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20th June 2018

Dear Parents,

This half term in Year 3 we will be learning about the Islamic festival of Eid in our RE topic. During the lesson we will be focusing on the key celebration that takes place in Islam, Eid-ul-Fitr. Eid-ul-Fitr is celebrated at the end of the fasting month of Ramadan. As part of the festivities for this festival, Muslims use henna tattoos to decorate their hands as it is considered lucky. This year, the Year 3 team would like to offer the children in Year 3 the opportunity to have their own henna tattoo done at school **(on their own hand)**, to broaden their understanding of the culture and be part of the celebrations.

If your child would like to receive a henna tattoo they will need to bring in a signed permission slip. The henna used for the tattoos is made from natural materials only. However, if your child has sensitive skin or any allergies please do let us know in advance or alternatively they do not need to take part. The tattoos remain on the skin for several days after completion. Please note this is an optional activity, and no child will be required to take part.

We would also like to invite the children to design their own henna tattoos and bring them in to share with the year group.

The henna tattoo activity will be taking place the week beginning **25th June 2018**, so all slips must be in by this date. Please complete the permission slip below and return to your child's class teacher.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do ask the class teacher.

Yours faithfully,

Year 3 Team

Year 3 Henna Tattoos

Child's Name: _____ Class: _____

I give permission for my child to have a henna tattoo as part of their RE Topic

I do not give permission for my child to have a henna tattoo as part of their RE Topic

Signed _____ Date _____

Please print _____