

Dear Parents,

Well... what a busy term we've had. We had such a long time on Zoom and I am so proud of how sensible and mature all of the children were at logging on and completing their work. We did try to make it as fun and full of learning as possible and some of the Home Learning books that we have had back are fantastic. It is wonderful to have everyone back at school. Children have come back with smiles and a very hard-working attitude. It has been great to see how all of the children have adjusted to school life with such confidence.



We've had a very busy few weeks since March the 8<sup>th</sup> and here are some of the highlights:

- Science Day – We investigated different ways to make rafts for the UK's National Science Day.
- Active Maths – It's been great solving problems and applying our Maths learning in a physical way and the children have really enjoyed doing this both outside and in the hall.
- PE – Being back together and being able to partake in our PE lessons has been fantastic!
- Forest School – We have been lucky to fit in our final three weeks of Forest School with Mrs Deasy. It has been lovely to be outside, in our Forest School making dens, toasting marshmallows and working together.

In class we have really enjoyed being back together and getting back to work in class. We have continued learning about Ancient Greece and expanding our knowledge of that period of history. We have started learning all about Scratch- a computer programming software. We have started to make our own simple computer games using loops and variables. The children have really enjoyed this and the programme can be accessed online here:

<https://scratch.mit.edu/projects/editor/?tutorial=getStarted>

It's lovely to have a classroom full of hard working and very smiley children and I can't wait to be back for the summer term. You're fantastic Year 3 😊

Happy Easter!





Some highlights from our time at Forest School, skipping, PE, drama and Active Maths