

Week beginning

30/01/2023

Year 4 Newsletter



STAR moments

Another busy week for us all in Year 4, the time is flying by! The children are so engaged in our topic this term have been showing a real passion for the rainforest.

'The monstrous machinery used to take away our glorious greenery is hurting our planet.'

(Safaa 4H/S Big Writing)

Just a very small example of some of the wonderful writing we are seeing this term.

Golden Lunch
4H/S: Thomas
4R: Olivia
4L: Edona

This week's recipients of the Happy Leaf are:
4H/S: Sara
4R: Rayhan
4L: James



This week's learning:

As you are aware school is closed to children on Wednesday due to strike action. On Tuesday 31st January children will receive a work pack from us to complete at home.

As writers this week we will be continuing our work on debates. We will use all the knowledge of how to write persuasively and use this to create an argument for or against deforestation of the rainforests.

As mathematicians we will complete our work on division.

As Geographers this week we shall look at what we could do here in the U.K. to help to save the Amazon Rainforest. How do our changes affect the rest of the world? Children will use all their learning to create a campaign to explain how and why we need to help save the Amazon.

In R.E. we will discover more about Hindu worship. We will visit a Mandir, virtually, to discover how Hindus worship here.

As artists children will be combining images of real flowers alongside different papers to create a wild rainforest floor.

Finally in R.S.H.E. we will learn what further strategies we can use to help others to cope better.

Don't forget!

We have noticed some children are coming school wearing the incorrect uniform.

Girls' School Uniform: Sweatshirt or cardigan, white polo shirt or blouse, black skirt, trousers or black knee length shorts, red, black or white tights/socks, red and white summer dress/knee length playsuit, **smart black school shoes (NO BOOTS - boots can be worn to come into school but children must wear shoes in school).**

Boys' School Uniform: sweatshirt, polo shirt, black trousers, black knee length shorts, red, black or white socks, **smart black school shoes (NO BOOTS - boots can be worn to come into school but children must wear shoes in school).** No jewellery should be worn except small stud earrings and wrist watches. Long hair must be tied back.

Over to you...Home learning

We have a spelling resource for the children to use at home. The website is www.oxfordowl.co.uk and Year 4 log on for all children is as follows:

username: staryear4

Password: spelling

There are also E - Books and E - Audio books here as well. Spellings for the week can be found on Google Classroom along with times tables tests.

Children are to continue working on Times Tables Rock Stars, Mathematics and Bug Club. On Google classroom you will find weekly Times Tables Tests alongside the weekly spellings.



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