



# Burnside Academy

## Year 3/4 Newsletter

### Autumn Term 1 2021



#### English

Our writing this half term will be based on the book "Fox" by Margaret Wild and Ron Brooks. We will be writing a fable narrative and an information report.

#### Welcome to Year 3/4!

I am really looking forward to getting started and working hard this year. We have a busy Autumn Term ahead. This is what we will be learning this half term!

#### Maths

Over this half term the children will be focusing on place value, addition and subtraction and multiplication and division.

#### History

In History, we will be learning about Ancient Egyptians. We will be looking at who the ancient Egyptians are and we will be looking at artefacts which can teach us about their way of living.



#### Computing

In Computing, we will be developing our coding skills and learning about how to be safe online.



#### RE

In RE, we will be looking at the religion of Hinduism. We will look at their teachings and how they celebrate.

#### Art

In Art, we will be developing our drawing and painting skills and linking it to the renaissance period of time.

#### PE

In PE, we will be developing our footwork skills.



#### Science

In Science, our topic is animals including humans.



#### PSHE

In PSHE, we will be thinking about relationships.

#### Music

In Music, we will be following a programme and the name of our first



#### MFL

Our French unit this half term is 'Getting to know you'.

#### Homework Project

This half term's homework project is History. Can you create something linked to our learning around Ancient Egypt? You could design your own mummy tomb or design an ancient Egyptian mask. Be creative! I love to see what you have enjoyed about our topics and what sparks your interests. Please complete your homework project by Friday 22nd October. This can be brought into school or sent via Showbie.

#### Reminders

- Homework will be available online each Wednesday and should be completed for the following Monday.
- Please listen to your child read every night and ensure their home reading record is signed and brought into school. Reading Plus counts as a signature too!
- Year 3/4 PE day is a Thursday. Please ensure full PE kit is worn for this day.
- Please ensure your child has their own water bottle in school every day and they bring it home for a regular clean.
- **Bus times - bus leaves at 8:50am and returns to school at 3:25pm.**