Year 4 Newsletter

Week beginning

15.01.24

Magic Moments!

This week 4Ch have enjoyed experimenting with sound. Our current Science topic enabled us to explore how sound travels and the affect a tuning fork can have within water.

In 4Co this week, we have enjoyed building on our knowledge of toning and shading to paint 3D pictures.

4RL had great fun finding out more about Egypt, and specifically the River Nile. We were able to share our current knowledge and posed some interesting questions that we would like to find the answers to through this half term.

A Peek at the Week...

This week:
As part of our English, we will be exploring Egypt and using our knowledge to advertise it as a holiday destination. This will involve investigating the various techniques for persuading.

In our GPS sessions we will be focusing on the reasons for starting a new paragraph and deciding how to split texts into meaningful paragraphs.

As mathematicians, we will be continuing our topic of multiplication and division (part 2). We will be focusing on factor pairs, using factor pairs, multiplying by 10 and 100 as well as dividing by 10 and 100.

In Religious Education this week, we will be learning more about the festival of Divali and the meaning behind it.

In Learning Challenge, we will be comparing life in Ancient Britain with that in Ancient Egypt. What was similar? How did the two differ?

Don't Forget!

As we have begun a new term, we have begun to study a new topic in art. This topic allows for a lot of experimenting with colour. Therefore, we will be using paint and other materials. If you haven't already done so, please could you provide your child(ren) with a named art shirt to allow for their uniform to be protected.

Over to you: Home Learning

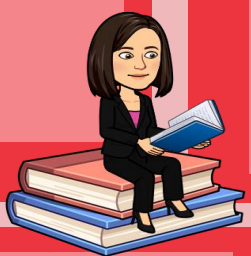
Homework this week:

Maths: Mymaths task – making factor pairs, using factor pairs and revision of times tables.

Reading: Read four times each week and sign the planner.

Spelling Shed: Log-on to practise this week's spellings.

CGP Grammar book: Complete pages 64 and 65.



Spellings

There should be a copy of these words in your child's book or planner.

Group 1

Words
obey
disobey
osprey
prey
convey
they
survey
surveyor
conveyor
grey

Group 2

courageous
outrageous
nervous
famous
adventurous
disadvantageous
ridiculous
carnivorous
rapturous
torturous

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