

Year 3 Parents' Information Presentation

Welcome to Year 3



Who are we?

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Note in the planner.

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Mrs Thorley and Mrs Curtis are our
Receptionists.

Classrooms

- We have 3 identical rooms.
- We have a learning space in the middle.
- Access to the play areas (courts/ grass/ play equipment/courtyard).
- OPAL

Making friends!

- Buddy system
- Opportunities
- Kind school
- Taster day- already met some of the children



About Year 3

Beginning and End of Day



Your child can be dropped off between 8.00am and 8.25am where they will be supervised by a member of staff. They need to arrive through the KS1/Sports Hall gates. After this time, they need to sign in at Reception.

Your child can be picked up at either:

3.50-4.00pm - KS1/Sports Hall gates.

4.10pm - only if they have a Senior School sibling from the KS1/Sports Hall gates.

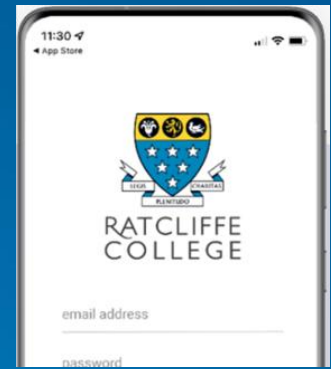
5.10-5.20pm - End of first prep/clubs from the KS1 gates.

5.50-6.00pm - End of school day from the KS1 gates.

Please complete the collection times form via the Parent App (the details will be sent to you). All children must be signed out before leaving the school building.

Parent App

- The Parent App is the main form of communication.
- You will have received/be receiving details of how to access Studies Grades and view your child's house point total through the app.
- General communication such as weekly newsletters and information about clubs and trips are also available through the app.
- Any problems - please contact Reception.



Planner and Reading record



- Record prep
- Notes to home
- Notes from home
- Reminders (cake sale)
- Please sign every week



- Read every day
- Sign and record
- Unfamiliar words
- Focus
- Comment about what was read etc

Timetable

We have provided your child with a copy of their timetable so you can assist them with having the correct equipment and kit as well as knowing how they are spending each day.

- Y3 string scheme
- Other teachers for: PE/Games, Music, Singing, ICT, German...
- 2 week timetable

Clubs

- Not in the first or the last week of a full term.
- Sign up through the app.



Class 3G: Week 1

Registration	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Assembly	Assembly	Assembly	Assembly	Assembly	Assembly
Period 1	English	Maths	Science	History	Geography
Period 2	PE	Art	Music	ICT	French
Break	Break	Break	Break	Break	Break
Period 3	English	Maths	Science	History	Geography
Period 4	PE	Art	Music	ICT	French
Break	Break	Break	Break	Break	Break
Period 5	English	Maths	Science	History	Geography
Period 6	PE	Art	Music	ICT	French

Class 3G: Week 2

Registration	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Assembly	Assembly	Assembly	Assembly	Assembly	Assembly
Period 1	English	Maths	Science	History	Geography
Period 2	PE	Art	Music	ICT	French
Break	Break	Break	Break	Break	Break
Period 3	English	Maths	Science	History	Geography
Period 4	PE	Art	Music	ICT	French
Break	Break	Break	Break	Break	Break
Period 5	English	Maths	Science	History	Geography
Period 6	PE	Art	Music	ICT	French

Topics

- Mighty Metals (Autumn 1)
- Emperors and Empires (Autumn 2)
- Urban Pioneers (Spring 1)
- Predators (Spring 2)
- WW2 (Summer 1 and our residential)
- Rocks, Relics and Rumbles (Summer 2)



Prep/Homework

In Year 3, the children are set daily prep which should take them about 20 minutes.

Monday - Reflection

Tuesday - RE

Wednesday - Spellings (ED SHED)

Thursday - Maths

Friday - Reading/Spellings/Times Tables (TTRS)

We also ask that the children **read**, learn their **spellings** and practice their **times tables** daily.

- The weekly times table test takes place on a Monday (the times table for the forthcoming week are recorded in the planner).
- The weekly spelling test takes place on a Tuesday (new words are sent home on a Wednesday).

- Two night residential during the summer term to Beaumanor Hall (information evening in the Autumn term with more details).
- Day trips for our topics and visitors/workshops.



Uniform and equipment

Please refer to the handbook for all of the uniform items.

Hair: neat, tidy, tied up if long hair.

Shoes: sensible, black school shoes (not trainers).

Pencil cases: all equipment for learning (especially a glue stick) and not too BIG a pencil case/ fit in the trays!

Named please.

Wellies/Coats/Tractor Suits/Trainers

- Every child needs a pair of wellies and a tractor suit for outdoor play.
- We love playing outdoors at Ratcliffe and it is vital that the children are properly protected.
- Coats must be brought into school every day - worn to go home in and returned each day. You can never predict the British weather! Outdoor trainers need to be in school every day and kept in the classroom. Please ensure everything is named.
- The children will also need a school bag and a school sports bag.



Food

- Fruit @ break
- Lunch in the Refectory
- Tea@ after school if the children stay for a club, prep or to wait for an older sibling (4.10pm)
- A huge variety of food.
- All allergies and diets are catered for.
- Water is provided at lunch and juice/water at tea.
- Table manners.
- Water bottles need to be in school every day (named).



PE and Games

Year 3 Games is taught by Mr Faulconbridge and Miss George on Tuesdays.

During the Autumn term, the boys will be developing their rugby skills whilst the girls will be working on hockey. Please ensure the children have their named kit in on the correct day.

Netball/hockey (Spring term)

Cricket (Summer term)

PE - Year 3 will also have a PE lesson on Friday. Please ensure they have their full, correct kit in school (named).

Bag Racks for Sports bags

Year 3 have a designated section of the bag racks in the Sports Hall.

It is a really good idea to help identify your child's bag by a keyring or ribbon as well as being named.

Bags are only required on the day of PE, Games or clubs.



Music

- String scheme for all of Year 3 (Mrs Cook and our Peri staff)
- Individual lessons for a variety of instruments with our Peri staff
- sign up on the parent app or email Mrs Cook or Mr Rory Finn



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ELSA

- Mrs Deacon
- Provision to support children
- Ask permission to attend the session
- Feedback
- Recommended by the class teacher
- Parent information sessions
- Designated room



Any questions?

