

Year 4 Spring Term News

Welcome back!!

We hoped you've had an amazing Christmas and New Year! We are looking forward to seeing you all back in the classroom!

Year 4 Team

Maths Multiplication and division

We are going to be beginning the Spring Term by practicing our multiplication and division, with a strong focus on our times-tables!

Later on in the term, we will turn our focus onto looking at length and perimeter.

English

The Iron Man

The children start by listening to The Iron Man, asking and answering questions and making predictions. They will look at the author's use of powerful language to capture our imaginations, including similes. For the final writing task, they will create their own imaginary creature, thinking of similes and powerful noun phrases to describe it, and write a story about what happens when it encounters humans.

Creating Images

We will be introducing a topic called 'creating images'. For this topic, we will be exploring different types of poetry, and trying to create some pieces of poetry for ourselves.

Things to remember!

To bring in a piece of fruit for morning snack if needed and a bottle of water.

To have your reading diary and book in school everyday.

To have your swimming and PE kits in school when needed.

Science Living things and their habitats.

The children will be exploring animal groups and how animals can adapt to the habitats that they reside in. This topic will link closely to our Experience topic too!

PE

Year 4 will be beginning the Spring Term with a focus on hockey. Swimming will be continuing through the whole of the spring term.

Topic Together can we save the world?

The children will be investigating the answer to 'Can we save the world?' Through investigating this, we will be looking at some of the world's greatest rainforests and changes to our environment,

Year 4 Routine

PE— Monday (Oak) Thursday (Pine)

Weekly spelling test - Wednesday

Homework and Reading diaries due in —Wednesday

Swimming—Tuesday (Pine) Thursday (Oak)

Key Dates

6/1/25—Start of term

13/1/25—Launch of Reading Competition

20/1/25—Charity Day

23/1/25—Sibling Photo Day

31/1/25—Inset Day—School closed to pupils

WB 3/2/25—Children's Mental Health Week

10/2/25—Spelling Bee Launch

11/2/25—Online Safety Day

14/2/25—Last day of half term

Pre-loved Sale in Small Hall 3pm

Computing

This term, the children will be learning about self-image and identity and online relationships.

PSHE

During our PSHE lessons this term, we will be looking closely at our personal health and hygiene.

