

Robin's Newsletter

Term 1, 2026

Welcome back! We hope you are well and ready for a new year at Phoenix. This term is always a time to settle in to your new class and learn about each other. As always if you have any concerns or questions, please do not hesitate to talk to one of us at the end of the day.



What to expect this term!

The school theme for this term is UK and the Wider World.

Year 3 will be learning about natural disasters, exploring the layers of the earth and its tectonic plates and how these move to create earthquakes and tsunamis. They will evaluate the impact of these disasters, comparing the destruction they create.

Within science, we shall be investigating rocks, finding similarities and differences in their appearance, hardness and other features.

Home learning

Home learning will continue to be set on Friday via Family Announcements on Seesaw, with written tasks recorded in the homework books. Tasks need to be completed and returned to school by Wednesday of the following week so that it can be marked by an adult.

AR books will continue to be sent home. Books must be brought into school daily so children can quiz/change them. It is vital that children read at home so that they can meet their points targets.

Maths learning is via TT Rockstar, working towards the multiplication and division facts.

Dates for the diary:

- Term 1 ends :
- Friday 23rd October
- Term 2 starts :
- Monday 2nd November

This year Robin's class will enjoy indoor PE on a Wednesday and outdoors on Friday. We shall be progressing skills within fitness and hand ball accordingly.

This term Robin's will take part in Forest School. In order for the children to work around the camp fire it is imperative they wear long trousers.

We shall be using house points which are acknowledged in celebration assembly on a Friday, alongside any work that has been included in the gold book. In class we shall also give dojos as a reward system, which will go towards a class treat should they achieve the necessary quantity.

