

Year 4

Well can you believe that it is the beginning of another term again? Although the Year 4 staff will now be back in school teaching and supporting the returning children, we will continue to be accessible via email although we may not be able to pick these up quite as regularly as we were before. We will still be checking our emails at least daily though so please contact us if you have any queries, concerns or want to share something fantastic your child has done. We do love to hear how well they are all doing.

Maths

We are continuing to use the White Rose Maths home learning site. This week you will need to log in to access the work. Once into www.whiterosemaths.com you need to click on the orange 'premium resource centre' tab on the top right of the screen. Click on either 'My account' or 'login' and then enter the following information. Username = parent Password = DeanshangerP1!

Once signed in click on 'Download Resources' and then 'Year 4' under the Primary section. You then need to click on 'Week 4'

You can watch videos to support each lesson by clicking on the pink 'Video links' tab. Against each lesson tab, if you click on the fourth image which resembles a pen writing on paper this will give you the learning task. They key provides you parents with the answers so you can check and quickly tick or cross the work.

This week you need to go to week 4 and complete the 4 lessons.

- Multiplying and dividing problem solving
- Perimeter of a rectangle
- Perimeter of a rectilinear shape
- Area – counting squares

On Friday do a soundcheck in TTRockstars and complete at least 4 studio sessions and 4 garage sessions.

If you need any extra support for your Maths work then have a look on the BBC bitesize website and the Parents area of the Twinkl website where there have been lots of free resources uploaded to help you

<https://www.twinkl.co.uk/resources/parents>

English - Reading and Writing □

Please ensure that your child is reading 30 minutes a day and that you are reading with your child often and they are recording it in their 'Home School Diary'. Remember to try the new <https://www.myon.co.uk/login/index.html> website which has lots of different books. All of these books are linked to accelerated reader and are included on your word count ☺.

A reminder that there are quizzes to complete on spelling and grammar on <https://www.spag.com/>. Have a go at a couple if you haven't already.

For spellings we'd like children to continue to practise the Year 3/4 Spelling List. Also look at this link <https://spellingframe.co.uk/guest/word-list/19919>. This week we would like you to choose 10 words from this list to find the meaning of and to write them in a sentence.

The following link provides daily tasks for writing and grammar with images for inspiration:

<https://www.pobble365.com>

Our writing task this week will use our new reading website <https://www.myon.co.uk/login/index.html>. You can log in using your accelerated reader username and password.

Our first task for this week is to explore this website by;

1. Picking your favourite topics to read by clicking 'see more' and clicking on the 3 hearts at the top of the page. Then choose your favourite topics to read using the smiley faces.
2. Create your own avatar
3. Pick a book to start reading by clicking on library and selecting a book.

4. When reading your book use the dictionary tab to find the meaning of 2 words.
5. From the book you are reading, use the journal tab to copy phrases that you like. These could be phrases that use ambitious vocabulary, interesting openers or description, a fact you enjoyed reading or something that made you laugh.

Next take a look at our first project to complete by clicking on projects at the top of the home page. This project is linked to our science/topic activity so we would like you to research the world's oceans. The project has two parts a research section and a writing section. You could copy facts that you find while reading into your journal to help when you are writing your fact file. The project also includes a checklist to help you guide you towards facts that you need to find.

Computing

This week we would like you to understand what an algorithm is. Take a look at this website and watch both videos <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zs7s4wx/articles/zqrq7ty>. After watching the video, in which the class discuss their work, we would like you to create your own map and write a procedure with a list of clear commands (instructions).

Science/Topic

This week the first task is linked to your writing task on the myON website. We would like you to focus on oceans.

Task 1:

First we need to know the names of the oceans so please look at this website and watch the clips.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z849q6f/articles/zmqwscw> Then create a fact file about oceans or play the quiz on the website.

Task 2:

Next watch this clip about animal adaptation in oceans <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/clips/zs2jmp3>. Choose an animal found in the oceans and annotate how they are adapted to living in the ocean.

French

In French we would like to focus our learning this week on animals. Please use this website <https://www.french-games.net/frenchtopics> and select the topic animals and then select pet. We would like you to watch the tutorial before playing the game. You can watch the tutorial numerous times to practice saying the word and perfect your pronunciation.

Art

This week we would like you to create some magic art work using water. Take a look at some of this clip and create one using your own ideas.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KX19xFfaRo8>

PE with Joe – Get your dancing shoes on! Take a look at this website and try the dance task. Can you learn the whole dance?

<https://www.peplanning.org.uk/peathome.html>

PSHE - to support your child's wellbeing we have included a review for the children to complete which could help process their thoughts and lead discussions about their worries and moments they are proud of during this time.

Other sites: <https://www.twinkl.co.uk/resources/covid19-school-closure> and <https://www.hamilton-trust.org.uk/blog/learning-home-packs>