

# Year 3 Newsletter ~ Autumn 1 2018

## **RESPECT Tell me what it means to me.**

This term we have been learning about our skeleton and muscles. We have used a range of medium, including bin bags, masking tape and plasticine to aid children learning and deepen their understanding. We have been looking at the main food groups and what impact eating these have on our body. We finished our topic by becoming 'mini personal trainers' and designing a food and exercise plan for a client.

## **Geography**

We have started looking at maps and have used co-ordinates to plot and find features on a map. We enjoyed creating our own detailed maps of the school and located features that we needed to show the most respect.

## **Brass Lessons**

This year the children will be learning how to play the trumpet and the baritone. All children have been able to play a note from their instrument and are starting to learn different sounds. This term we have been focusing on the C note and the tempo of the music.

## **Design Technology**

This term we have been looking into food and nutrition. Each class has the opportunity to design and make a healthy pasta dish. All children had a go at peeling, cutting, chopping and grating in order to make a delicious packed lunch. There is definitely a few up and coming Jamie Olivers and Nigella Lawsons in our classes. Parents – it's your night off, let the children show you their culinary skills.

## **R.E**

This term we have been learning and understanding about the Sikh religion including the 10 Sikh Gods as well as Sikh rituals. We finished off our topic celebrating Bandi Chhor Divas and tasting some traditional Indian foods.

