

Class Newsletter

Spring Term



MATHS

In maths this term we will be carrying on with understanding of multiplication and division before exploring the length and perimeter of different shapes. We are also learning about fractions, equivalent fractions and non-unit fractions before looking mass and capacity and the different units that measure different things.

READING

In reading this term we have just started learning about Louis Braille and what lead him to becoming fully blind and how playing dominoes gave him a great idea and invention! Then we will move on to 'The Accidentals' series of books – Prime Minister, Secret Agent and Billionaire! We will also embrace British Science Week March 6th – March 15th.



WRITING

In writing this term we are coming to the end of our persuasive advert writing and moving onto writing descriptive pieces, focusing particularly on similes, imagery and precise nouns. So instead of generalising and saying there is a bird in the tree, being more precise and saying which bird is in which kind of tree. A way of painting a clearer picture in our readers minds.

WIDER CURRICULUM

In the wider curriculum this term we are going to be learning about the changes the UK has experienced over time. In Art we will be exploring how drawing short, straight lines can change the way an object already drawn looks on the page. In science we will be looking at forces and magnets and in History we will be looking at the Shang Dynasty.

THINGS TO REMEMBER....

PE Kits – Our PE days are Tuesday afternoon (with a sports coach) and Friday AM – same day, different time this term.

Homework due day – I am going to start rolling out some simple grammar homework, I will never send any homework where the topic is new so it will all be aspects the children have worked on in school.

Reading book change day – Library books (Tuesday) Accelerated Reader books (Friday, usually)

Dojo- Dojo cannot be checked regularly throughout the day due to me teaching. If you have anything you would like to discuss urgently, please ring the office or speak to me at the end of the day.