

Year Four Newsletter

Term : Autumn 2

Welcome to Year 4/



Message from your teachers

Firstly, we just want to congratulate all of the children for their hard work during our first term in Autumn 1. All of the children have made fantastic progress in our mid-term assessments. We are looking forward to another busy term in Autumn 2 where we will learn all about our topic: Hogarth by Night. As always, thank you for your continued support with the children's learning. Mrs Strutt and Mrs Smith

we will be learning this term ...

Our topic for this half term is 'Hogarth by Night'. We will be having a very exciting beginning to this term; starting with our art week learning about life drawing focussing on the artist Monet for inspiration. We will also be learning about sound and electricity in science; learning to describe how sound is made and understanding and making electrical circuits. We will be taking part in an exciting hook to begin this unit, where we will make our own musical instruments. In English, we will be using our writing skills to write a non-fiction piece of writing thinking carefully about the environment. Excitingly, we will be entering our writing into 'The Great Green Read' competition. In reading, we will also be learning about the environment consolidating our non-fiction comprehension skills. In maths this term, we will continue to work on addition and subtraction involving four digit numbers before moving on to calculating area. Finally, we will begin our learning of multiplication and division. Focussing on the timetables 6,7,9,11 and 12. In design and technology, we will be learning all about textiles and learning to create simples patterns and join materials using various stitches and fastenings.

Reminders/Important Dates

- PE is every <u>Wednesday</u>. Please ensure that children come dressed in Black/White kit on this day and that jewellery have been removed.
- Reading every day
- Times table practise
- Homework due in on Wednesdays

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