



WINHILLS

Year 3 and Year 4

Fortnightly Newsletter

Year 3

English

Since half-term, Year 3 have been finding out about the adventures of a killer cat called Tuffy in a book by Anne Fine. They are using their inference skills brilliantly to interpret the events in the story and to write in role as other characters.

Mathematics

The focus in Maths is now on subtraction. The children are learning to choose the most effective strategy in different contexts including counting up to find the difference. As always, they need to keep practising their times tables.

Science

We are learning all about the human skeleton!

Year 4

English

Year 4 are now very busy learning all about the different poetic features used in poetry. The children wrote their own small poem this week using a range of different descriptive devices.

Mathematics

Year 4 have now moved from learning all about a written method for multiplication to written division. The class are learning all about the bus stop method.

Science

Year 4 are now onto their new science unit named 'Animals including humans'. The class have already investigated different food chains and are now beginning to investigate the digestive system!

ICE Zone

Year 3 and 4 are whizzing through all of their ICE zone work and are really enjoying it! Currently, the children are researching different Roman recipes and are making their very own Roman flatbread. We hope you enjoy tasting it when they bring some home.

Reminders

Please make sure that the children have warm clothes with them everyday as they are going outside to learn and the weather is very cold at the moment!

As always, we are handing out the literacy homework every Wednesday. This is due in on a Monday.

Please make sure the children are completing 1 hour of maths whizz each week and are reading every night! We will be checking reading journals every week. The children are expected to be up to date with homework by Reward Day at the end of term.

We have started practising our songs and dances for the Christmas carol concert. You will receive more details about this soon but, in the meantime, and, while they are easily available in the shops, it would be great if you could get your child a strip of tinsel for their 'costume'.

Nurture

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