

Year 2/3 Autumn Bulletin 2026



Our Humanities topic for the Autumn Term is 'Light at the end of the Tunnel'.
As always, our children will lead the learning through Pupil Voice.

But what is Pupil Voice?

Pupil voice refers to the way in which the thoughts, wishes and opinions of learners are invited, engaged with and acted upon in an educational setting. Allowing them to take ownership of their own learning, resulting in better engagement and attainment. We task the children to create their own LOs (Learning Objectives), thinking about the skills they will be developing through completing the task.

Overview of the of 6 AOLEs for this term

AOLE (Area of Learning and Experience)	Focus
Literacy, Language and Communication	Story writing, Character profiles, Story maps, Welsh- Personal details, likes/dislikes. French- Greetings and numbers.
Maths and Numeracy	Place value, Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication, Division
Expressive Arts	Art- Starry night- exploring a range of mediums. Music- Singing.
Health and Wellbeing	PE - Netball, Rugby, Hockey, Dance Circle Time - Being in my World Year 3 - swimming
Science and Technology	Science- Light, investigating light and shadow. ICT- Spreadsheets & digital data analysis. Design & Technology- Using TinkerCad for online digital design. Designing a shadow puppet.
Humanities	History- History of Electricity. Geography- Map reading. Religious Education - Parables Stories, Religious buildings, Hannukah, Diwali, Christmas

We plan to take learning outside whenever possible, so please ensure your child has a coat every day.

Help from Home

Reading - Reading is an integral part of learning so to help us to support your child, we ask that parents sign reading diaries regularly, if possible three times each week. If you are able to listen to them read and ask them a range of questions about the text - that would be great!

Spellings - Lists will be set each week on Google Classroom and year three children will also write them down.

Grown ups are encouraged to support children on these activities. These relate to learning in school too so will give children an opportunity to consolidate their learning.

Dates for the Diary	
5th October	Harvest celebration week
9th October	Hello Yellow day
19th and 20th October	Parent's evening and book fair
2nd November	Training day
13th November	Children In Need
16th November	Odd socks day
W/b 7th December	Entrepreneurial Week
7th December	M&M Productions- A Christmas Carol
11th December	Year 2 and 3 Christmas performance
14th December	Entrepreneurial sale
15th December	Year 2 and 3 Christmas Party

