

William Murdoch Primary School

Year 3 Summer Term Newsletter 2026

Year 3 Staff

Y3.1 - Mr J Hallam

Y3.2 - Mrs T Brad

Y3.3 - Mrs R Najran/Mrs S Hall (Team Leader)

Year 3 Support Staff

Mrs R Jacobs

Mrs R Patel

Holidays

Half-Term

Friday 22 May 2026

Return to School

Monday 1 June 2026

End of Term

Friday 17 July 2026

Return to School

Thursday 3 September 2026

Key Events

Staff Training Days

Friday 26 June 2026

Monday 20 July 2026

Bank Holiday

Monday 4 May 2026

Cultural Evening

Thursday 25 June 2026

Special Awards Assembly

Upper School

Thursday 16 July 2026

9.00am to 10.00am

Lower School

2.00pm to 3.00pm

Leavers' Assembly

Friday 17 July 2026

9.00am to 9.45am

Health Week

Monday 29 to Friday 3 July 2026

Festival Assemblies

Year 1 - Eid

Friday 1 May 2026 at 9.00am

Year 3 Good Work Assemblies

Friday 5 June 2026 at 2.50pm

Class Assemblies

Y3.2 - Environment Day

Friday 22 May at 2.50pm

Welcome

Welcome to another term at William Murdoch Primary School. In order to strengthen the home/school partnership, this newsletter aims to inform you of the topics being covered by your child this term and of any special events taking place.

Maths

Fractions

Money

Time

Statistics

Angles & Properties of Shape

PHSE

Relationships

Changing Me

Modern Foreign Language

Latin

English

Compound sentences using and, but, yet, so, or prepositional phrases.

Direct speech followed by reporting clause.

Adverbials of time, place & manner within a compound sentence.

Adventure Stories: Iron Man- Narrative

Writing with Speech.

Expository Writing: South West of England- Chronological Report.

Handwriting

PE

Athletics

Rounders

Y3.1 - Wednesdays

Y3.2 - Thursdays

Y3.3 - Wednesdays

Homework

English, Maths, Science and Spellings homework will continue to be given out between Monday and Thursday depending on the class timetable.

Homework related to Knowledge Organisers will be posted on Class Dojo on Fridays.

Children should be reading 20 minutes daily to an adult. Comments should then be left in their reading journals.

Project Topic for this Term

The Seven Wonders of the World

Year 3 Trip

Conkers

Monday 8 June 2026

Science

Plants

Light

Geography

Western Europe

Asia- India & China

History

Ancient Greeks

Art

Architecture

Modern Architecture

Computing

Introduction to Scratch

Sequences

Ordering Commands

Debugging

Programming Sprites

RE

Hindu Beliefs

Pilgrimage to the River Ganges

Easter- Forgiveness

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