

YEAR 4 NEWS

Welcome to Summer 2

Dear Parents and Carers, Year 4, welcome back to Campsbourne!

We hope you had a fabulous and relaxing break and that your children are all ready for their final half term.



Picasso
Ms Rawn



Sekoto
Ms Worth

English

In Talk 4 Writing we will beginning a new unit on non chronological reports. We will analyse the text our text 'Pesky Pirates' to identify the techniques the writer used in order to create an effective and informative report. This will then later be imitated; before creating our own finding tale story.

Our second unit will be based around poetry, we will be linking this to other areas of the curriculum.



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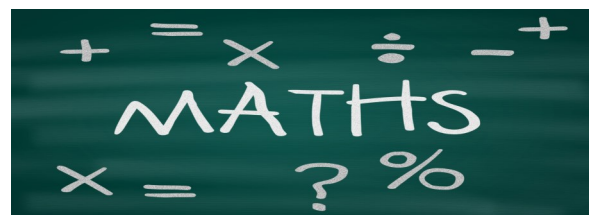
Year 4, will be visiting the Olympic stadium to take park in a BMX session at the Velodrome.

Maths

This term we will be focusing on:

- Co-ordinates and Translations
- Roman Numerals
- 3D Shapes

Further to this, we will be consolidating our learning over the course of the year. This will include, addition, subtraction, multiplication, division, fractions and decimals.



Geography

- In **Geography** we will be focusing on our contracting locality. We will be comparing and contrasting the schools local area with that of our partner school in Mandaka.



Computing

In computing, our focus this term is on blogging. We will be linking this to our Geography topic and in turn creating about comparing our chosen localities .



RE

In RE we will be learning What it means to belong to a religion?
(Through the roots of Hinduism)

- Special festivals
- The journey of life
- Their main festivals and practices
- Importance of community
 - The wider world

PSHE

In PSHE we will be focusing on changes and how to deal with them.



Design & Technology

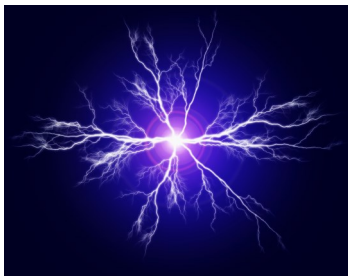
Our D & T project will be based on electricity . We will plan and create a structure whilst embedding a complete circuit into the creation e.g. lighthouse

Science

In **Science** we'll be finding out about different forms of electricity:

This will include:

- Static electricity
 - Circuits
- How to use specialist equipment e.g. ammeter
- Scientists influence on electricity- Nikola Tesla
- Soil formations and profiles



PE

Wednesday:

(Alternate weeks) Swimming & Athletics

Monday:

Striking & Fielding
(Cricket)
Developing Cricket
Skills and Games

Spanish

In Spanish this term we will be developing our understanding of 'My Family'.

This will build on what we already have learnt.

EL

LA

Music

In **music**, Year 4 will be going to the movies! We will be looking at Film Music to help us to compose music that sets a scene. We will be learning about motifs.



Homework

Homework will be handed out each week on a **Friday** with the expectation that it will be returned to school by **Thursday**.

It is the child's responsibility to make sure their homework is handed in. There will be spellings each week as well as maths, either work linked to what we have been learning in class or times table revision.

* Handwriting homework will be given to those trying to achieve their pen license. Please support your child by discussing the homework tasks with them and if you are unsure please do not hesitate to contact me.

