

Year 4 Spring News!

KEY DATES

23.02.21 - Children return to school/learning

01.03.21 - World book day

08.03.21 - Reports home

Welcome to our Year 4 children learning at home and to their amazing home teachers. As you will be aware, our home learning is in full swing and we so appreci-

PSHE

As you will be aware, PSHE (Personal, social, health and economic education) is hugely important and will continue over the Spring Term. We are going to look at ways we can tie this to other areas of learning so that it is intrinsic to everything we do. A great example would be our topic work coming up and I am sure the adults may find it equally useful.

Maths

We will continue to focus on adding and subtracting while introducing further word based problems and challenges. There will be a range of strategies introduced for both addition and subtraction. This will then move to other operations depending on their progress.

Science

We are moving on to investigating sound and then planning and carrying out some experiments linked to our topic work.

Things to remember!

Gates will be open from 8:45am-9:05am every morning and from 2:50pm-3:10pm in the afternoon. Please wear a mask when collecting your child. Staff will also be wearing masks on the door. Please social distance on the school grounds and please remember to not crowd around the classroom doors.

English, spelling and phonics

We will continue to update the spelling lists for your child through our online platforms.

In English, we are moving on to some really interesting Space Explorer non fiction writing. This will be a really enjoyable three or more weeks based around space travel and writing creatively.

If you get a chance to watch any space based documentaries or catch some Space X launches on YouTube that would be great!



PE

While the keyworker group complete their PE lesson on a Friday afternoon, feel free to take part in some morning Joe Wicks workouts or GoNoodle and other activities we will provide on your working from home packs!

Topic-Rainforest

We are going to be looking at the very important topic of the rainforest. This will include the impact that we have had on this immensely diverse ecosystem. If you get a chance, perhaps watch through some of the recent documentaries available online- in particular the David Attenborough ones about Planet Earth and more recent ones will really get them thinking about our planet.

Year 4 routine

Monday-

Keyworker children to wear PE kit to school

Friday-

Email your teacher your spelling test result

If your child is attending school as a keyworker child please remember to dress them warmly e.g. long sleeve top under their school uniform. We



Home work-Reading

Keyworker children will be reading in class weekly with an adult.

Home learners please continue to use Bug Club to read with your child each day.

Please record this in your child's reading diary.