Teachers: Mrs Long /Mrs Carney /Miss Osborne / Mrs Wilkinson/Mrs Phillips	Class: Class 3	Term: Autumn 1 st	Date: 3.9.20
Hello and welcome/welcome back to Class 3, hope you had a fabulous Summer holiday and are refreshed and raring to go!! It is SO lovely have the children back in school. Our topic for the first half of the Autumn term is STEP INTO A PICTUREBOOK. In Literacy, we will be focusing on using picture books and artwork to write imaginatively. The focus of this half term will be to ensure that all children settle back into school happily and for teachers to establish where extra support may be required.			
HomeworkSpelling homework will be given out on Thursdays by Mrs Long to be learnt for a spelling check on the following Thursday.HOMEWORK is given out on Thursdays and due in on the following Tuesday.Reading booksPlease ensure your child brings their book bag and reading record on a daily basis so they can change their books regularly.Children are responsible for changing their own books and recording the title and date in their reading record.Mrs Long makes a weekly check (on a Tuesday) to ensure children are reading either school or home books. Team points are awarded for regular reading and recording. Children may change their books before school or at playtime.If you feel books are too challenging or too easy, please write a note in the reading record.		PE: MONDAY (CRICKET) PE kit Shorts/tracksuit bottoms T-shirt Trainers <u>Girls</u> *Long hair tied back please *Please cover earrings with plaster or ideally take them out on a Monday*	FOREST SCHOOL: FRIDAYS Forest School will start again on Friday 4 th September. On Fridays, children will need to wear practical outdoor trousers/leggingsto school rather than ordinary school uniform. Please provide your child with a clearly labelled pair of wellies, waterproof coat and trousers that can be kept at school. If anybody has difficulty providing these please let us know. We have spare wellies and school waterproof trousers.
LiteracyNarrativePicture books-Journey, The MagicPaintbrush, The Incredible Book EatingBoyNon-fictionMountains, Rivers and Volcanoes -Geography linkSpeaking and ListeningHarvest Festival readings/prayers	Numeracy Place Value Addition and Subtraction Multiplication and Division Fractions Problem solving	TopicsSTEP INTO A PICTUREBOOKScience: - Animals including humans -Mrs CarneyArt and Design: Illustration and Sculpture-Miss OsborneMusic: - Harvest Songs-Mrs LongGeography-Mountains, Rivers and Volcanoes-Mrs LongPE: Cricket-Miss AldersladeRE: HINDUSIM: What does it mean to be a Hindu in Britain today? -Mrs WilkinsonFrench: Getting to know you-Mrs WilkinsonPSHE: Mrs Phillips	
Help at homeTelling the time: Please encourage your child to tell the time both on digital and analogue clocks. Include questions such as - what time will it be in half and hourHow long is it toAlso regular practise of the Days of the week, months of the year and basic time facts such as how many minutes in an hour?	Help at homeNumber bonds to 10,20, 100 and 1000Doubles to 20 and beyondMoney (practical contexts likeshopping)Recognising coins and amountsAdding and totalling amountsWorking out how much change	Help at home Reading: Please try to read with your child on a daily basis and ask key questions related to the text. If your child is a more confident reader please encourage them to read silently but give opportunities for discussing the text.	Help at home x tables: Please encourage your children to practise multiplication tables 1- 12.These underpin many mathematical concepts. Learning the sequences by heart will assist the children in being able to answer x table questions randomly. Y3: 2,5,10,3,4 Y4: 6,7,8,9,11,12