



Year 3 Summer Term 2026 Newsletter

Welcome back to the second half of the summer term! It's a great time of year at La Moye School, where we celebrate and build upon our learning from over the year, and we enjoy outdoor learning opportunities, and all that our beautiful school grounds have to offer.

Dates for your diary:

- **Friday 19th June – 3A (Miss Morris) Class Assembly at 8:50** – parents are invited to attend
- **Tuesday 23rd June** - Trip to the Elephant Park (Science – Forces)
- **Thursday 2nd July and Friday 3rd July** – Transition Days – Year 3 to meet their new teachers and see their new classrooms.
- **Tuesday 7th July** – Sports Day
- **Friday 10th July** – Celebrating Learning Afternoon
- PTA Summer Fair
- **Friday 17th July** – Last Day of Term

Topic:

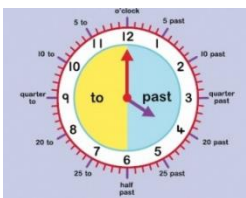
Our final topic this year is 'Gods and Mortals'. This is a History-based topic exploring the world of Greek mythology including mystical creatures and legendary heroes. We will delve into Greek culture and make comparisons with how the Greeks lived and their influences we still see now.



As scientists, we will be learning about forces and magnets. This work will include a trip to The Elephant Park to explore the contact and non-contact forces involved in the different play equipment.

English: Our writing focus will be based on the Greek myth about a hero called Odysseus. We will be using this as a hook to create our own mythical creature and writing a story about how Odysseus escapes it.

Maths:



We will learn about fractions, looking at how to find equivalent fractions and reducing fractions to simplest forms. All pupils need to rehearse their multiplication and division facts so that they can confidently and quickly recall them, so please continue to revise these at home. Please also support learning the time at home, using an analogue clock, and ensuring they are confident in reading o'clock, half past, quarter past and quarter to times, which they learned in Year 2.

P.E: Please send your child to school on Monday and Wednesday dressed in shorts and PE shirts and appropriate trainers. When the weather is warm please ensure that your child has a named sunhat and sunscreen applied in the morning.

PSHE:

This term we are looking for health and wellbeing covering lessons on strengths and achievements and how to manage setbacks. Our second topic is all about how to keep safe, being able to identify hazards in unfamiliar places such as the beach and roads and the importance of following safety rules from parents and other adults.

Reading:

Please encourage your child to read aloud to you at home. Reading aloud helps pupils listen to their own reading voice to spot when something doesn't sound right and make self-corrections. Most importantly, reading out loud helps pupils understand what they are reading. It is also helpful to try 'echo reading' with your child to help them read fluently with the correct intonation and rhythm. This involves a parent as the 'expert reader' reading a few lines of text modelling the correct prosody and then the child copies. We suggest adults build up lines of text until a short excerpt can be read fluently.



Thank you for your ongoing support.

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