

Class 3 Learning Letter Summer 1

I would like to start by saying thank you to everyone who came into school on the last day of term for our showcase afternoon. The children were so proud to show off their work and I am sure you were proud too! There was so much we enjoyed last half term from making connections with our community through our visitors in assembly to planning out our flight path for the future to making movable body parts. We also had our final toot lesson in which we were able to perform a range of songs that we had learnt and had a coach from Nottingham Rugby teach us some tag rugby skills.



FIELDS OF GOLD



This half term, we are exploring the topic 'Fields of Gold'. Our topic will unravel the turbulent life and times of Vincent van Gogh through exploring his paintings and the legacy he has left behind in the world of art. Capturing knowledge and expressing ideas through art and creativity is the essence of human learning but so often children feel that these are skills that you either have or not. Our topic aims to prove how precious self-expression is. We will plant and grow our own sunflowers and peas in a series of exciting science experiments and our class book 'The Boy Who Grew Dragons' by Andy Shepherd will combine with our science and inspire us to imagine what might grow if the right seed is planted.

Book recommendations:

Our class text that we are exploring this half term is 'The Boy Who Grew Dragons' by Andy Shepherd. There are a whole series of books linked to our text that you might like to read at home...

BOOK 2



BOOK 3



BOOK 4



BOOK 5



Reading, homework and PE reminders:

Once again, thank you for your continued support at home with reading and homework, it is a joy to listen to children read and watch their confidence grow. Please ensure that children continue to have their **Fish book and reading book in school every day** so that reading sessions can be recorded and continue to fill these in at home each week. Homework will still be set Friday and will need to be returned the following Wednesday unless otherwise stated. The children will receive new spelling journals this half term, please ensure they are in school every day so that we can refer to them in our learning. Weekly spelling test remains on a Friday. PE continues to be on Monday and Wednesday. Just a reminder, **earrings must be removed**, hair tied back and no hooded jumpers allowed due to health and safety reasons.

If you have any concerns or queries regarding anything on here or otherwise, please don't hesitate to catch me quickly on the playground or leave a note in Fish Books.

Miss Adams 😊