



WINHILLS

Year 3 and Year 4

Fortnightly Newsletter

Year 3

English

This week, the children have been comparing our new story Egyptian Cinderella to the traditional tale. They are beginning to develop their own ideas and plan before writing their own version of the story. They are specifically focusing on using fronted adverbials to make their sentences more varied.

Maths

In maths, Year 3 have been learning all about time. They have been practising telling the time on individual clocks and they have then moved onto drawing the hands on a clock face to represent a specific time. Next week, they will be looking at roman numerals and moving onto problem solving including time.

Science

In Science, Year 3 are enjoying our new light topic. They have been investigating how light reflects off of different surfaces and will soon be learning about shadows and how to change their shape and size.

Year 4

English

This week in English, Year 4 have been learning all about Explanation Texts. They have learnt about all the specific features you use and have even started to design their own inventions to write all about. They watched a range of Wallace and Gromit videos to gain inspiration for their designs.

Maths

In Maths, Year 4 have been learning all about measurements. They worked hard converting different measures earlier in the week and are now focusing on perimeter and area of a range of rectilinear shapes.

Science

Year 4 have now finished their unit all about Sound. They just completed an experiment all how sound becomes fainter the further away from the sound you get.

ICE Zone

The children have been hard at work in the ICE zone, as always, and are thoroughly enjoying their Ancient Egypt topic. Inside, they have created wonderful scarab beetles by sculpting clay and outside they have been testing their musical knowledge by listening to and comparing different music!

Reminders

Please make sure that the children have warm clothes with them everyday as they are going outside to learn!

Also, as Reward Day is fast approaching, the children need to make sure they are up to date with their Maths Whizz and their English homework. If you have any questions, please ask your class teacher.

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