Week beginning

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Year 4 Newsletter

Magic Moments!

What a busy week Maths week was.

It was lovely using a story to inspire our maths learning. Our year went on a trip to Egypt to explore the adventures inside a pyramid. We sorted, hunted, matched and built 3D shapes. We became experts in describing them too.

In topic, we wrote a rallying speech in role of Boudicca. The children enjoyed writing about their experience after showing acting skills previously.

English saw us exploring poems, rhyming words to use in couplets and eventually writing our own short poems.

A Peek at the Week...

This week:

In English, we will be revisiting fronted adverbials during our SPAG session and working on extending the range of sentences with more than one clause by using a wider range of conjunctions including: when, if, because, although. We will also be thinking about using paragraphs to organise our writing.

In science, we will be looking at the wildlife found in and around Towers and challenging ourselves to sort the animals from one big group into smaller and eventually single categories.

For Topic, we will be looking closely at the Battle of Colchester between the Romans and Boudicca.

Don't Forget!

To keep on reading at home and noting this in your planners. The expectation is four reads in a week to get a tick on our reading chart. Also, continuing to learn your times tables.

Over to you... Home Learning

Homework is set every MONDAY and due in the following Monday. This week Year 4 have the following online tasks to complete.

Maths: A 3D shapes task has been set for you.

Spelling Shed – Please practise your weekly spellings.

Purple Mash: A 2Do has been set about Boudicca based on the Roman topic.

Spellings

This week – The spellings are challenge words.

complete	February
continue	naughty
experiment	material
famous	knowledge
favourite	remember

We will be sending the spelling books home after the spellings test on a Monday. It will have the new list of words in it ready for you to practise over the next week. Please ensure the books are returned the following Monday.

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