

Year 4 News

Friday 18th September 2022

What a busy week!

This week we have been singing and dancing to ABBA, recapping our French vocabulary, learning about the digestive system, focusing on clauses, phrases and sentences in our English lesson and doing lots of adding in maths!

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 – Children have now all been given a reading book. Children should aim to read at home for 15-20mins daily. This may be reading to an adult or independent reading. Please record reading in the green reading record.

Spellings – Each week, words chosen from the year 3/4 spelling list will be given as words to learn. This week's word are: mention and position

Maths – Activities will be set on MyMaths each week to follow up in class learning or revisit key skills. Children should spend no more than 30mins per week on these tasks. This week, there are two activities to practise column addition.

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: 3x

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 history theme this half term is 'Ancient Egyptian Beliefs'. If children would like to do an optional extra this half term, they could choose another aspect of Ancient Egyptian life 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:

Setting description image picture
subtract take away column difference

NOTICES

Our usual PE days are:

4WS – Mon and Wed 4K – Tues and Thurs

Children should have their kit in school every day (just in case it rains on PE days and we have a little swap around!).

Jewellery – school policy states the following are allowed: one pair of stud earrings and a watch. These have to be removed for PE. If ears have been recently pierced (and therefore can't be removed), earrings have to be taped over. Some children may prefer not to wear their earrings at all on PE days.