

Week beginning

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Year 4 Newsletter



STAR moments

The last week of our first term together came around so quickly! We had fun exploring oracy techniques and presenting and filming our fantastic and powerful speeches.

We then put our new knowledge into practice and was able to judge the Year 5 and 6 speeches which were great!

As Readers, we finished reading We Are All Born Free and we created posters to display in class explaining some of the rights we read about. Ask your child to tell you about them.

Our Happy Leaves for the final week went to

4D Saifan
4R Sidrah
4L Demarie



This weeks learning..

This week, we will start our new topic 'Media Mayhem'. In this topic, we will explore a range of different ways that news is shared around the world. This term we will be reading and taking inspiration from the book by Charles Dickens, Oliver Twist.

In English, Year 4 will be analysing newspaper articles. We will explore all the journalistic features of a newspaper and the children be will rehearsing a variety of oracy techniques, such as interviewing and becoming a news presenter!

In RSHE, we will have the opportunity to learn how we can build positive relationships within the school.

In Maths this week, we are beginning to work on Maths No Problem where we will be learning about addition and subtraction within 10,000.

In D&T this half term we will be creating a light box and this links in nicely to our Science topic of electricity, where as scientists, the children will be setting up their own experiments and recording their findings in a variety of ways.

As readers, our new class text will be Grimms Fairy Tales, this includes a variety of stories written by the Brothers Grimm.

We are very much looking forward to history this term as the topic is the Industrial Revolution and in particular we will be learning how it affected the local area.

Don't forget!

P.E is on Mondays.

Fit Friday is on Friday.

You need to come into school dressed in your P.E. kit.

Over to you...Home learning

Children should continue with Times Tables Rockstars, Mathletics and Bug Club at home. On Google Classroom you will find this week's spellings and Times Tables badge practice sheets. There is also some online safety lessons which would be useful for you to look at with your children as they are going online more often.



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