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The Holt Primary School

Year 1 Newsletter Spring 2026



Welcome to term 3!

Welcome back! We would just like to start by saying a huge thank you for all of your kind Christmas gifts and cards and also for your continued support during such a busy term. This term our topic has a History focus and we will be learning about the lives and achievements of Florence

Nightingale and the lesser known Edith Cavell.

Homework information

Homework will continue to be daily reading, daily, oral number bond fact

practise and handwriting

spellings. There will also be a list of extra activities that you can choose from to enrich your child's learning. These do not need handing in but we would love to see photos of any completed projects. :-). Please email these to the Year 1 address. The homework project this term will be based on our history topic.

PE Days

PE this term will continue to be on a **Monday** and **Tuesday**. Due to the changing weather, your child will need to come to school in their PE kit which is suitable for both outdoors and indoors. Please could we politely request this kit is named, especially jackets and hoodies.

Other information

Calling all nurses! Are you or do you know of any nurses who would be willing to give up their time to come into school to talk to the children about what it is like to be a nurse

today? This would be a wonderful opportunity for the children to enrich their understanding and be able to compare nursing now to the Victorian times.

Reading

Your child's school reading book will continue to be changed weekly and a new one returned on the same day. Red and Green words will also be sent home weekly and daily practise of these will really support your child's learning in school lessons.

Please encourage your child to read every night, even a couple of pages will help! Record this reading in your child's Reading Record, along with the date and an encouraging comment for them.

Children love it when parents read to them as well!

We are looking forward to a wonderful term ahead. We are here to support you and your child. If you need to speak to us about any queries or regarding any questions you may have, please make an appointment via Mrs Piper in the school office or drop us an email.

This is to help with the smooth running of our start/finish times.

Thank you, **Mrs Keightley and Mrs Moon**



Do your BEST, Be our BEST

