



## **MONKWOOD PRIMARY SCHOOL**

### **CLASS 8 — SPRING 2 NEWSLETTER**

Hello everyone and welcome back to Year 3!

We hope that you have all had a lovely, restful break over February half term. It has been great to see all the children's smiling faces!

This half term will be filled with lots of exciting learning and even some treats along the way!

In English, we are exploring a variety of writing genres including a letter and even explanations!

In History, we are continuing our exciting topic of Ancient Greece and we will even be hosting an Ancient Greek day!

In Geography, we are continuing our topic on the Arctic and Climate Change and the children will be looking at how we can improve our carbon footprints!

## **CLASS NEWS**

**English:** In English we will be exploring three different genres. Character development, explanations and letters. We will be exploring lots of different texts and even using video stimuli to inspire our writing.

Alongside our topic focus, we will be practicing our writing skills and developing our spellings, grammar and punctuation.

**Maths:** In Maths, we have been learning about measuring using mm, cm and m. We will be extending this learning to perimeter very soon!

**PSHE:** Healthy Me

**Art:** Henry Moore

**History:** Ancient Greece

**Geography:** The Arctic

**Science:** Humans and Animals

**RE:** Judaism

**COMPUTING:** E-Safety and Coding

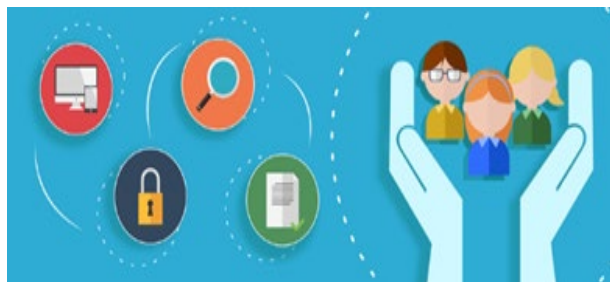
**PE:** Gymnastics

### **SAFEGUARDING LEADS AT MONKWOOD PRIMARY ARE:**

**Mrs Lee** - Designated Safeguarding Lead

**Ms Travis** – Trust Safeguarding Lead

**Ms Tyrrell** – Trust Safeguarding Lead





### HOME LEARNING

Home learning is sent home every Friday and is due the following Thursday. Pupils will be asked to complete a mixture of IXL, BoomReader, TTRS and Spelling Shed. If pupils need support, please encourage them to come and talk to any of the Year 3 team.

### Class 8 Key Dates

**PE days** Every Monday & Thursday

### Other Key Dates

March

4<sup>th</sup>- Parents reading 9:05-9:40

6<sup>th</sup>- World book day!

17<sup>th</sup>- Ancient Greek day!

18<sup>th</sup>- Y3 Craft and Art Parent Event

19<sup>th</sup>- Monkwood Mayhem Family Fun

28<sup>th</sup>- Last day in school.

Remember to keep an eye on the school website, Class Dojo and follow us on social media to keep up-to-date with the latest events and information.

Attending school every day and on time gives our children the best opportunities to develop their potential to the full.

**This half term we will be focusing on uniform in our assemblies and around school.**

**This half terms well-being tip is:**  
No act of kindness, no matter how small is ever wasted.

### Marvellous Moments!

Whether your child loves to bake, has achieved an award in swimming or learnt to tie their shoe laces—we want to know so that we can share in their 'Marvellous Moments'. Please send any pictures or comments through Class Dojo and we look forward to celebrating these special moments with the children.