

# Week beginning

13/09/21

## STAR moments

What a fantastic week we have had in year 4! The children have settled very well into their new classes and have been impressing their teachers by showing respect, supporting each other and overall having a very positive attitude to their school life. The children are very excited about our upcoming educational visit to Stubbers Adventure Centre. Could you please make sure you respond to the ParentMail sent out asking for permission for your child to attend.

A reminder of the kit list is below.

This week's happy leaves are awarded to  
4H Sekeen  
4R Daniel  
4L Raisha



# Year 4 Newsletter



## This week's learning..

We have a very busy week of learning ahead! Our Rights Theme this half term is Freedom and Safety, this theme will run through our lessons during the next few weeks.

In Guided Reading we will begin to read Azzi In Between which is about a family who has to leave their home and escape to another country on a scary journey by car and boat. This story along with the book The Arrival will begin to inspire our writing this week in English.

We will continue with Maths No Problem this year. They will be learning about numbers to 10,000.

In computing, our learning question this week is 'How do digital citizens take responsibility for themselves, their communities and their world?' This lesson will help children think beyond themselves and recognise the ripple effects of their actions.

As scientists the children will begin to identify electrical components and their symbols. The children will look at examples of the following circuit building equipment: wires, bulbs, buzzer, batteries, motor, switch. They will learn to match up to the correct symbols and use correct scientific terminology for the equipment. The children will create their own circuit to make a lightbulb illuminate and they will create labelled diagrams to show their work.

We are noticing some very aspiring artists in year 4 and this week we will continue learning about the artist Pablo Picasso. The children will be creating their own artwork inspired by his work.

In R.E. we will be learning about who influenced the life of St Francis, we will compare two different religious teachings/beliefs and say how they are similar and different to each other.

During R.S.H.E. the children are looking at the positive relationships that influence their lives.

P.E. this term sees the children working on their gymnastics skills and how to play competitive games. Finally in music the children will continue with their Rockin' Recorders work.

# Don't forget!

P.E is on Tuesday - Children need to wear their PE kit to school. Remember to bring in a jumper as the days begin to get a little colder.  
Fit Friday is on Friday - don't forget your Fit Friday T. Shirt.

We go to Stubbers on Wednesday 29th September. All information was sent to your Parentmail accounts before the summer holidays. Please complete the consent. We leave at 8:30am, and return by 5:15pm. See the Kit List below. You must have all of those items before the trip.

## Stubbers Kit List

### Kit List Things to bring with you

- A complete change of clothes including a top/sweatshirt, trousers/track bottoms, socks, underwear and trainers.
- Waterproof jacket/coat.
- Hat or cap.
- Trainers that are comfortable and can be worn if wet.
- Swimwear.
- Towel.
- Rucksack to carry personal belongings.
- Plastic carrier bag to hold wet clothing.
- Water bottle.
- No jewellery or valuables.



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