

Year 3/4 News

Friday 19th July 2024

Dear All,

What a fantastic penultimate week the children have had! They have got stuck into making their electronic board games, created some wonderful set of instructions in English and loved delving into our unit on coordinates in maths. They also enjoyed putting all their French vocabulary to use by playing games with year 6! On Wednesday, the children enjoyed getting to spend some time in their new classrooms and interacting with their lovely classmates. We hope they have a lovely final week and a lovely summer when we get there.

Mrs Keilty, Miss Dowd, Miss Jackson and Mrs Skinner

HOME LEARNING

Reading – If you have any queries about your child's reading, please use the Reading Records to pass on any comments to the teacher. **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 – As it is the last week we will be sending home any spelling homework, however, please can we ask year 3 children to practise the year 3 and 4 statutory spellings and the year 4 children to begin looking at year 5 statutory spellings, or any year 3 and 4 ones they are unsure on.

We have included the spellings on the back of the homework for your information.

Maths – Please complete this week's maths homework on My Maths.

Year 3 - please complete the work set on 'Co-ordinates'

Year 4 - please complete the work set on 'Co-ordinates'.

Optional Extras –

How about using those amazing Super 6 writing skills to create a 'Reflection Diary' about all of the best/most memorable times you've enjoyed this year! You could even include some pictures using our drawing skills learnt in art!

SUBJECT SPECIFIC VOCABULARY

Science – habitat, vertebrate, invertebrate, arachnid

Reading – endangered, species, hunted, extinction, life-span

Computing – bassline, beat, melody, chord

NOTICES:

- We have a VERY special treat planned for your children on Tuesday afternoon as a reward for all their hard work and contributions towards the bake sale. So, thanks again to all of you who donated, bought or baked! We really appreciate it and have decided to treat the children with the money raised for our year group.
- The last day of school is **Thursday 25th July**. Please can we remind you to pop a plastic bag in your child's bag to carry their school books home in.

Year 3-4 Statutory Spellings

accident(ally)	famous	particular
actual(ly)	favourite	peculiar
address	February	perhaps
answer	forward(s)	popular
appear	fruit	position
arrive	grammar	possess(ion)
believe	group	possible
bicycle	guard	potatoes
breath	guide	pressure
breathe	heard	probably
build	heart	promise
busy/business	height	purpose
calendar	history	quarter
caught	imagine	question
centre	increase	recent
century	important	regular
certain	interest	reign
circle	island	remember
complete	knowledge	sentence
consider	learn	separate
continue	length	special
decide	library	straight
describe	material	strange
different	medicine	strength
difficult	mention	suppose
disappear	minute	surprise
early	natural	therefore
earth	naughty	though/although
eight/eighth	notice	thought
enough	occasion(ally)	through
exercise	often	various
experience	opposite	weight
experiment	ordinary	woman/women
extreme		

Years 5-6 Statutory Spellings

accommodate	embarrass	parliament
accompany	environment	persuade
according	equip (-ped, - ment)	physical
achieve	especially	prejudice
aggressive	exaggerate	privilege
amateur	excellent	profession
ancient	existence	programme
apparent	explanation	pronunciation
appreciate	familiar	queue
attached	foreign	recognise
available	forty	recommend
average	frequently	relevant
awkward	government	restaurant
bargain	guarantee	rhyme
bruise	harass	rhythm
category	hindrance	sacrifice
cemetery	identity	secretary
committee	immediate(ly)	shoulder
communicate	individual	signature
community	interfere	sincere(ly)
competition	interrupt	soldier
conscience*	language	stomach
conscious*	leisure	sufficient
controversy	lightning	suggest
convenience	marvellous	symbol
correspond	mischievous	system
criticise (critic + ise)	muscle	temperature
curiosity	necessary	thorough
definite	neighbour	twelfth
desperate	nuisance	variety
determined	occupy	vegetable
develop	occur	vehicle
dictionary	opportunity	yacht
disastrous		