



Class 4 newsletter

23rd October 2015



What have we been doing this week?

Science enrichment day

We really enjoyed learning all about space for a full day. It was lovely to see how many children brought in their own space books from home. Some of the activities we completed included writing a postcard from space, making planet artwork and trying astronaut food!



Maths

This week we have been identifying and describing the properties of 2D and 3D shapes. Some of us went on a shape walk to find 3D shapes in school!

English

The children applied their writing skills and created fantastic descriptions of the setting in Charlie and the Chocolate Factory. We also learnt about contractions and how words can be made smaller by using an apostrophe.

Week beginning

2nd November

Monday: Library books

Tuesday: PE kit

Wednesday: PE kit, spelling and homework books

Thursday: Flapjack day, bring 50p if you would like a drink or flapjack at playtime

Blue group show and tell. Please bring in something which is special to you.

Please remember to bring your book bag to school and hand in your reading record each day.

What are we doing next week..?

English

We will be looking at Traditional tales for the next few weeks and story book language such as 'Once upon a time' and 'happily ever after'. We will also be comparing traditional versions to new alternative versions. To begin with, we will focus on Goldilocks and the three bears and then seeing the story from Baby Bear's point of view. During the holiday please read or tell as many traditional tales as you can.

Maths

In maths we will be using the inverse relationship between addition and subtraction and we will use these skills to solve missing number problems. This will involve recognising that an addition or subtraction calculation can be reversed to find a missing number.

Topic

After half term, our new topic will be 'Toy Story'. The children will be learning about the history of toys and how they have changed over the years. In Design and Technology, we will also be making our own moving toys too.

Science

In Science, we will begin to identify different materials.

PE

In PE, we will begin our gymnastic sessions.

Music

In Music, we will be looking at rhythm and its role in music.