Week beginning

23.11.2020

Year 4 Newsletter

Magic Moments!

This week Year 4 held their own sports championship with all pupils challenging themselves and each other on a variety of different activities such as the 'Shuttle Run'. The children worked cooperatively to record each other's efforts. It was lovely to see everyone so focused and so energetic! We're ready for the Olympics- whenever they may be!

We have also been busy with 'Friendship Week', thinking about how we can help other people feel more welcome and valued. The children had lots of ideas to contribute to discussions.

A Peek at the Week...

Last week we practised adding 'show not tell' to our writing where, as authors, we added hints about how our characters were feeling, for example 'my heart pounded so hard that I felt dizzy!' This week we will be completing a reading comprehension assessment as well as a writing assessment which will give us a chance to show off all we have learned- expanded noun phrases, fronted adverbials, speech, 'show not tell', paragraphs...

In Topic, we will be investigating life in Roman times. What was life like if you were rich? What kind of meals were available?

This week in Maths we will be completing assessments in arithmetic and reasoning and looking for patterns in multiplication tables.

In Science, we are continuing to look at classification and this week we will be focusing on invertebrates. Be prepared for creepy crawlies!

Don't Forget!

Please remember to return letters regarding the flu vaccine. Even if your child is not having the vaccine, the letter should still be returned.

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.

MyMaths: This week the Maths homework is on about Perimeter again. Continue to practise the times tables to ensure you can recall multiplication facts quickly and accurately.

Reading Eggs: We have completed "The Roman Empire and Britain" but if you did not finish all the chapters, look for the book in the library. Please remember to complete two lessons from your individual Reading Eggs map every week. We will be checking!

Google Classroom: Improve your understanding of coding by completing the 2Do tasks set on Purple Mash.

Spellings

The rule of the week is:

The suffix "-ly" is added to make adverbs.

usually finally beautifully thoughtfully

wonderfully carefully faithfully peacefully

cruelly generally

Remember to practise your spellings on Spelling Shed.

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