

## Year 3 Newsletter 2

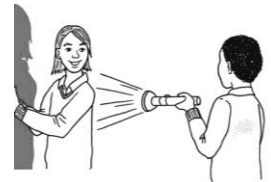
Friday 15<sup>th</sup> September

Dear Parents/Carers,

In English this week, we continued to explore the key features of a diary entry. We created sentences which were written in the first person and included details of thoughts and feelings. Towards the end of the week, we used these skills and our ideas to complete a diary entry independently. Our spelling focus for this week has been to revise some of the rules for adding the suffixes -ed and -ing.

We have been finding the value of each digit in a 3 digit number in Maths and have also been consolidating previous work on finding one more/less, ten more/less and extending this to finding 100 more/less.

In Science, we were investigating light. The children used torches to practically explore the terms translucent, transparent and opaque. In addition to this, we created labelled diagrams to explain how light is reflected so that we are able to see.



In our Geography lesson, we recapped on our learning from last week about the different layers of the earth before learning about how mountains are formed. Finally, we used our knowledge of continents to locate mountain ranges on a map.



Many thanks for your ongoing support,

Miss Stephenson and Miss Parker