



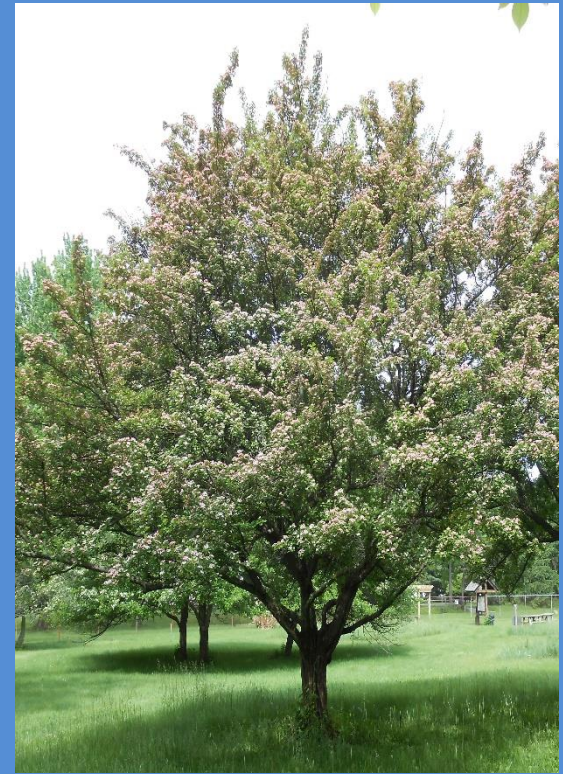
# Welcome to Year 3



**Cedar Class**



**Elm Class**



**Hawthorn Class**

# Cedar Class

Mrs Morreale and Mrs Tutaj





# Cedar Class

## Our Classroom



# Elm Class

Miss Sutton and Mrs Reynolds



# Elm Class

## Our Classroom



Reading Corner



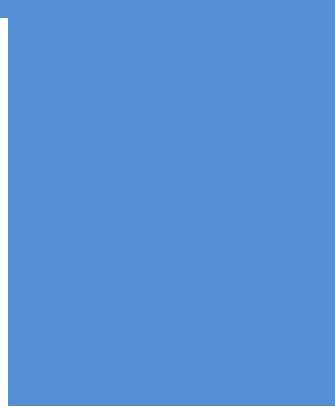
Values Tree, House Points, Desk



Birthdays and Book votes

# Hawthorn Class

Miss Sharma and Mrs Navaratne





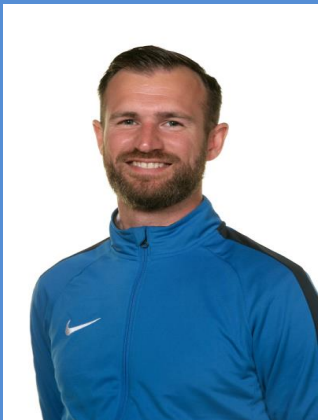
# Hawthorn Class

## Our Classroom



# Our Cover Supervisors

Mr Tilbury, Mrs Barnes  
Mrs Hoyte, Mr Upton





# Important Information

PE Days

**Wednesday and Friday**

Library

**Tuesday**

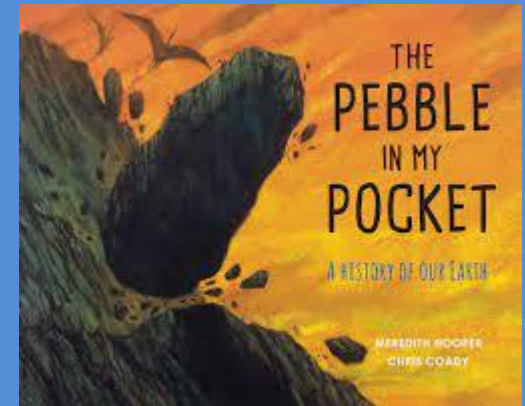
Please provide a named PE kit for your child's PE lessons. We will use outside space as well as the hall so please provide warmer clothes for colder months.

We no longer have free snacks for the children. The children are allowed to bring in a snack from home. This must be fruit or vegetables. We allow plenty of opportunities for the children to stay hydrated. We ask that you provide water for this. No squash please.

