

Portway Junior School

Welcome to Year 3 - Our learning for Spring 2

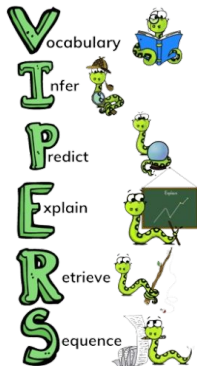
English

Writing

For our first learning journey this half term we will be reading 'The Iron Man' by Ted Hughes and the children will explore voice as they write diary entries. Our second Learning Journey will be on 'The Wild Robot' by Peter Brown and the children will be developing their narrative writing skills.

Reading

Our reading lessons will overlap with our learning journey work this half term as we read these longer novels. We'll be reading aloud in class and further developing our fluency and expression.



Home Learning

Read 4 times a week to an adult and practice times tables 4 times a week. Diaries must be signed each week by an adult at home. They are checked in school every Friday. Optional project homework & spelling tasks are available on Google Classrooms.

Upcoming events

Wed 21st & Thurs 22nd Feb - Parent Consultation Meetings. Pupils are encouraged to attend.

Fri 23rd Feb - INSET Day

Thurs 29th Feb - Information evening about Hooke Court 2025

Thurs 14th March - PTA Spring Fling 5 - 7pm

1st - 12th April - Easter Holiday

Maths

Times tables - This half term a times table competition will be running on Times Tables Rockstars! Children can access this from home and add to their personal & class score! Log on details are in the front of their diaries. We'll also spend time on this in school.

In lessons this half term we will be focusing on:

- Fractions
- Mass and Capacity



Foundation Subjects

Geography - Uk study
Science - Magnets
PSHE - Healthy Me
PE - Dance & Football
French - 'I am able'
Computing - Programming
RE - Easter & Salvation, Christianity
Music - Pitch and Compositions
DT - Textiles

PE days - children should wear PE kit to school on PE days.

Indoor: Monday

Outdoor: Wednesday

Forest School - Children to come to school in old, protective clothes with long sleeves and trousers.

Fox - 20th Feb & 12th March

Owl - 27th Feb & 19th March

Bat - 5th March & 26th March

All children should have a coat in school for use at playtimes.