

# Welcome to Year 3

3BW: Mrs Bygrave-White

3SB: Miss Brazier

3TW: Mrs Williams (Mon, Tues, every other Wed) and Miss Thompson (Every other Wed, Thurs, Fri)



Langstone Academy is a community of learners who strive and aspire to 'be excellent everywhere'. As learners, we seek to challenge and question the world around us to develop the skills to be lifelong learners.

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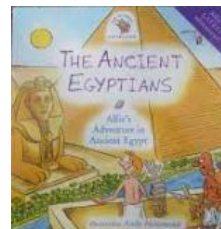
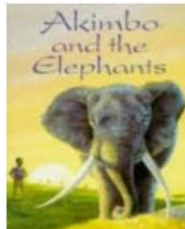
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# English and Maths

When	English	Maths
Autumn	<b>Traditional Tales</b> – Alternative stories <b>Akimbo and the Elephants</b> – Short narrative <b>Female Sports Stars</b> - Biographies	Place Value Addition and Subtraction Multiplication and Division
Spring	<b>Alfie's Adventures in Ancient Egypt</b> – Short narrative <b>The Dragons' Hoard</b> - Saga	Multiplication and Division Length and Perimeter Fractions Measures and Capacity
Summer	<b>BFG</b> – an additional section – instructions <b>The Tudors</b> – recount <b>Poetry</b> – nonsense poetry, limericks	Fractions Money Time Shape Statistics



# Our Topics

Topic	Subject
Broadening Our Horizons	Geography - Africa
An Ancient Adventure	History – Egyptians
Battle for the Kingdom	History – Anglo-Saxons and Vikings
Henry' Jewel in the Crown	History – Tudors and Local Area Study
Eye Wonder	Geography and Art – My Dog Sighs

# Year 3 Subject Overviews

	Autumn				Spring						Summer							
Geography	Broadening Our Horizons											Eye Wonder			AFL			
History				An Ancient Adventure		Battle for the Kingdom- Anglo-Saxons & Vikings			Portsmouth: Henry's Jewel in the Crown- Tudors and the local area					AFL				
RE		Sacred Places			Angels		Messages			Good and Evil				Symbols			Protection - Raksha Bandhan	AFL
PSHE	Intro to Langstone Learner	Health and Well-Being				Relationships				Living in the Wider World				AFL				
		Hygiene		Keeping Safe	Balanced Lifestyles	Confidentiality and Secrets		Collaborative Working		Rules and Laws/ Human and Children's rights		People, Places and Customs						
PE	Real PE L1: Real Gym L2: Personal			Real PE L1: Real Gym L2: Social		Real PE L1: Real Gym L2: Cognitive		Real PE L1: Real Dance L2: Creative			Real PE L1: Tennis L2: Physical			Real PE L1: Hockey L2: Health & Fitness		AFL		
French	I'm Learning French Basic Language Classroom Commands		Colours		Starters: Numbers I am able		Starters: Phonics retention Fruit			Starters: Phonics retention Animals			AFL					
Science	Light			Forces and Motion		Animals Including Humans			Rocks and Soils		Plants			AFL				
					Nutrition		Skeletons & Muscles											
Music	African Drumming				Painting with Sound			The Renaissance		Recorders				AFL				
Art		Sketching Sketches of South Africa	Printing Eye of Horus									Painting Pointilism		AFL				
DT						Balanced Pizzas		Banish Broken Biscuits		Pneumatic Monsters								
Computing	Technology all around us Shortcuts and an introduction to Google				Creative Computing Stop Frame Animation			Programming in Action Sequencing sounds, events and actions in programming			Exploring Data Branching Databases				AFL			
English	Alternative Traditional Tale		Akimbo and the Elephants	Biographies Female Sports Stars		Alfie's Adventures in Ancient Egypt	The Dragon's Hoard (Saga)		BFG- Visit the queen		BFG- Frobscottle instructions		Tudor Day Recount		Poetry			
Maths	Place Value	Addition and Subtraction		Multiplication and division		AFL	Multiplication and division	Length and perimeter	Fractions	Measure- Mass and Capacity	Fractions	Measure- e- Money	Measure- Time	Shape	Statistics	AFL		

# Enrichment – trips, workshops and special days

Term	Activity
Autumn	Egyptian day (History)
Autumn	European Day of Languages
Autumn	Empathy Week
Autumn	Proud to be Pompey day
Autumn	Anti-bullying week
Spring	Viking day (History)
Spring	Safer Internet Day
Spring	Children Mental Wellbeing Week
Spring	Anti-racism Day
Spring	World Book Day
Spring	Stubbington (Geography—fieldwork)
Spring	Mary Rose (History—Henry VIII and Tudors)
Summer	Times Table Rock Star Day
Summer	Arts Week
Summer	Tudor Banquet day (History)
Summer	'Eye Wonder' Local Visit (Art—My Dog Sighs)
Summer	School's Diversity Day

# PE



PE is on **Monday** and **Tuesday**.  
Please arrive at school in your PE kit and remain in this for the day.  
**Monday's is Outdoor PE.**  
**Tuesday's is Indoor PE.**



## PE uniform for **outdoor PE (Monday)**:

- Black shorts, leggings or 'skins'
- White t-shirt
- Black tracksuit bottoms
- Black jumper

## PE uniform for **Real Gym (Tuesday)**:

- Black shorts, leggings or 'skins'
- White t-shirt
- No shoes or socks

NO tracksuit bottoms or sweatshirt to be worn during the lesson although they can be worn to school.

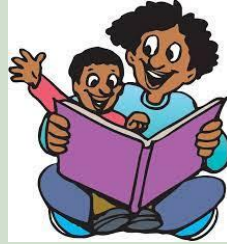
## Please remember:

- No jewellery can be worn during PE sessions, this includes any earrings, even studs. If your child cannot remove their own stud earrings for these sessions, please do not send them into school wearing them on their Real Gym days.
- Watches cannot must not be worn so we ask you not to send your child in with a watch on their PE days.

