

# Week beginning

12/06/23

# Year 4 Newsletter



## STAR moments

What a great week to come back to school! The sun eventually started to shine and it is a fantastic opportunity to be outdoors. Our final rehearsal happened on Thursday and the children are so looking forward to performing to you all on Tuesday. We have been very busy enjoying our new topic, Healthy Hearts and Year 4 have been having some great conversations about this subject, especially after our science and Design and Technology lessons. Ask your child what we talked about.

Golden Lunch:

4H/S Damien

4R: Abdullahi

4L: Narayan

Our happy leaf recipients for support are:

4HS: Sara

4R: Olivia

4L: Rhylee



## This week's learning:

**FESTIVAL of VOICES** - The time has finally arrived!!! On Tuesday 13th June the children will make their way to the Hackney Empire in preparation to wow you all with their fantastic singing. You should have received a Parent Mail with all the information. Do try your best to come along and support your child they have worked so incredibly hard.

This week the children will continue working on our topic of Healthy Hearts. This will run alongside our Multiplication Tables Check this week. We will begin testing on Thursday this week and continue into next week too. The MTC is an online test where the pupils are asked 25 questions on times tables 2 to 12. For every question you have 6 seconds to answer and in between the questions there is a 3-second rest. The questions are generated randomly based on the rules of the MTC. The children have had lots of practise and are ready to complete this check.

As writers, the children will begin creating explanation texts by composing and rehearsing sentences orally and creating draft copies of their work. As mathematicians, the children will be looking at area and perimeter. As scientists, we will continue learning about animals including humans and this week we will learn and explain why different animal feeding types have different teeth. As theologians, children will thoughtfully outline similarities and differences between different places of worship in our neighbourhood. As geographers, we will be looking at the different regions in the United Kingdom.

P.E. and Fit Friday will continue to play a big part in our Healthy Hearts topic this term. We're set for some very warm weather this week so please apply sunscreen to children in the morning.

We are looking forward to seeing you all on Tuesday at the Hackney Empire, if you require further tickets please speak to the office.

# Don't forget!

**Festival of Voices tickets:** Tickets are available through Parent Mail. You can purchase 4 tickets at £2.00 each. Further tickets will be available from the office if you require more than 4 tickets. Please come along and support your child, it is a wonderful once in a lifetime experience performing at the Hackney Empire.

## Over to you...Home learning

Please remember to carry on with Mathletics, Times Tables RockStars and Bug Club and to work on spellings that are sent home each week. Try to read with your child throughout the week and ask them questions about what they have read. Practise the times tables with your child, they need to recall them within 6 seconds of a question being asked. Have a go as a family, how quick are you?



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