Newsletter

Class Lewis/Wilson

Summer Term 2 2026

Curriculum overview

Our theme this term is 'Showasis'. We will explore this through geography, science, history and other cross-curricular lessons, with a strong emphasis on performance. In history, pupils will learn about the Tudor period, while in DT they will investigate food and its role within the community. In geography, children will carry out a fieldwork enquiry, gathering, recording and analysing data to answer their key question using geographical skills and vocabulary. In science, we will focus on light, including reflections and the formation of shadows.

Rocket Readers

Your child needs to be reading 5 times a week. This is vital for their progress in all areas of the curriculum! We are aiming for Y3 to have 100% rocket readers!

Please read with your child, ask them questions, discuss their book and record in their reading journal to bring back to school everyday.

Personal Development

We will connect learning across the year to create a meaningful, cohesive Showasis performance. As part of the OCL holistic offer and Statement of Intent, every child will take part. This is embedded in the final theme through performance practice, confidence and self-esteem lessons, dance rehearsals, song learning, and cooking for showcase events.

Home learning

Help at home by….

- Reading 5 times a week and recording in their reading journal or Wheelers!
- Ensuring that your child completes their homework each week as this will support their learning.
- Help your child to learn their Y3 spellings and play on spelling shed.
- Make sure your child is regularly using sumdog and times table rockstars to support them with their times tables

Recommended websites:
- www.bbc.co.uk/education
- www.topmarks.co.uk/
- www.crickweb.co.uk/ks2literacy.html
- www.eedi.com

Recommended apps (All free!)

Good News

Well done to all children who are regularly using Sumdog and TT Rock Stars.

Well done to all our children who are reading at home at least 3 times a week.

Maths and English

This half term, we will be focusing on Shape and Statistics in maths. We will also have a huge focus on the use of Times Table Rock Stars!

Events and Key Dates

Showasis

Sports day

Transition days