



Year 4 Term 3 Newsletter

Welcome to Term 3

Welcome back for the third term at The Croft! We are so excited to welcome all the children back and hear about their half term stories and adventures. We are all very excited for this term as it is packed full of memorable learning experiences!

Upon their return to school, we hope the children will be pleased to catch up with friends and share their half term Christmas experiences. We are also hoping to continue to build upon the expectations and progress that were achieved last term. We are very excited to watch each of the children continue to build, grow and develop within their learning to allow their Year 4 journey continue to progress.



The Wolves in the Walls



Charlotte's Web

This term, our Writing lessons will be based on writing to entertain, using The Wolves in the Walls as a starting point. The children will retell the story and create a non-chronological report inspired by the text. Throughout the term, we will develop a variety of writing skills.

In Reading, we will explore the classic story Charlotte's Web, build comprehension and vocabulary skills while discussing the themes and characters in depth.

In maths we will be completing our times table knowledge in learning up to 12 x 12 using all of the facts we have learned so far. As well as this we will be visiting formal written methods of addition and subtraction.

Our science topic this term is sound in which we will learn about how sounds are made, how we hear them and how we can protect our ears from loud sounds and noises.

In computing, we will be learning how to identify input and output devices used to record and play sound which will also link to our science unit of sound this term. The children will be recording their own podcast and build upon this each week and learn how to edit and even add in some jingles!

In PE this term, we will be learning Tennis practicing movement skills such as rallying, forehand and backhand as well as learning the rules and tactics within games.

In History our focus will be on Anglo-Saxons with an exciting workshop this term to learn about how Anglo-Saxon's lived as well as making our very own Anglo-Saxon stew in DT. This will help us in preparation for our Anglo-Saxon play towards the end of Term 3 with more information to follow.

Homework will continue to be given out on a Friday and will be due in on the following Wednesday. It will be 5 reads in the reading record, one multiplication page and spellings on alternative weeks there will be a piece of maths or English homework. The spelling homework will follow the weekly focus. We would like children to read at home at least 5 times per week. This should be recorded in reading records please.

Many thanks for your continued support! We look forward to sharing another fantastic term with you all!

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Please email if there is anything you wish to discuss

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