



DPS Year 4 Newsletter

January 2023- Spring Term



Welcome back Year 4! Let's make it a good term!

English

This term, we will be linking our English lessons to our History topic and looking at a story set in a historical setting about invaders.

You have all been fab readers so far this year, keep going! Also remember to practise your spellings to help make you a better writer.

Maths

This term we will be thinking about multiplication and division, length and perimeter, fractions and decimals.

Remember to keep up with your times tables and get on your TT rocks board! The Multiplication Tables Check is coming up in June.

Topics

This term we are researching Invaders and Settlers and looking at the Scots and Anglo-Saxons! We will be learning about how they invaded Britain and what they did to affect life in Britain.

In Science, we will be learning about States of Matter. Get ready to do some investigations into what makes something solid, liquid or gas. We will look at their properties and how these can be useful and how they can be changed.

In Art, we will be looking at Street Art and Graffiti whilst in ICT, we are using coding skills to look at repetition in shapes. We are also excited to be seeing Mr Leigh from NMPAT this term for music lessons where we will be learning some different songs and also using percussion instruments.

Reminders

- Reading diaries are checked Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.
- Homework is due on a Tuesday.
- Spellings are tested on a Thursday.
- Times Tables are tested on a Friday. Each week, there is a tournament running between each class on Times Tables Rockstars – please encourage your children to take part and help their class earn points!
- It's 4B's chance to partake in brass lessons this term! Please make sure you bring your trumpet or trombone in on a Tuesday.