



Compassion

Trust

Wisdom

Fellowship

Friendship

Peace

This week in Year 4

Monday 3rd February

English:

This week we will continue with our unit, 'Myths and Legends' with a focus on legends of the sea. In this unit your child will listen to mythical stories of selkies and mermaids. The children will be focusing on using dialogue and writing a conversation between different characters from the story 'Can You Catch a Mermaid?'.

Spellings:

This week the children will be learning their star spellings. The children will bring home their spellings on **Monday 3rd February** to learn for the spelling test on **Monday 10th February**.

Maths:

This week we will be continuing with the unit on Multiplication and Division. We will start the week by learning how to divide by 10 and 100. We will then be using a variety of informal written methods to multiply a 2-digit number by a 1-digit number. We are also focusing on the rapid recall of the times tables.

Homework:

Homework will be sent out on Wednesdays and needs to be returned to school by the following Monday. I have spoken to the children about this and have suggested ways in which they can organise their time to ensure their homework is handed in on time. This week's homework will include an English activity, and a Mathematics activity. There will be further information given with regards to your child's homework on Wednesday.

Other Matters:

- The children will have their PE lesson on Mondays and Fridays, they will need to remember to bring their PE kit in on those days.
- Please encourage your child to read daily at home and sign their reading record, I have informed the children that I will be checking their reading records every Friday.
- **Please encourage your child to access TTRS at least three times a week.** They can also use [Multiplication Tables Check - Mathsframe](#) or [Hit the Button - Quick fire maths practise for 6-11 year olds](#) to help them learn their times tables.
- Please can you ensure your child has the correct equipment in their pencil case – they must have writing pencils, pen (if they have been awarded their pen licence), 30cm ruler, whiteboard pens, glue stick and a rubber – thank you.
- My email address is a.brech@tssfirst.co.uk should you need to contact me.