

A young boy in a blue sweater and dark trousers is walking on a colorful, segmented path in a playground. The path is made of large, rectangular blocks in shades of blue, red, and yellow. In the background, there is a wooden fence and a building with large windows. The entire scene is overlaid with a dark blue semi-transparent filter.

PRESTON HEDGES TRUST

Y3

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Staff

Teacher: Miss Millar

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TA: Mrs Noor

What Year 3 is all about...

- In Year 3 we work on developing independence as we enter the new phase of learning in KS2.
- Being role models for the KS1 children.
- Trying new pupil groups:
Reading ambassadors, united parklands, global guardians, newspaper team, sports teams (football, hockey, tag rugby)

A standard day in Year 3

Year 3	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8.45-9.00	Morning Work				
9.00-9.55	Arithmetic	Maths	Maths	Maths	Reasoning
9.55-10.10	TTRockstars	TTRockstars	TTRockstars	TTRockstars	TTRockstars
10.10-10.30	Assembly	Assembly	Assembly	Assembly	Assembly
10.30-10.45	Playtime				
10.45-11.00	SPAG	SPAG	SPAG	Spellings	SPAG
11.00-12.00	Reading Analysis /Comprehension	English	English	English	English
12.00-12.30	Guided Comp	Guided Comp	Guided Comp	Guided Comp	RE
12.30-1.30	Lunch				
1.30-3.00	Computing	History/Geography	Science	Music	PE (indoor and outdoor)
	Art/DT			Personal Development	
			Spanish		
3.00-3.15	Class Read	Class Read	Class Read	Class Read	Reading for pleasure

Subjects taught weekly

- English
- SPaG
- Maths
- Science
- Creative curriculum (history/geography)
- Art/DT
- Music
- P.E
- R.E
- PD
- Computing
- Spanish

English and maths

- Groupings are very flexible, and all pupils will cover Year 3 elements.

will cover all

Homework: (Sent home on a Friday – due in on a Wednesday)

- A grammar/comprehension challenge
- A maths challenge from their set
- Spelling investigation (Thursday)
- Reading for pleasure
- Reading scheme book
- Reading journal

Reading in Year 3

- Assessed every big term
- 1 x Oxford level book (learning to read)
- 1 x R4P book (personal choice)

Our reading expectations:

- Children read at home at least 5 x weekly
- Reading journals signed
- Weekly class winner for reading at home engagement

Attendance

- 95%+
- 8:45am registration, lessons starting at 8:50am
- Consistency for the children
- Afternoon interventions

P.E – Friday

- Parklands P.E uniform:
 - Navy shorts/joggers
 - Navy polo (logo/plain)
 - School jumper/fleece
 - Trainers/plimsoles
- Earrings removed by the child (no tape)
- Up-to-date inhalers etc to class teacher

Our Curriculum

- Our creative curriculum topic this term is Out of Africa
- Our curriculum provides exciting opportunities to learn through experiences rather than written evidence.
- Encourages an independence in learning
- Helps to develop an awareness of the world around them, and their place within it
- Ensures that key skills are learned within an interesting, relevant context
- Updated PD curriculum (including healthy relationships/equality and diversity/citizenship/online safety/health and well-being/economic well-being)

How can I help my child?

- ▶ Encourage all types of reading and discuss their understanding with them, filling in their reading journals.
- ▶ SPaG – correct them if their grammar is incorrect (spoken and written)
- ▶ Encourage them to get involved in real maths:
 - How much is the basket of shopping?
 - What change will they receive?
 - Measure things out on a scale and convert to an equivalent measure
 - Look at timetables and plan a journey
- ▶ Support them with their times tables (TTRockstars)



Correspondence

- Facebook
- Instagram – NEW!
- School website
- Seesaw

The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL parklands.northants.sch.uk/correspondence/. The browser tabs include 'New Tab', 'Google', 'Hotmail', 'Files - Dropbox', 'Sainsbury's online Gr', and 'Maths worksheet gen'. The website header features the Parklands Primary School logo (two trees in a circle) and the text 'PARKLANDS PRIMARY SCHOOL'. To the right, it says 'PRESTON HEDGE'S ACADEMY TRUST' and 'Tel: 01604 491769 • admin@parklands.northants.sch.uk'. A navigation menu includes 'WELCOME', 'OUR SCHOOL', 'INFORMATION', 'CURRICULUM', 'PARENTS', 'SCHOOL NEWS', and 'CONTACT'. A dropdown menu is open over the 'CORRESPONDENCE' link, listing 'CORRESPONDENCE', 'HOMEWORK', 'UNIFORM', 'TERM DATES', 'KEY DATES', and 'ABSENCE'. The main content area is titled 'CORRESPONDENCE' and contains the text: 'Here are some letters from the week – please click on them to go to'. Below this are several links: 'Years 1 & 2 Tea Party', 'Year 6 Pioneer June 2019 (1)', 'Year 5 WW2', 'How to apply for secondary 2019 parent letter', and 'RW letter'.

But most importantly...

If you have any questions or queries, please call the office any time and book a phone call chat.

Our 'doors' are always open and you are welcome to have a chat.

Thank you, from the Y3 team.