

Year 3/4 Spring 1 Newsletter



Welcome back!

I hope everyone had a magical Christmas break and are ready to be back for a packed Spring 1 Term. We have lots of exciting topics, a superb trip linked to our Roman topic, our class worship at church and a disco organised by our amazing PTA! I can't wait to get going and I'm sure that you can't either.

PE

Our PE day is Wednesday and children need an indoor kit (t-shirt, shorts and pumps). We will be taking part in Dance with RDDC and will do PE inside this half term. Earrings **MUST** be covered with a plaster or removed. It is essential that kits are sent in with all items included and named.

Swimming will continue on a Thursday. The children were fantastic last term and made superb progress. Please ensure that kit is in each week so this great progress continues.

Our topic

In History our new topic is Why Did the Romans Invade and Settle in Britain? We will be looking at lots of aspects of Roman life, culminating in a trip to Ribchester Roman Museum!

Science for the full term is The Amazing Human Body where we will look at skeletons and the digestive system.

In Computing we are carrying out Programming by looking at Repetition in Shapes.

In Art Year 3 will be looking at Shape and Colour

Our RE topic is focusing on Sikhism - How do Sikhs express their beliefs and values?

Year 4 will be Starting Survival Stars on a Friday afternoon and visiting Whitehough to show off their skills at the end of term!

Diary Dates

Monday 19th January- Year 3/4 class worship at Church at 9.15am. All Parents are welcome.

Friday 30th January- KS2 Lego robotics workshop at 9.15am.

Friday 6th February- Year 4 trip to Whitehough activity Centre (survival stars.)

Wednesday 11th February- Year 3/4 trip to Ribchester Museum.

Friday 13th February- The Young Voices Choir trip to The Co-op for the young voices choir.

Break up for half term (normal time.)

Homework

Children will be taking home a new take away menu this half term. Please support your child to complete as much of this as possible. Remember, homework books have your child's TTRS/Numbots log in details inside. Again, please encourage them to access these as much as possible.

Reading at home. The expectation is that children read at least once a week at home. However, please try to read with your child as much as possible as the more children are read to, and are read with, the better they are across the curriculum. Many children are still not reading at home and this is negatively affecting the progress they could make. If a child reads three times or more they will be entered into our reading raffle.

Class Birthdays this half term:

George, Ethan We, Ethan Wi, Macie

Happy Birthday!

