Class 4 Summer 1

Newsletter

Our class texts...



Key Learning this term...

I am so proud of our children's continued commitment to their Year 6 studies as well the Year 5's continued hard work too. We will be revisiting all key maths, grammar and reading knowledge to ensure that our children are best prepared for their end of year assessments.. Throughout our literacy sessions, we will be writing an adventure story based on the 'Treasure Island' book.

During the term, we will explore angles in shapes and statistics. Towards the end of the term we will be investigating mathematical problems where the children will get to explore all of our mathematical topics in more depth to develop their explanation and reasoning skills.

We are excited to explore David Hockney in art. The children will be creating pictures of the Matlock landscape which are influenced by Hockney's work. In science this term, we will be looking at evolution and inheritance – the children will have chance to analyse fossils and decide how plants and animals adapt to suit their environment. In history we will investigate the Mayan civilisation through historical enquiry-based tasks.

We are most looking forward to our end of Year 6 production. We will be kick-starting rehearsals at the end of this term and we can't wait to introduce this to children- casting parts in preparation of our final term together!

Dates for the diary...

Friday 25th April: Report Cards

Thursday 1st May: Class photos

Monday 5th May: Bank holiday School closed

Week commencing 12th May: SATS week

Friday 16th May: Y6 sporting event

Thursday 22nd May: Bunting Cup

Friday 23rd May: last day of term

Our Theme in Collective Worship is:

Perseverence

Reminders...

Please ensure your child has a water bottle and their book bags in school each day.

PE kits should stay in school until the end of each half term. All PE kits should include a pair of trousers for outdoor sports. PE has change this ½ term and will now be on **THURSDAY** afternoons.

All school items should be clearly labelled.

Please make sure you child's planner and book come into school everyday for us to read, change and stamp.

Recommended Read!

Mr Williams recommends::

I recommend 'Skelling' by David Almond because it is mysterious and intriguing and keeps you hooked until the end!

