



# WINHILLS

## Year 3 and Year 4

### Fortnightly Newsletter

#### Year 3

##### English

The children have been learning the differences between formal and informal letters. They have used the features of persuasive letters in their own writing and have started to edit and improve their letters.

##### Mathematics

The children learnt to solve various 2D and 3D shape problems and then moved on to fractions. They practised ordering, subtracting, adding and finding equivalent fractions. They will need to use all these skills when they begin solving fraction problems.

##### Science

Moonstone class have been looking into the world of forces and magnets. The children have investigated different surfaces, found magnetic materials and investigated the strength of magnets.

#### Year 4

##### English

Year 4 have just completed their unit based on the book, 'The Great Kapok Tree'. They wrote their own story endings and from the perspective of different characters. They are now focusing on SPaG lessons.

##### Mathematics

The class have learned all about short division and are now confident answering questions involving remainders. They are now just about to move onto their geometry unit and learn all about triangles.

##### Science

Year 4 are learning all about Electricity. They have started by learning about the dangers of electricity and are now investigating different series circuits.

### ICE Zone

Year 3 and 4 have been working really hard in the ICE zone and have been busy researching their local area and beyond. They have also been investigating artists Lowry and Seurat and comparing their art work.

The outside ICE zone is really developing this term. We are now starting to build our very own teepees and develop our sensory garden.

### Reminders

Please ensure all children come to school with a sun hat and water bottle.

Please make sure that the children are completing their homework every week. Literacy homework is handed out every Thursday. This is due in on a Monday. Please make sure the children are also completing 1 hour of maths whizz and week and reading every night! We will be checking reading journals every week.

Nurture

Inspire

Flourish