

Year 3/4 News

Friday 15th March 2024

Dear All,

It has been another lovely week in year 3 and 4 this week! The children have enjoyed creating verses with rhyming couplets for our class stories; 'Do Not Open This Book'. We are looking forward to showcasing this on both parents' evenings for you all to see. In DT, we loved investigating different fruit and vegetable packaging to see where our food comes from in preparation for planning our own seasonal soups. Finally, in maths we have finished up our multiplicative reasoning unit and are excited to begin our new unit on fractions next week!

All the best
The Year 3/4 Teaching Team
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 – Practise spelling these; *expression, discussion, confession, permission, admission, impression, obsession, procession, omission and concussion*

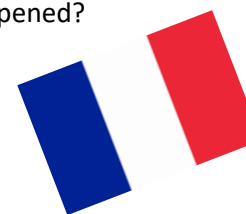
Maths – Activities will be set on MyMaths each week to follow up in class learning or revisit key skills. Children should spend no more than 30mins per week on these tasks.

Y3's please could you login and complete the task based on the distributive law.

Y4's please could you login and complete the task based on the distributive law.

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! Children can log on at <https://play.trockstars.com> and <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button>.

Optional Extras – We are always happy to see any extra homework that children may wish to complete at home, but this is totally optional! This week and next week, the children are exploring a French national holiday; Bastille Day! You might like to research this further at home. Maybe you might like to create an informative fact file? An engaging poster? Or a short story explaining what happened?



SUBJECT SPECIFIC VOCABULARY

Science – condensation, evaporation, precipitation, transpiration

Maths – fraction, part, whole, half, quarter

Reading – pondering, manoeuvre, hesitating, trendsetter, suffice

RE – Holy week, salvation, gospel, obedience

NOTICES:

Don't forget, parents evening is on Monday 18th March and Wednesday 20th March for 3/4D and 3/4J.

3/4K's are on Monday 18th March and Thursday 21st March.

Next week, the children will be lighting their own fires so if you would like to send them in with some marshmallows then please feel free too.