

## Autumn 1 Half-Term Round up!

Dear Parents/Guardians of Year 3

The children have had a lovely last week at school. It was so wonderful to see them all dressed up today!

In class, we have been:

- Writing instructions in English
- Continuing with column addition in Maths
- Exploring Celebrate Our Differences week by:
  - Learning about Middle East/ South Asia - specifically India, Iran and Turkey
  - Making Islamic inspired window patterns
  - Making Islamic pinch pots
  - Using oil pastels to draw colourful peacocks
  - Drawing a mosque temple
  - Designing Mehndi hands
  - Drawing the flags of where we come from
  - Designing Iranian rugs

The children who received a certificate for Good Work/Well Done in our Year Group Assembly were:

Sidra (3SC) Nicholas (3SC) Alfie (3FR) Ameerah (3FR) Arsam (3JC) Lihanna (3JC)

**There will be no homework over half-term.** However, we encourage you to use the variety of resources on the school website including Bug Club, Mathletics and Times Tables Rock Stars.  
<https://www.danegroveschool.co.uk/pupils/year-3-hub>

Practise your 2, 5, 10, 3 and 4 times tables.

Also, please continue reading every day at home and to practise your writing. You could make a diary of your half-term by writing about what you have done each day or over the week. Try to include interesting adjectives, thoughts/feelings and extending sentences with conjunctions.

It was Celebrate Our Differences this week. Please have a look at this great website that offers lots of books in over 30 languages! <https://worldstories.org.uk/>

### Key Dates:

**Monday 1<sup>st</sup> November = Staff INSET day, NO SCHOOL for the children**

**Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> November = Children back to school normal time.**

**Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> November = Spooks and Sparkles disco on Ridgeway Avenue**

Reception and KS1 from 4.30 - 5.45pm

KS2 from 6 - 7.30pm

Thank you and we hope you have a great half-term break from Miss Rolle, Mr Cowan, Miss Corin and the Year 3 team.