

## Hello Year 3!

It's been lovely to see you over the past half term on our Google Meets.

You've done so well with getting used to the chrome books or returning work by uploading your handwritten work or bringing it back to school. We're very proud of you and how you have coped in these challenging times.

This is what we think has been going well and what we'd like to you to focus on next:

<b>What you are doing really well:</b>	<b>To be even better we'd like you to:</b>
<b>Google Meet:</b> Majority of you are joining both daily meets promptly with your camera on; showing you are ready to learn and volunteering to show your work.	<b>Google Meet:</b> We would like everybody to make sure that your microphone is muted unless you are speaking; you are raising a hand when you have something to say and are always sitting and listening in a quiet space.
<b>Writing:</b> Majority of you are following the success criteria; following the instructions given and completing it to a high standard.	<b>Writing:</b> To check through you work for basic errors and spellings. We also want you to read back over it to make sure all sentences make sense and are appropriate in length.
<b>Maths:</b> Majority of you are showing through the independent work and assessments that you are learning and remembering new concepts.	<b>Maths:</b> Please ensure you always watch the video before completing the learning and attempt the challenge questions.
<b>WCR:</b> It is clear that you are all enjoying reading The Worst Witch and are attempting the activities related to the book.	<b>WCR:</b> Ensure you take your time answering the questions and reading the text carefully. Remember it should take you 20 minutes.
<b>Foundation:</b> A range of lessons are being set and worked on. It is clear most of you are enjoying this part of the home learning.	<b>Foundation:</b> Make sure that you complete all of the layers and refer back to the knowledge organiser when needed.

### Next half term:

- We will continue to meet you twice a day through our Google Meets.
- We will continue to set you high quality remote learning daily.
- We will be setting daily arithmetic with 3 self-marking quizzes per week to provide you and us with instant feedback.
- You will be receiving log in details to a programme called Spellzone where we will set you weekly activities and you can work on your own personalised spelling programme.
- We will be showing you how to access a website with additional reading books you can access and read online through a website called epic reading.
- We will begin our unit of fractions in maths. To start with, we will focus on recap lessons from year 2 and then we will move on to the year 3 objectives.

### Some useful reminders:

- Please remember to get some fresh air each day and have time away from the screen.
- Please remember to look after your mind by doing things you enjoy such as colouring, dancing or being creative.
- Please remember to read for 10 minutes per day and record it in your homework diary.
- Please remember to check the power points, videos or resources added to the daily learning to support you with your independent work.
- Please remember if you want to ask us something, you can write a comment in the comments box and we will see it and reply.

**Have a lovely and well deserved half term!**

*With best wishes, from Miss Denman, Mrs Mephram and Miss Mongiovi.*