



Welcome to Year 3 2026/27

Sycamore Class



Meet the staff in Year 3



Mrs Harrison

Class Teacher

Monday, Tuesday &
some Wednesdays



Mrs Fulkes

Class Teacher

Thursdays, Fridays &
some Wednesdays



Mrs Marshall

Class TA



Mrs Wojciechowska

Class TA



Mrs Holmes

Class TA

Learning in Year 3

Autumn Term	Stone Age to Iron Age We will be exploring the changes in Britain from the Stone Age through to the Iron Age. For local context we will discuss discoveries from the last decade found in The Weald.	Mountains, Volcanoes and Earthquakes We will revise climate zones and global knowledge and journey to the centre of the earth to discover how the shape of our planet has moved and shifted over time to become what it is today.
Spring Term	Italy, Rome and the Tiber A broad look at Europe, focusing on Italy. Thinking about the human and physical geography and comparing it to London.	Ancient Romans A study of the Roman Empire begins in Rome, but takes us across Europe. We pick up our chronological tale of British history from term 1 and learn about the impact of the Romans in Britain.
Summer Term	Inventors and Inventions A study of inventors and inventions in British and world history. We discover the work of individuals who have all been brilliant in different ways, and how their inventions affect our lives.	Made in the UK In a tour of the British Isles we learn about key geographical features of the UK, imports and exports and the geographical impact of major changes.

Our timetable

Year 3													
	8:45	8.50	9:10	10:10	10:30	10:45	11:45	12:00	1:00	2:00	3:00-3:10		
Monday	R E G I S T E R	Guided Reading	Maths	B R E A K	W O R S H I P	Spelling	English	L U N C H	PE	After Christmas this will be PSHE		S T O R Y T I M E	
Tuesday		Guided Reading	Maths			Handwriting	English		Forest School				
Wednesday		Guided Reading	Maths			Spelling	English		History/Geography		Art/DT		
Thursday		Guided Reading	Maths			Handwriting	English		RE		French		PSHE
Friday		Guided Reading	Maths			Spelling	English		Music		Science		
									PE	Computing			

Forest School in Year 3

The class will be starting Forest School on Monday 14th September and will do this every Monday afternoon as a whole class. This will run until Monday 14th December. There will be no session on Monday 2nd November.

A letter will be sent out at the start of next week with a reminder of what to wear etc.

Please can you let the office know if you are able to volunteer for any of the sessions as we are dependant on having enough adults for the sessions to take place.

PE in Year 3

Before Christmas, PE is on a Friday. Please come in kit.

After Christmas, PE days are Mondays and Fridays. Please come in kit on those days.

What to bring to school

- Water bottle
- Break time fruit or vegetable snack
- Outdoor coat with a hood and hanger

Homework in Year 3

- Reading journals will be sent home to fill in as you read on a Friday and are due in the following Wednesday. We monitor every week but don't comment.
- Homework tasks will be set on a Friday and are due in on Wednesday, along with their reading books.
- We will be sending spellings tasks linked to the words/spelling rules we have learnt in class that week.
- We also set half termly spelling words to learn - these are assessed.
- Times Tables Rock Stars and [Maths.co.uk](https://www.maths.co.uk) will be the maths homework and their logins will be sent home.
- Occasional additional tasks eg. research

New this year:



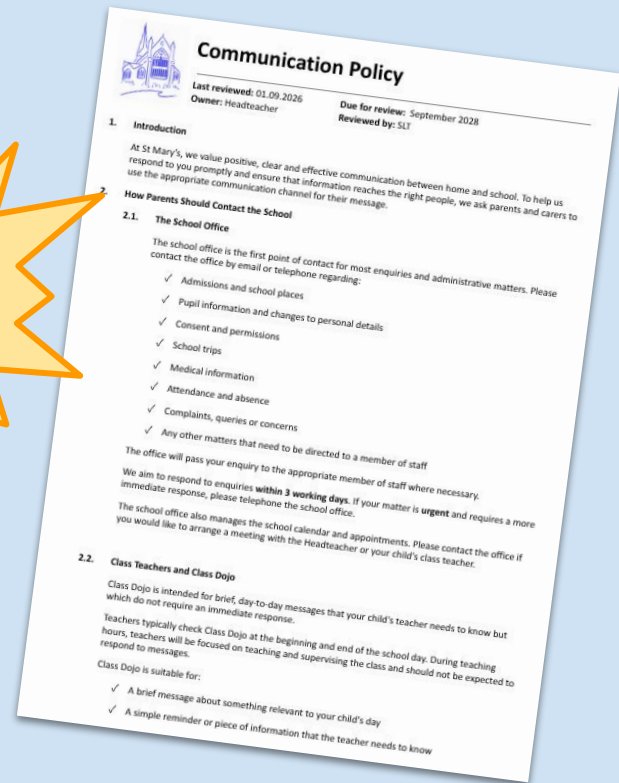
Communication

This year we are aiming to make communication as effective and efficient as possible.

Using the right route for different communications with school can help reduce work for staff and ensure it reaches the right person in a timely manner.

We have developed a communication policy to explain this, which we hope will be helpful.

**NEW
FOR
2026!**



Key point: Dojo is for short, quick 'need to know' messages only and may not be seen until after school.

Parent helpers needed!

We need parent helpers for...

- Reading
- Group work
- School trips
- Skill-sharing
- Classroom jobs
- Swimming
- ...and more!

Please complete a form to let us know how / when you can help out and watch the volunteer training video available on the school website. If you would like to help regularly, you will need to be DBS checked. Please contact the office and they will arrange this for you.



