

Year 4

Summer Term 6

2015-2016

**Homework**

Given out each Friday and to be returned on or before the following Wednesday.

Reading

Children should read every day at home, and their reading record should be signed by an adult.

Spellings

Words to learn will be given out every Friday with homework and tested the following

PE kit

PE kits need to be in school every Monday and will be sent home on Mondays. PE is on **Monday**. Children will also have a swimming lesson on **Thursday** and will need their swimming kit in school that day. Please make sure they have a swimming hat!

Important dates

An Enterprise fair will be held on July 7th. Parents will be invited in to school to see (and buy!) all the fantastic items pupils across the school have designed and made. More details to follow.

You are invited...

...to see Year 4 in their world premiere performance of 'Space Unlimited' at the Polka Theatre, Wimbledon on Friday 8th July.

Time to be confirmed – please watch out for more details soon.

This term our learning will be based around the theme of 'How other people live: Greece'

Children will learn about the following...

Maths: Children will be continuing to tell the time, read timetables and use an empty number line to find the difference between times. Children will be collecting data, using this to construct a graph and interpreting the graph.

English: Children will be reading and studying Greek myths and writing their own versions. Children will be making leaflets and posters to persuade people to buy our goods at the Enterprise fair.

Science: Children will be looking at healthy diets and exercise and comparing today's to those of the Ancient Greeks.

Geography: Children will learn about rivers and mountains. They will learn how they are formed and about some of the world's most famous examples.

History: Children will learn about the Ancient Greeks, including their lifestyle, customs and notable achievements.

Art/DT: Children will focus on creating art and pottery in the style of the Ancient Greeks.

PE: invaders

RE: Islamic rites of passage

Computing: multimedia

Music: Reflect, Rewind and Replay (Charanga)

Spanish: hobbies

PSHE and Citizenship: sex and relationships education

You can help your child to succeed by doing the following:

- Encourage your child to read their reading book every day and ask them about what has happened in the story – don't forget to sign and date in their reading record book!
- Daily spelling practice
- Practising times table facts up to 12x12 daily
- Supporting your child in becoming more independent in getting organised for school; packing their own bag and remembering the things they'll need.

Welcome back to the final term of the year. This term we will spend time looking back over our progress this year and preparing children for their transition into their next class. Please feel free to speak to a member of the Year 4 team if you want to discuss your child's progress and development.

Mrs Purves and the Year 4 team