

Compassion Trust Wisdom Fellowship Friendship Peace

Class News Monday 23rd November 2020

Year 4

Maths – Our focus, this week, will be time. After a short recap lesson to assess 'telling the time skills' - we will move on to problem solving. The children will convert minutes to seconds, hours to minutes and days to hours. On completion of the time module we will start co-ordinates.

English – We will start the week with comprehension work, focussing on answering in full sentences. During the week the children will add to their lighthouse story. Having written the introduction, the children will develop the main character. The focus will be trying to show what the character is like by describing his appearance, movements and actions.

Foundation – In science we will continue learning about sound. The children will learn about pitch and amplitude. In history we will consider the Anglo Saxon villages. How the Anglo Saxons lived? In RE the children will learn about Christingle.

Homework

Times tables homework will go home on Monday and must be returned by Thursday. Times tables are tested each Thursday. Weekly spellings are introduced each Friday and tested the following Friday. The spellings are listed below:

- chef
- chalet
- machine
- brochure
- probably
- promise

There is a shorter spelling list this week as the children will also be bringing home their words for the nativity. I would like the children to practise these words and to try to learn them.

Other news:

The children have begun to learn the actions for a Christmas song, ready for the nativity. They will be given a reading to learn. All Year 4 children will be shepherds. They will not need full costume but will require something to wear on their head – the standard tea towel. Mrs Helen Dewar