Year 4 Homework

Term 1 & 2 Ancient Worlds







Have you ever wondered what it would have been like to have lived in Ancient Egypt surrounded by the pyramids? The children in Year 4 are looking at people who did! Throughout terms 1 and 2, our topic will be 'Ancient Worlds'. We will be exploring ancient civilisations. We will also be learning how the ancient civilisations preserved their dead through mummification!

Project

To support and further your child's learning, we ask that you undertake a project together. We would like your child to create an Ancient Egyptian artefact; for example, a mask, a pyramid, an item of jewellery, a Canopic jar with a plaque to explain what the artefact is. The artefacts could be made from clay, card, papier Mache or detailed drawings. We will invite the children to bring their projects into school to show in class at the end of Term 2.

Due date: Monday 2nd December 2024

Celebration workshop for parents: Thursday 5th December 2024 at 9am

Spellings

A spelling list is in your diary. There will be a weekly spelling test every Friday for the words we have focused on that week.

The class teacher will develop the children's understanding of spelling patterns and highlight the trickier areas of the spellings on the list. We ask that the adults at home also practise the spellings with your child, little and often, enabling them to feel confident when they are tested at the end of each week.

Times Tables

Learning your times tables is an important skill and will help you in many areas of Maths. TT Rockstars is designed to help you learn all your times tables. Your teacher will set you homework on TT Rockstars that will be between 15-20 minutes long every week. Use your unique login and password that is at the front of your learning journal to access the website on any device.



Reading

All children are expected to read an AR book within their **AR Range** for **15 -20 minutes a day**. After reading the book, your child will take a short quiz on an iPad in school. The **quiz scores** are recorded in your child's Learning Journal along with their increasing AR Range. Of course any additional time spent reading is always a bonus! Children also have access to the school library at lunchtimes and are able to borrow an additional book to enjoy.

