

Week beginning

18/09/23

Year 4 Newsletter



STAR moments

Another fantastic week in Year 4. The children have shown how mature they are becoming by understanding and following our morning routines. They are beginning to find their voices again during our Brighter Starts and we are discovering some very enthusiastic singers! We are so looking forward to the children showing off their singing skills later in the year at Festival of Voices.

This week's Golden Lunches:

4H - Daniel
4S - Jade
4L - Tommy

This week's happy leaves are awarded to

4H - Kexin
4S - Jeremiah
4L - Leah-Rose



This week's learning..

We have another very busy week of learning ahead! We will continue with our Rights theme this half term which is Freedom and Safety.

In Shared Reading we will continue to read *Azzi In Between*. The children will be exploring the characters in the book and answering questions about what they have read. As Writers, we continue to explore narrative and the children will begin to plan their own stories.

As Mathematicians, the children will be learning how to round numbers to the nearest 10, 100, 1000 and look for patterns in numbers. In computing, we will be learning how a strong password can help protect our privacy. This lesson will help children to create a password that is secure and memorable.

As Scientists, the children will measure the temperature at which solids melt. We will introduce the concept of melting point and investigate the melting point of different materials - chocolate, butter, metal and cheese using a water bath.

As Historians we will be learning about the Civil Rights Movement, how it developed and the impact it had on history.

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 portraits inspired by his work.

In R.E. we will be learning about who and what influenced Pandurang. We will make connections between religious teachings and the lives of followers.

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.

Ask your child to show you the dance their are learning as part of our Fit Friday sessions this term.

Don't forget!

P.E is on Tuesdays - 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.

Parent Information Meeting for Year 4 parents is on Tuesday 19th September at 8.00. Come along to the community room to find out what your child will be learning this term.

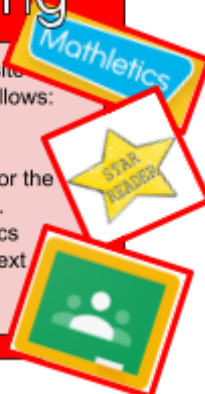
Over to you...Home learning

We have a spelling resource for the children to use at home. The website is www.oxfordowl.co.uk and the new Year 4 log on for all children is as follows:
username: starprimary4

Password: star2023

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, Athletics and Bug Club. There will be class competitions on TTRS look out for next week's winners!



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