

Week beginning

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Year 4 Newsletter



STAR moments

What a great week we had last week. Sports Day was a huge success and it was lovely to see the children outdoors enjoying the day. We had another fantastic rehearsal for our Festival of Voices concert, the children are so excited to show you their performance. Please see details below how you can order your tickets.

The results from our experiment last week are in. The drink we discovered causes the most damage to our teeth is...fizzy drinks.

Ask your child how we found this out.

Our happy leaf recipients for support are:

4H: Darius
4R: Guosne
4L: Sami



This week's learning:

This week the children will continue working on our topic of Healthy Hearts.

As writers we will write instruction texts around our seasonal food and healthy menu theme. The children will also design and write instructions for a fitness game or exercise they will invent, they will then create a fitness video the following week to share with others. As mathematicians, we will learn how to describe the positions of objects and figures, how to describe positions on grids using coordinates, introduced to the x and y axes and build an understanding of how coordinates are written. They will learn how to translate shapes using the terms 'left', 'right', 'upwards' and 'downwards' and will use coordinates to describe a figure following a translation. As scientists, we will be designing skulls and teeth for a herbivore, omnivore or carnivore. As geographers we will look at the school OS map. What are the features? Can the children understand and use the key effectively? As engineers, the children will be creating and making a seasonal salad and salad dressing. Once they have done this in school maybe they can recreate it for you at home to enjoy!

Finally in RSHE this week we will be looking at how being stereotyped might make people feel. Children will have their final rehearsals for the Festival of Voices concert this week, they are sounding amazing! Please continue to encourage them at home.

Don't forget!

Festival of Voices tickets: Tickets are available through Parent Mail. You can purchase 2 tickets at £2.00 each. Further tickets will be available from the office this week if you require more than 2 tickets. Please come along and support your child, it is a wonderful experience performing at the Hackney Empire.

Over to you...Home learning

Please remember to carry on with Mathletics, Times Tables RockStars and Bug Club. We have been reminding the children that they **MUST NOT** share their passwords. We have explained that *if someone can sign in as you, you have no control over what they do or say. And everyone will think it's you!* So don't share passwords with anyone except your parents. Try to read with your child throughout the week and ask them questions about what they have read.



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