# Home learning

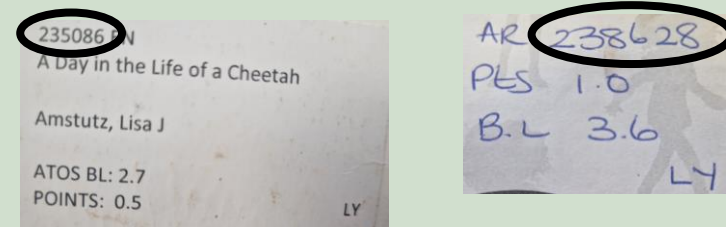
## Activity

### Daily reading



Regular reading of a variety of genres is an integral part of the curriculum and develops a range of skills that children can utilise on a daily basis. We expect children to read regularly and aim for **at least 5 times a week**.

When your child finished a book, they can complete a quiz using Accelerated Reader (<https://ukhosted105.renlearn.co.uk/6708094/>). The quiz number can be found inside the front cover of the book and may look like this:



Your child can also access a variety of eBooks which they can read independently or be read to them at: <https://www.myon.co.uk/login/> Myon uses the same username and password as Accelerated Reader.

### Daily times tables practice



This could be chanting, rapid recall or quick fire questions with a family member, use of Times Tables Rockstar (<https://ttrockstars.com/>) or playing different times tables games. By the end of Year 3, Government expectations are that children will have **rapid and fluent recall of at least the 2x, 5x, 10x, 3x, 4x and 8x tables**.

### Spellings



We expect children to learn the **Year 3 National Curriculum spellings** and each week, 2 new words will be sent out to learn. In addition, they will be tested on them at the end of each half term.



## What is the Langstone Learner Award?

At Langstone Junior Academy, we are proud to have created and continue to promote our 'Langstone Learner Award'. We aim to develop learners who are reflective, resilient thinkers and challenge themselves in all areas of learning both in and out of school.

The Langstone Learner award is a three-tiered system which empowers children to recognise and develop a set of progressively challenging skills as they develop as independent learners.

Tier		
TIER 1	ALL NEW CHILDREN TO THE SCHOOL (8 SKILLS PER AREA = 24 SKILLS)	The class teacher will observe these learning behaviours over a period of time and when evidenced consistently, will discuss this with the child and a sticker added to show achievement.
TIER 2	TYPICALLY YEAR 4 BUT PROGRESSION WHEN APPROPRIATE FROM TIER 1 (5 SKILLS PER AREA = 15 SKILLS)	The children begin to record evidence of them meeting a skill, supported by an adult to begin with. Each skill has room to record evidence underneath. There are also additional pages in the booklet for this if needed.
TIER 3	TYPICALLY YEAR 5 BUT PROGRESSION WHEN APPROPRIATE FROM TIER 2 (4 SKILLS PER AREA = 12 SKILLS)	The children independently record evidence of them meeting a skill. Each skill has room to record evidence underneath. There are also additional pages in the booklet for this if needed.
MASTER LEARNER	AWARDED UPON COMPLETION OF ALL THE TIERS IN ALL 3 AREAS – THINKING, RESILIENCE AND REFLECTIVENESS.	

Once a tier has been achieved, you will be invited to a special celebration assembly held twice a half term. Invitations will be sent via Parentmail once the tier has been validated by the Year Leader. In this assembly, your child will be awarded with a band which corresponds with the Tier they have completed. If they have achieved all three tiers, they are now a master learner and will also be awarded with a grey 'Master Learner' t-shirt which can be worn in place of their normal white uniform top.

# Langstone Learners



# Class Assemblies

- Each year we would like to welcome families in to watch their child in a class assembly.
- This is a chance for your child to share some of their learning and practice the key skills of performing.
- Assemblies take place at 8:50. If you wish to attend, please enter through our school office 10 minutes before the start time to allow time to sign in.

Class	Date
3BW	Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup> May
3TW	Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup> June
3SB	Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup> June

# Useful websites to use at home

Accelerated Reader	<a href="https://ukhosted105.renlearn.co.uk/6708094/">https://ukhosted105.renlearn.co.uk/6708094/</a>
Times table Rockstar	<a href="https://ttrockstars.com/">https://ttrockstars.com/</a>
Sumdog (maths games)	<a href="https://www.sumdog.com/en/">https://www.sumdog.com/en/</a>
Spelling Shed	<a href="https://www.spellingshed.com/en-gb/">https://www.spellingshed.com/en-gb/</a>
Myon (reading)	<a href="https://www.myon.co.uk/index.html">https://www.myon.co.uk/index.html</a>

# Golden Rules

- At Langstone, we follow the 6 Golden Rules to make our school a safe and happy environment.
- In celebration assembly, we celebrate children who have demonstrated these skills.

 **BE EXCELLENT EVERYWHERE!**

Certificate of merit awarded to \_\_\_\_\_

We noticed that you were following the golden rule: \_\_\_\_\_

Awarded by \_\_\_\_\_


Mona Monkey Gino Giraffe Zelda Zebra Elsa Elephant Alfred Alligator Louis Lion

## Be Excellent Everywhere follow the Golden Rules

<p>We are gentle</p>  <p>We don't hurt others</p>	<p>We work hard,</p>  <p>We don't waste time</p>	<p>We listen</p>  <p>We don't interrupt</p>	<p>We are kind and helpful</p>  <p>We don't hurt anybody's feelings</p>	<p>We look after property</p>  <p>We don't damage things</p>	<p>We are honest</p>  <p>We don't cover up the truth</p>
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