



Year 4 Term 3 Newsletter



English - In Guided reading, we will be reading 'Charlotte's Web'. We will be focussing on extracts from the book to develop our retrieval, inference, summary and prediction skills.

In English, we will be developing our skills to help us retell the story of 'The Wolves in the Walls' as well as writing a non-chronological report about recycling and eco-friendly materials.

Maths - In Year 4 we are continuing to learn our multiplication facts. It is something that we need lots of support with at home! This term we are learning our 11 and 12 facts. We will be continuing to embed the 6,7 and 9 facts as well.



We will also be looking at written methods for addition and subtraction. If you see the knowledge organiser below you will see the methods we are learning in class and can support us at home by using these methods.

Science – Rocks, Fossils and Soils

In science we will be learning about rocks, soils and fossils. We will compare and group together different kinds of rocks based on their appearance and physical properties. We will describe how fossils are formed when things that have lived are trapped within rock.

What else are we learning?

ART/ DT- DT Unit- designing and making Egyptian collars

PSHE- Dreams and Goals

PE- Gymnastics

RE- Judaism and learning about how important it is for Jewish people to do what God asks them to do.

Music- The children will be completing a unit all about composing their own music. They will develop key musical skills as well as answer the social question: How does music make the world a better place?

Computing- we will be looking at repetition and loops within programming. Pupils will create programs by planning, modifying, and testing commands to create shapes and patterns.

Topic – History – Egyptians

There is so much we will be learning, but here are a few key learning questions – look at the knowledge organizer for more!

- Who were the Ancient Egyptians?
- Why was the Nile important?
- What was mummification?
- Who was Howard Carter?

What do we need to remember?

Read 3 times a week

Practise multiplication as much as you can- don't forget to us doodle tables!

All children must now have a waterproof coat and a change of shoes for outdoor learning every Wednesday.

