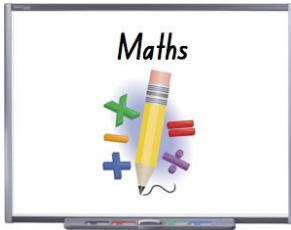


Year 4 Newsletter

A very warm welcome to Term 3. We hope you find the following information useful.



This term, our main focus will be on Multiplication and Division.

We will learn formal methods for multiplying and dividing 3 digit numbers by single digits

We will also be reviewing our fluency of the 6 and 9 times tables

Our English lessons will be based around the animation 'The Blue Umbrella'

Do you believe that inanimate objects have a life of their own and feelings too?

We will build a narrative using much of the Year 4 skills in grammar



Could you put on a stage show?

We will be investigating electricity in Science lessons:

Which components are needed to build a circuit?

Can you make a DIY switch that controls a circuit?

Which materials are conductors and which materials are insulators?

We will also investigate how to make a bulb brighter without changing or adding batteries.

Puppets will be made in DT based on the theme of our Term 4 production

Children will be taking part in a 10 minute 'Physical Break' every day.

On Monday, Wednesday and Friday children will be challenged to walk/run a mile; on Tuesday and Thursday we will be completing indoor exercises. On top of this, the children will also have 2 P.E. sessions per week (**Wednesday & Friday for Cabot; Swimming on Tuesdays & PE on Friday for Brunel**).

It is important that all children are involved in all PE activities. Please ensure that children have a weather suitable P.E. kit and a water bottle in school every day.



**KEEP
CALM
AND
DO YOUR
HOMEWORK**

A quick reminder that children will be set homework weekly. The homework will be given out on a Monday and needs to be returned on a Friday. This will either be an English or Maths task.

Ideas for creative homework tasks can be found on the Homework Menu

We will not be completing a set weekly spelling test. Children will be expected to revise the statutory word list in their homework books.



Please come and see us if you have any questions at all. It will be a pleasure to see you.

Thank you.

Mr Parry and Miss Foote.

Other useful information

Uniform – please make sure all school uniform is clearly marked with your child's name.

Doors will open for children at 8:35. Children must be in the classroom by 8:45 at the latest. Any child that arrives after 8:45 will be marked as late.

All children need to have a water bottle in school.

Please ensure earrings are removed on PE days.

