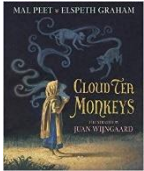


# Year 3 Newsletter



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Friday 13<sup>th</sup> September 2019



**English:** We have been reading *Cloud Tea Monkeys* by Mal Peet and Elspeth Graham. We had a go at tea tasting and have described different flavours. We have also used conjunctions to talk about cause and prepositions to describe places



**Maths:** In maths we have started looking at place value and describing the value of each digit in 3-digit numbers. The children really enjoyed spending some time on Times Tables Rock Stars – do encourage your child to use this and Mathletics at home as it will really help them.



**Topic:** We had a fantastic trip to Pizza Express and made our own pizzas. The children really enjoyed this – especially eating them! We are learning about healthy eating using the Eatwell Plate. In geography, we have found out about some very interesting foods from different parts of the world. Does anyone want to try some deep fried tarantulas or raw blood soup?



We pressed around the edge to make a crust



We tried spreading the sauce by tilting and tapping...



...but most of us found it easier with a spoon!



We tasted some different ingredients and toppings.

## How you can help your child at home

### Reading

Please encourage your child to read as much as possible at home and try to ask them questions about what they are reading.

### Spellings

The children are encouraged to practise their spellings for a weekly test.

### Maths

Please complete the sheet to reinforce what your child has been learning. Also help your child practice their times tables (x2, x5, x10). We also recommend using **Mathletics** and **Times Tables Rock Stars** to help with this.

## Dates and reminders

- Year 3 PE days: Wednesdays and Fridays
- Please bring homework folders in every Wednesday.
- Children should have their reading books in their bags every day.

### Attendance

Venus – 91.7% 😞

Let's get higher next