



Welcome to Walliams Class!

Teachers: Mrs Sprigmore, Mrs Davies, Mrs Quao, Mrs Thomson and Mrs Winter

A very warm welcome back to the children and parents of **Walliams Class**. We have really enjoyed listening to the children's experiences over the Summer holidays and sharing their summer holiday homework with them. Their homework has been used to create a display in the hall and I am sure you will get the opportunity to see it during the forthcoming visits to the school.



We are very much looking forward to working in partnership with you during the forthcoming year, and as you can see from the top of this the letter we are a big staff team, who will be available if you have any worries or concerns with regards to your child's experiences at Temple Grove. If you would like to make an appointment, please speak to Tracy in the office who will of course make you an appointment with one of us.

Our timetable

Alongside the core subjects of English, Reading and Mathematics, which are taught every morning, we will also be using the school's Hub building to enjoy Art, ICT and Music lessons. These subjects take place from Monday to Friday in the afternoon. Additionally, the children's timetable includes Science, History, Geography and RE.

PE takes place on Monday and Wednesday afternoons, so please ensure PE kits are brought into school ready for these lessons. Guidance on what to supply for a PE kit is included in the children's home/school journals.

Themes & Topics

Our learning this term will be planned around the beautiful text—The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane by Kate DiCamillo. This is an adventure story set in North America. Edward is a china Rabbit who experiences a wide range of settings, identities and owners and therefore gradually learns the value of love and friendship.

Please remember to...

Bring your PE kit on Mondays and Wednesdays.

Bring your home/school journal to school daily.

Bring your reading book to school daily.

Bring a water bottle with you and keep it at the water bottle station in class.

Reading

Year 3 are expected to read every night and record the book title in their journal. For additional Dojo points the children are invited to write about their book on a leaf which is then displayed on our Reading Tree in the class.

We also look forward to meeting parents on Tuesday 10th September for a briefing about the year to come.