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**Autumn: Our Geography and History focus will be 'Changes in Britain: Stone Age-Iron Age'**

**In Science we will be focusing on: Rocks and soils**

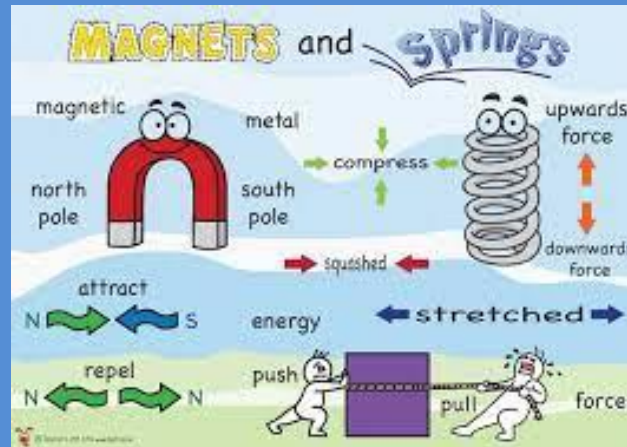


Celtic Harmony visit

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**Spring: Our History and Geography will focus on 'Ancient Egypt' Egyptian day.**

**In Science we will be focusing on: 'Forces & Magnets/ Light'**



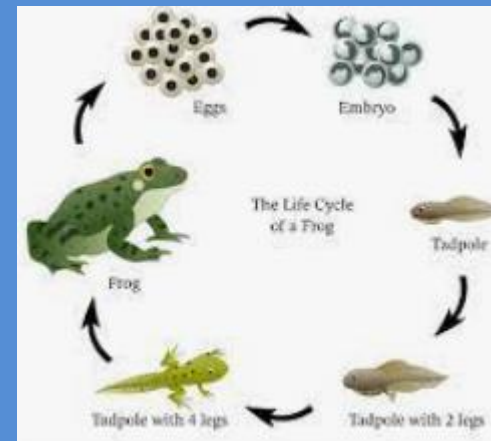
Ancient Egyptian Day



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**Summer: Our History and Geography will focus on 'Ancient Greece' and 'Around the world in 80 days'**

**In Science we will be focusing on: 'Plants and Animals'**



# TIMES TABLES

In Year 3 we focus on regular times table practice.

The children will take part in their times table test in the Summer Term of year 4.

During the times table test, children are asked to complete 25 questions at random. These include up to the 12 times tables and are presented in a randomised way. They may be presented as multiplication questions or division questions. The test is timed, where pupils will be given 6 seconds to give an answer before they are moved onto the next question.

The pass mark is 25/25.



We ask that pupils regularly practice their times table tests at home to support their learning. Your child has a Times Table Rock Stars log-in at the back of their reading records. House points will be given for anyone that completes at home and it is recorded in their Home/school book.



**Spellings:** Spellings will be given weekly. These will be a mixture of activities to support spellings and phonics to revisit learning in the classroom. Spelling activity sheets should be taken home every Friday and returned following Friday. The children should practise their list of spellings up to three times at home before a close quiz at the end of the week. The words will be based on a particular spelling objective. The score they received and the spellings they got wrong will be shared with parents in home school books to help support with next steps. Common exception words are regularly tested (half termly) and we ask that you practice these with your children on a regular basis.

**Learning Logs:** . Children will receive a table of activities in their Learning Log and will be able to choose different activities to carry out for their Learning Log task. They have the whole half term to complete the activities they choose. Please feel free to present homework in additional ways e.g models, art work. Have fun and be Creative!

**Reading:** We expect the children to read to an adult at home every night, as part of their weekly homework. Children who read each night will receive a House Point the following day and if they read all week they will also receive a Merit (2 House Points). Please hear your child read and also share and discuss the story together. Home school book recording please.

### **Times table**

**practice:** We expect the children to practice their times tables regularly. **Times Tables Rock Stars** is a good way to do this and one the pupils will be used to using. House Points will be given for regular use of this resource at home.





## Forest School

The children will take part in Forest School learning over two terms. Forest school will run during the following terms; Autumn 2 and Summer 1



Forest school is led by Mr Tilbury. The children will spend time once a week in the school forest area or Chicksands Woods. The children can come to school in their Forest School clothes and bring their uniform with them to change into afterwards. Please make sure that the children wear warm clothes that you don't mind getting dirty or wet. We will endeavour to go in most weather so please make sure that they have appropriate footwear and clothing. Forest School will only ever be cancelled in extremely high winds or storms.

# Attendance



Everyday counts, thank you for your support.

Remember “Headteachers can only grant authorised holidays in exceptional circumstances.”

