Year 4 Tilery Primary Newsletter

Year 4 Spring Newsletter

We would like to take this opportunity to share with you what Year 4 will be learning about this Spring term.

It's been lovely to welcome the children back after the Christmas break and we have so many exciting things planned this term. As always we will keep you up to date with anything your child is doing in school via Seesaw, let us know if you need a log in to sign up.

Thank you for your continued support, Mr Large and Miss Cook.

Key dates

Uniform

Grey Trousers, Skirt or Tunic

Yellow Polo Shirt

Blue Sweatshirt or

Flat Black Shoes or black Trainers

Please initial all clothing

31st January- PD Day
21st February- Break up for half term
3rd March- Return to school
4th March- Parent Consultations
5th March-Parent Consultations
27th March- Y3 and Y4 trip to Hopetown

11th April- Break up for Easter
28th April- Return to school

Foundation Subject – Design Technology

In **DT** the children will be able to research, design, plan and create a replica of Tower Bridge. They will be exploring different materials and using their skills to evaluate their work.

Foundation Subject – Art

As **artists** our topic is Chromatic, the children will be developing their painting skills by learning about watercolour paints and how they should be used.

Foundation Subject – Music

As **musicians** the children will be listening to a wide range of music, learning to use their voice as an instrument and be able to play an instrument alongside the song.

What we are learning

In Year 4 as **mathematicians** we will be focusing on number and measurement, the topics are multiplication and division, length and perimeter, fractions and decimals. Children will need to be able to recall their times tables up to and including 12x12.

We will be **reading** The Great Dream Robbery and Greta and the Ghost Hunters this term, we will be producing pieces of work for our working wall and talking about the features each book has. *Please read at home with your child every night and log it onto Boom Reader, if you need a log in or any help accessing this please speak to Miss Cook.*

As **writers** the children will be producing pieces of work to inform with a recount and entertain with an advert. Children will be focusing on fronted adverbials, determiners, conjunctions and using persuasive language within their work.

As **scientists** our topics will be Animals Including Humans and Plants. Children will be learning all about the different bones and muscles in the human body, what types of nutrition they need and be able to identify, explore and describe what a plant needs in order for it to survive.

In **computing** the topic is E-Safety, children will be learning how to stay safe on the internet, recognise acceptable and unacceptable behaviour and identify a range of ways to report any concerns.

In **PSHE** our new key is Trying Out, where we will look at encouraging children to move out of their comfort zone and try something new. We will also be looking at Road Safety and how to stay safe in and around our streets.

In **Geography** the topic is the United Kingdom, children will be learning about cities, locations and human and physical characteristics of a place. Children will be able to name the capital city and have a better understanding of their local environment and country.

P.E Lessons are on a <u>Wednesday.</u> Please send your child into school wearing a PE kit consisting of navy joggers/shorts, a white t shirt and navy jacket if needed. This term we will be focusing on netball.

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School Hours

8:45am until 3:15pm

At Tilery Primary School, we offer a "soft start" to our school day. Doors will open from 8:30am and children can come into school as soon as they arrive on the school site.