



Year 4 Homework Letter – Friday 24th February 2023

Our Learning This Week

English

In English this week, we have finished reading and studying the text of 'The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe' by completing and writing up our own version of the story. After much preparation, including the creation of their own story boards, writing a story mountain and then writing a draft of each paragraph the children wrote their story up in neat using cursive script. Their stories were an adaptation of the original and had to include the use of paragraphs, correct punctuation, fronted adverbials, expanded noun phrases and conjunctions. The children have worked very hard and I am looking forward to reading and marking them.

Maths

This week the children have started their new topic learning about fractions. We began this block by understanding the whole and recapping the part-whole relationship of fractions. The children then built on their knowledge of the whole to explore fractions greater than 1. We then further developed the children's understanding of mixed numbers and exploring partitioning mixed numbers in different ways - a skill that will be vital for later steps in this unit of study. We finished the week by learning how mixed numbers are represented on a number line.

P.E

The children are continuing with quick sticks for the first part of this half term and their lessons continue to take place on Tuesday afternoons.

Love Project

As part of our spring term Love Project, we are once again supporting the Southwark Diocese Lent Call. The Bishop's Lent Call raises funds for local community projects in Southwark and the Link Dioceses in Zimbabwe and Jerusalem. This year the theme is "mental health & well-being." To support the Lent Call we are asking children to take part in a sponsored sporting challenge of their choice, as being outside and moving is great for releasing those feel-good endorphins which help improve our mental health and well-being. This sporting challenge could be anything from a walk-a-thon, bike-a-thon, dance-a-thon or swim-a-thon. Please could all sponsorship money be paid to the school via ScoPay during the first week of the summer term. Sponsorship forms will be going out with today's homework letter.

Homework

The English activities are to learn Week 1 spellings and complete the activity about apostrophes. For Maths the children must practise all of their times tables (2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12) and complete the worksheet.

Dates for your Diary

PTFA Cinema night- 08.03.23

St Patrick's Day - 17.03.23

Year 4 Class collective worship - 22.03.23

PTFA Easter Colour run- 24.03.

Parent/Carer evenings - 27.03.23 to 29.03.23

Have a lovely weekend!

Mrs Rutter and Mrs Nadeem