

Year 4 News

Friday 25th November 2022

Another fantastic week!

This week we have been thinking about characters and how best to describe them, focusing on the structure of the three times table, learning capital cities of Europe, collecting data in our computing lessons, enjoying the sunshine (in between the showers) in our PE lessons and much, much more! A big well done to all the children for their hard work.

Thank you for your continued support.
Mrs Walker, Mrs Skinner, Mrs Keilty and Mrs Glanville

HOME LEARNING

Reading – We would like to ask the children to remember to record their home reading each day in their reading records. **Children should aim to read at home for 15-20mins daily.** This may be reading to an adult or independent reading.

Spellings – Each week, words chosen from the year 3/4 spelling list will be given as words to learn. **This week's word are: recent and recently** (note the /s/ sound spelt with the letter <c>)

Maths – This week we would like the children to complete MyMaths activities linked to our current times tables focus. Remember, MyMaths login information can be found inside the front cover of your child's Reading Record.

Times tables – Times tables are key to so many areas of maths so we would like children to try to spend a little bit of time practising regularly - every day if possible! This could be 5 mins on TTrackstars, quickfire questions, games such as tables bingo, or any other way you can think of to practise! Children can log on at <https://play.ttrackstars.com>

Times Table of the week this week is: 6X

Optional Extras – Sometimes children are keen to do something extra linked to their learning. We will give ideas but there is no requirement to complete these tasks. Our geography theme this half term is 'Europe'. If children would like to do an optional extra this half term, they could choose another continent of the world to research.

SUBJECT SPECIFIC VOCABULARY

Each week we will share vocabulary linked to the learning we have planned for the coming week. It is really helpful for the children to become familiar with some of these words before they meet them in their lessons. There is no need to produce any work linked to these words, a conversation at home about the words would be brilliant!

Words for this week:

Noun **adjective** **preposition** **phrase**
Multiple odd even adjacent

NOTICES

Cold weather - As the weather turns chillier, we are still keeping our classrooms well ventilated. An extra layer, such as a vest, t-shirt or base-layer, worn underneath school shirts can make a real difference so please encourage your child to layer up!

Coats – please name these so they can be returned quickly if misplaced. Thank you