

Dear Parents

This letter has been sent home to inform you about your child's learning for **next week**.

In **Literacy**, students will continue learning about non-chronological reports. They will continue to identify the features of these reports before planning and writing reports of their own. The reports, both read and written, will focus on sports and keeping healthy to link with the science work.

In **Numeracy**, we will be finding fractions of different amounts using fraction strips. We will also be practising our doubling and halving techniques.

In **Science**, the students will be creating healthy meal plans and investigating the lunchboxes in the class – giving feedback on how healthy they are.

In **IPC**, the students have begun our new topic 'Scavengers and Settlers'. We are learning about prehistoric human beings. The students will be looking at the similarities and difference that we have to prehistoric humans and the difference to how they lived compared to how we live today. Then the student will be looking at different cave paints and creating their own.

In **Art**, the students will be creating a watercolour artwork piece using their writing from last week. They will create an outline of a dragon, the focus of their writing, and will paint over the top leaving a silhouette.

In **ICT**, the students will be creating their own Scratch animation projects, using their plans from last week. They will create a background and a Sprite (character) to animate using simple command instructions.

For **PSHE**, the students will begin their journey with Jigsaw PSHE. They will be exploring many families, celebrating the differences between them.

#### Notice & Reminders:

- Home learning will be collected on **Tuesdays** each week. Home learning will always go out on **Thursdays**.
- Please support your child in sticking or stapling their home learning into their books. This will help them stay organised and ensure that it can be marked by their teachers.
- Times tables tests will continue. As part of our 'times table challenge' children will need to correctly answer 10 times table questions in 1 minute to advance to the next level.

- Please remember that learning starts at **7:10**. Reading and phonics starts the day so any late arrivals miss valuable learning time.

Have a lovely weekend!

Yours faithfully

Year 3 Team