

ED/EC/HD

September 2023

Dear Parents/Carers,

At Maltby Manor Academy, we strive to ensure that whilst with us, your child will experience high quality education and engage in a curriculum which is inspiring. Our curriculum intent states: -

“Every child is an individual with a unique potential for learning. Our curriculum is designed to be creative and offer vibrant learning experiences that are tailored to meet the needs of each individual child. We aim for each child's experience at Maltby Manor to be memorable, engaging, and inspiring as well as develop a love of learning; enabling each child to participate fully in society as a responsible, self-confident citizen.”

In Year 3 we have planned in a variety of exceptional learning experiences linked to our learning journey focuses throughout the year. Below is a list of key events throughout the year in which Year 3 will be hosting, some of these events will be in house and some will be off site.

Autumn 1	Autumn 2
<p><b>Event: Creswell Craggs</b> Transport yourself back to the stone age: experience what life was like and enjoy spending time learning survival skills just like the cave men and women would have used. <b>Date:</b> 17<sup>th</sup> October 2023 <b>Cost:</b> £17.50 <b>Payment to be made by:</b> 3<sup>rd</sup> October 2023</p>	<p><b>Event: Iron Age Workshop</b> Children to experience life through the stone age into the iron age and explore the iron age. They will step into the shoes of archaeologists and carry out excavations to learn about the past. The children will get the chance to create their very own piece of pottery. <b>Date:</b> 17<sup>th</sup> November 2023 <b>Cost:</b> £7.50 <b>Payment to be made by:</b> 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2023</p>
<p><b>Event: Stone Age Day</b> Children will celebrate their learning and experience a range of activities linked to what life was like in the stone age: dress up like cavemen and take part in bush craft skills. <b>Date:</b> 19<sup>th</sup> October 2023 <b>Cost:</b> N/A</p>	<p><b>Event: Stay and Junk</b> Adults are welcomed to come and get creative with their children. The children have been working hard in DT learning about linkages and levers and have designed a robot that is ready to be made out of junk with the help of their grown up. <b>Date:</b> 8<sup>th</sup> December 2023 <b>Time:</b> 9-10:30am</p>
<p><b>Event: Stay and Read</b> Adults are welcomed into Year 3 to come and read with their child. Enter into a warm cosy classroom, pick from a variety of books and spend the afternoon reading with your child. <b>Date:</b> 5<sup>th</sup> October 2023 <b>Time:</b> 2-3pm</p>	



Spring 1	Spring 2
<p><b>Event: Maltby learning Walk</b> Children are going to become local geography experts as we go on a walk around Maltby seeing what Maltby is like now and identify the human and physical features as well as learning about how Maltby has changed. <b>Date:</b> 24<sup>th</sup> January 2024 <b>Cost:</b> N/A <b>Payment to be made by:</b> 3<sup>rd</sup> October 2023</p>	<p><b>Event: UK Day</b> The children will celebrate their geography learning and experience a range of activities linked to the 4 countries in Great Britain: dress up in red, white and blue and celebrate the UK. <b>Date:</b> 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2024 <b>Cost:</b> N/A</p>
<p><b>Event: Maltby Traffic Survey</b> Children will carry out geography field work. Child will be able to walk down to the high street and participate in a traffic survey as part of their geography work on the local area. <b>Date:</b> 7<sup>th</sup> February 2024 <b>Cost:</b> N/A</p>	<p><b>Event: Stay and Quiz</b> Adults are welcomed into Year 3 to take part in the big UK quiz. Come along and test your geography knowledge, can you win the big geography quiz? <b>Date:</b> 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2024 <b>Time:</b> 9-10pm</p>
<p><b>Event: Stay and Investigate</b> Adults are welcomed into Year 3 to become scientist. Have you got what it takes to carry out a scientific investigation. <b>Date:</b> 12<sup>th</sup> January <b>Time:</b> 9-10pm</p>	
Summer 1	Summer 2
<p><b>Event: Stay and Read</b> Adults are welcomed into Year 3 to come and read with their child. Enter into a warm cosy classroom, pick from a variety of books and spend the afternoon reading with your child. <b>Date:</b> 24<sup>th</sup> May 2024 <b>Time:</b> 9-10am</p>	<p><b>Event: Ancient Egypt Day</b> Children will celebrate their learning and experience a range of activities linked to what life was like in the Ancient Egypt dress up like an Egyptian and take part in Egyptian activities. <b>Date:</b> 27<sup>th</sup> June 2024 <b>Cost:</b> N/A</p>
<p><b>Event: Ancient Egypt Workshop</b> Children to experience life in Ancient Egypt. They will step into the shoes of different Egyptians and carry out exciting activities such as watching an embalmer carry out mummification on an Egyptian. The children will get the chance to take part in a range of activities including investigating artefacts and playing Egyptian games. <b>Date:</b> 10<sup>th</sup> May 2024 <b>Cost:</b> £10 <b>Payment to be made by:</b> 26<sup>th</sup> April 2024</p>	<p><b>Event: Stay and Read</b> Adults are welcomed into Year 3 to come and celebrate their child's hard work. The children will perform pieces of music which they have been practicing hard throughout the year during their trumpet or violins lessons. <b>Date:</b> TBC – July 2024 <b>Time:</b> 11am</p>

The Government's Education Reform Act of 1988 no longer permits our school to make a mandatory charge for our planned experiences as many take place during school hours. However, we are seeking voluntary contributions to cover our costs. Your son/daughter will still be entitled to participate in each event, even if you do not wish to make this contribution; however even a small contribution will support the overall cost. All parents must be aware that if contributions are not sufficient to meet our costs, we will have no alternative but to cancel the experience. Residential, as overnight visits, are not included and must be paid for. All experiences will be available to view on ParentPay so you may make your contribution in advance of the visits if you prefer or make smaller payments towards them.

Consent can also be given through ParentPay for each individual trip and should be done before each trip takes place. If you require a paper copy of the consent, please see the office.

If you have any questions or queries, please do not hesitate to make contact with your child's class teacher.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours faithfully

Miss Davies and Miss Cruickshanks  
Year 3 Teachers