

Year 4 Newsletter

June 2019

English

In English, we will be planning and writing Play-scripts, changing prose into dialogue. We will be incorporating drama to support the children's oracy skills including active listening and giving their peers feedback.

To finish the year we will be moving on to writing persuasive brochures about a city. The children will focus on persuasive terminology to encourage tourists to visit the city.

Handwriting will continue to be an important focus and children are expected to join strands of letters.

Attendance

It is vital that your child gets to school on-time every day. The doors are open from 8.50am so your child can complete their morning task, before the bell goes at 9am. Classes are rewarded with £5 vouchers for the best attendance.

Can you get 100% attendance this half term?

Science

This term we will be continuing to learn about producers, consumers, predators and prey whilst collecting data to plot graphs and interpret our findings.

Big Question

Within our Big Question lessons we will be comparing two cities (Barcelona and Manchester) to find out which would be the best city to live in and why. We will use this information to link to our English lessons to create a Brochure.

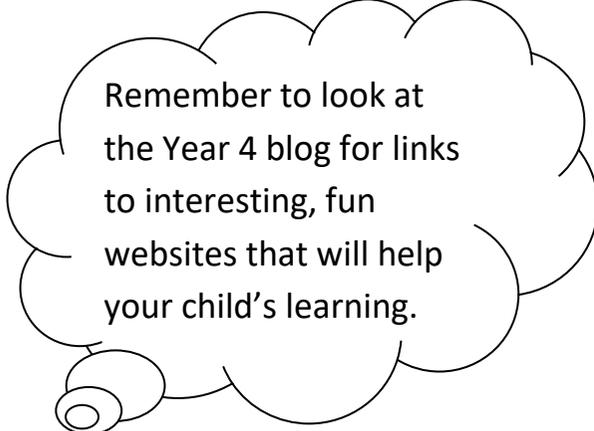
Swimming

Your child will continue to go swimming on a Monday. Please ensure that they bring the appropriate kit to school every week including a swimming hat.

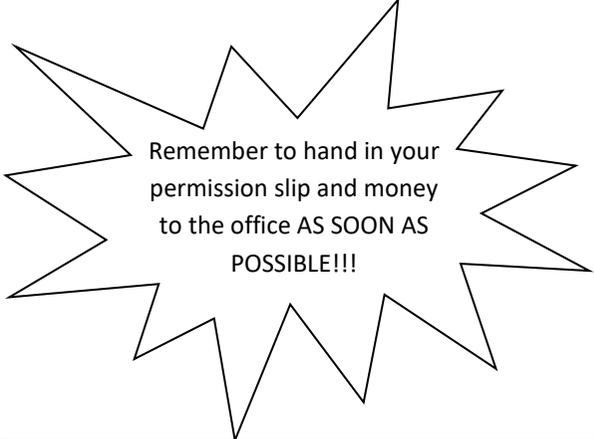
Maths

During our final half term in Year 4, we will be focusing on Decimals, linking this to what we learnt last term with Fractions. We will be finding tenths and hundredths as well as comparing and ordering decimals.

Then we will be moving on to time and converting from one unit to another, e.g: minutes to hours.



Remember to look at the Year 4 blog for links to interesting, fun websites that will help your child's learning.



Remember to hand in your permission slip and money to the office AS SOON AS POSSIBLE!!!

One Adventure Activity Day Be prepared for all weather!

As you know, on Friday 5th July, the children will enjoy an adventure activity day, in Droylsden. The day will promote health and fitness; develop teamwork and problem solving skills. Your child needs to be dressed appropriately for the day in comfortable sports-wear that may get a bit dirty due to the nature of the activities. Shorts, t-shirt and trainers should be worn for the children to be comfortable. Remember to get to school for **8.00am** and **breakfast will be provided in the hall**. We will return before the end of the school day. We will post photographs of the day on the blog, so please leave a comment.