

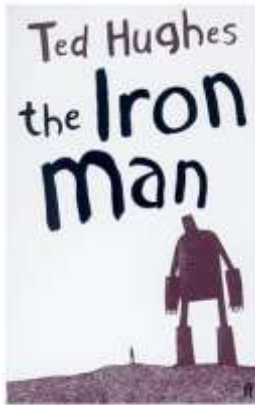


Year 4 Homework Letter - Friday 19th April 2024

Our Learning This Week

English

In English, the children have started a new topic using the story 'Iron Man' by Ted Hughes as the stimulus for our learning. We started the week by using modal verbs to ask investigative questions after discovering a scene of dislocated parts of the Iron Man! We then went on to write factual sentences using formal language based on what had been discovered. The children wrote a character description of the Iron Man using expanded noun phrases and similes. We then wrote a short newspaper report using reported speech accurately with inverted commas. We ended the week by writing a letter to the character Hogarth giving him advice on how to manage the Iron Man's arrival using modal verbs. It would be helpful if your child had their own copy of this book and this can currently be purchased from Amazon for £3.99.



Homework

The English activities are to learn Summer 1 Week 2 spellings and to read for 15 minutes each evening. For Maths, the children must practise all of their times tables on Times Tables Rock Stars.

Maths

This week we have started our new topic on Decimals. The children have explored different ways of making 1 whole by combining tenths and hundredths. We then partitioned numbers with up to 2 decimal places into their place value parts and then carried on partitioning numbers with decimals up to 2 decimal places. This was then extended to include flexible partitioning. The children ended the week by comparing decimal numbers with up to 2 decimal places.

Trip to Southwark Cathedral

On Tuesday 30th April, we will be attending the Bishop of Southwark's Lent Call Thanksgiving Service. We will be travelling by train from South Nutfield to London Bridge and back, and walking the short distance to and from the cathedral. The trip will take place during the school day with a later than usual pick up time of 4:30pm. Children should be in full school uniform. They will need to bring a packed lunch and a water bottle, in a disposable bag please. The cost of the trip is £6.60 to cover travel expenses and is payable through Scopay. If you have any concerns over payment for the trip please do not hesitate to contact the school office.

Dates for your Diary

23.04.24 - St. George's day - red shirt
24.04.24 - Wellbeing Wednesday (Full P.E kit needed)
30.04.24 - Bishop of Southwark's Lent Call Thanksgiving Service
20.05.24 - School Photographer - Group
20.05.24 - PTFA Cinema Night Monday
3.15pm-5.30pm

Have a lovely weekend!
Mrs Rutter and Miss Oastler