### Week beginning

26/06/23

#### **STAR** moments

A very hot and humid week to work in this week, but as usual the year 4 children were superstars! They have now published their explanation texts about the digestive system, the children are so knowledgeable about this subject, ask your child what they have learnt.

Happy Leaf 4HS: Ben 4R: Abdullah 4L: Ethan

Golden Lunch 4HS: Deon 4R: Eliora 4L: Luxshe



# Year 4 Newsletter

### This week's learning:

This week the children will continue working on our topic of Healthy Hearts, and what an exciting week the children have to look forward to.

This week is outdoor maths week and on Friday, we will not be coming to school in our Fit Friday uniform as it is Rockstar day! Please support your child in being creative to dress up as a rockstar; extra house points for homemade costumes! Amongst others, we will be exploring some orienteering and playing Battleships using our maths skills. This will fit in well because as Geographers we will look at the school OS map. What are the features? Can the children understand and use the key effectively?

As writers the children will begin to write instruction texts around seasonal food and creating a healthy menu. This will link very nicely with our Design and Technology lesson where the children will be making a seasonal calendar and learning why using seasonal food is important. We will look at what ingredients we will add taking in allergies and food intolerances.

On Thursday it is Dinosaur Day! We will be visited by Sophie the T - Rex and participate in an assembly where will find information and have a discussion on palaeontologists. We will explore what a dinosaur is and when they lived. We will also be learning about fossils, what they are and how they are formed! We can't wait, a busy week ahead!

#### **Hydration**

As you are aware children are allowed to bring a bottle of water into school everyday to help them stay hydrated especially during the hot weather. Please do not send children in with glass bottles.

Golden Lunch

A child from each class is selected to have a special lunch with Ms Von on a Friday! These children will have made an excellent effort in their handwriting and presentation in their independent work.

Well done to all the children chosen this week. Enjoy your Headteacher's Golden Lunch!

#### Over to you...Home learning

Please remember to carry on with Mathletics, Times Tables RockStars and Bug Cloud 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?

As well as this, we have a new way for you to access your spellings at home!

Go to https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/ and 'class login' .

You can log on using these details:

User name: Star 4 Password: Star2022

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