing your 6 and 8 times tables this week for a quiz next week.

## **Reminders**

**Please remember P.E is on a Tuesday and Wednesday** this term. Kits will be required on **both** days. Reading books need to be in school every day. Could you please check your child's clothing and ensure their name is clearly visible.

Thank you all for your support in making this year's World Book Day a huge success. The costumes were all absolutely fantastic!