



## Year 4 Homework Letter – Friday 30th June 2023

### Our Learning This Week

#### English

In English, the children have continued to explore our current text, 'Westlandia'. We started the week by analysing the main character Wesley considering what he was like at the start of the story in comparison to the end. We then spent time creating story maps of the key moments from the text using fronted adverbials to show time and place. Using their story maps as the foundation the children then wrote complete paragraphs for each of their chosen moments. We then discussed that brochures can be written to inform and sometimes to persuade us to do something, the children have started planning their own report, published as a brochure to advertise 'Westlandia' to potential visitors.

#### Maths

This week, the children started their new topic of statistics. In Year 3, children learnt how to interpret and draw pictograms and bar charts to represent discrete data. They also learnt how to collect and represent data in a table. The children revised this learning before using charts to compare data in the next step. We then built on their previous learning by solving comparison, sum and difference problems using discrete data. The children were then introduced to line graphs for the first time. Most of the line graphs looked at changes of a variable, such as temperature, over time. The children then drew their own line graphs to represent continuous data. This was a short topic and so we finished the week with the end of module test.

### Maypole

A big thank you and well done to all of the children who came to the Garden Party last Saturday to participate in the Maypole dance. The children performed so well with all their hard work in previous weeks paying off. I was very proud of them indeed as I am sure you were too.

### Jungle Book

On Tuesday afternoon, the children enjoyed a performance of 'Jungle Book' provided by the PTFA as reward for the children's hard work throughout the year.

### Design and Technology

As part of D&T the children will be cooking a healthy snack and eating it whilst in school. A Parent Mail has been sent out with all the relevant information. Please could your child bring in a named cooking apron at the start of the week.

### Homework

The children are to learn their spellings, complete the work on suffixes and graphs as well as continuing to practise their times tables.

### Dates for your Diary

Art Exhibition - 4th July - 3.30pm -5.00pm

Art Exhibition - 5th July - 1.30pm-5.00pm

Open Evening - 5th July - 3.15pm-5.00pm

'Transition' Day - 6th July

District Sports Track Event - 10th July

INSET DAYS 2023/24:

1st September 2023

4th September 2023

28th June 2024

22nd July 2023

23rd July 2024

Have a lovely weekend!

Mrs Rutter and Mrs Nadeem