



Welcome to Year 3/4



WELCOME TO Y3/4



	Sputnik	Chandra	Voyager
Class Teacher	Mrs Lorimer (Mon-Weds) Mr Hancock (Thurs & Fri)	Mrs Giblett	Mr Huntley
Teaching Partners	Mrs Beal Mrs Louca	Mrs Owen	Mrs Clapson
HLTA	Mrs Owen (PPA Cover)		

HOME/SCHOOL DIARIES



- These are used to monitor reading and can also be used to communicate with us.
- Please encourage your child to let the teaching staff know if there's a note in their diary.
- Alternatively, you can email us on our year group email address which is year3and4@uva.clf.uk.
- If children are going home with different families, can you please email us, write in their diary or speak to the office.
- We would be grateful if you could encourage your child to read at least **three** times per week and these will be checked regularly.
- We celebrate reading in class and whole school assemblies.

YEAR 3/4 INFORMATION



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- In year 3/4 we split for maths. Year 3's will be taught by Mrs Lorimer/Mr Hancock or Mrs Giblett. Year 4's will be taught by Mr Huntley or Mrs Want.
 - In year 3 we don't offer the children snack so if you would like to send your child in with something healthy for breaktime that would be great. Please be aware we have a severe nut allergy in our year group.
 - Pick up and drop off will be from the front playground and children will enter through the gate by the office.
 - There are members of staff on the gate in the mornings if you need to pass on messages or please speak to the office at drop off.



YEAR 3/4 INFORMATION

- Our first enquiry is: Who was the greatest monarch of the Tudor age?
- We will have a visitor to school for a wow day later this month.
- Children will also be participating in 3 sessions of forest school throughout the year. They are encouraged to bring old shoes or wellies and waterproof clothing. More information will be sent in a letter.
- Year 4's will be able to take part in a residential to St Briavels in July. You will be given more information closer to the time.

HOMEWORK



- Homework will be completed online using SumDog. Each child will be given a login.
- SumDog can be run using an iPad/tablet as well as a laptop.
- Login details for our year 4 children will remain the same and year 3 children will be issued with a username and password.
- These will be stuck into their home/school diaries.
- Please remind your child not to share their username and password with others.

TIMES TABLES CHECK

- At the end of year 4, children will be expected to complete a times table accuracy check.
- This tests table knowledge and accuracy up to and including 12x12
- We would encourage all children (year 3 and 4) to access maths frame at least three times a week in order to gain exposure to the test format.
- <https://mathsframe.co.uk/en/resources/resource/477/Multiplication-Tables-Check>

PE KITS

Please
label ALL
clothing



- Each class will have an indoor P.E session and an outdoor session so please can children have the appropriate (warm) kit. These will be kept in school at all times and sent home at the end of each term to be cleaned.
- Uniform:
 - Trainers – Velcro fastening preferred
 - Black or navy shorts
 - White T-shirt
 - Black or navy tracksuit for winter months

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Days	Monday & Friday	Wednesday & Friday	Monday & Friday
Swimming	Term 3	Term 2	Term 1

SWIMMING



- A swimming kit will be needed on a **Monday**. The dates that your child will be swimming have been shared with you in a previous letter. On these days, children should attend school wearing their school uniform with their swimming kits in their bags.
- They also need a packed lunch.
- Children are expected to wear a swimming hat. It is useful if girls can also have long hair plaited. Goggles optional.
- Chandra start on Monday 16th September.

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WEBSITE



- Our school website and year group page will let you see what your child has been up to. It will also inform you of any important dates and details of upcoming events you need to be aware of.