



## WEEKLY PARENT INFORMATION NEWSLETTER – Year 3

Week beginning Monday 24 March 2014

### Messages

- Please ensure that children bring a water bottle to school every day.
- This week is International Week! Year 3 will be enjoying food at the food fair on Tuesday and the International Week Parade will be on Friday at 9am. Please come along to support. Students are invited to wear their national dress or dress in a costume representing their country.

### Literacy

The children will work collaboratively using persuasive language to prepare a World Cup bid for their chosen country. They will also present their bid, refining their discussion skills and listening carefully to suggest counter arguments.

### Maths

This week in Maths we will be continuing with data handling. The children will continue to develop their interpretation skills through answering questions about given data. We will also be recapping on strategies for adding and subtracting multiples of 10 to numbers, then moving on to methods for adding and subtracting 9, 11, 29 & 39 to numbers.

### Themed Learning

This is International Week and the theme of the week is the World Cup. The children will use their geographical skills to locate the countries entering. They will then be challenged to decide which country should host the next World Cup. They will have to produce a bid, which includes not only the reasons for holding the event in that particular country but also the cultural, historical and geographical features of the country which may be of interest to tourists visiting to attend the sporting event.

### Computing

This week we will use our computing time to research the country that we have chosen to hold the World Cup. We will use our internet search skills to gather information and copy and paste key facts.

### Vocabulary

**Literacy-** bid, persuade, argument, reasons, convince.

**Numeracy-** data handling, organize, interpret, bar chart, frequency table, addition, subtraction, one more, one less.

**Themed Learning-** search, internet, information, research, facts, present, tourism, history, advantages.

### Dutch

De kinderen van Keystage 2 doen mee met de Vlaamse jeugdboekenweek en en genieten van enkele `gevaarlijke` boeken. Hopelijk komen we erachter waarom Lorre wraak wil nemen en wie `Het brommende beest` gestolen heeft!



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We laten onze verbeelding de vrije loop en wagen ons eveneens aan enkele gevaarlijke schrijfopdrachten.

Er wordt verder geoefend op de spellingcategorieën die de voorbije week aangebracht werden. Zoals steeds kunnen deze thuis inge oefend worden op de website van BLOON.

### **Mandarin Y3 Panda**

Topic: My School Uniform-Continued

Key Characters: 衣 yi/clothes; 不 bu/not; 校 xiao/school

Key Sentences: 今天我穿了 Jintian wo chuan le.....。 /Today I wear ...; .....真漂亮 zhen piaoliang/...is really beautiful.

Activities: Design uniform for the school

### **Mandarin Y3 Monkey**

Topic: Jobs - Continued

Key Characters: 工 gong/to work, 长 zhang/grow (up), 心 xin/heart, 忙 mang/busy, 做 zuo/to do (a job), 以 yi/ (in "ke yi" as "can")

Key Sentences: 虽然 suiran.....但是 danshi...../although... (but)...

Activities: A poster of "Jobs"

### **Mandarin Y3 MNF**

本周我们将继续学习《两只小狮子》一课中的相关内容，并结合国际周开展相关活动。