



Our Learning



Week 3 commencing 15.01.2024

This week in Year 4:

English: Next week in English, we will be create a piece of writing that will detail, describe what we can see from our window.

Maths: Next week in Maths, we will be looking into counting in hundredths.

Topic: Next week in Topic, we will be exploring how Sikhs express their identify.

Year 4 Challenge

The last challenges answer was footsteps!

David's father has three sons: Snap, Crackle, and _____?

Homework- Due Thursday 25th January

This week's homework is a maths and reading comprehension. Please ensure that you read the questions carefully and if you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact us.

Termly Spellings

In class each term, we have been focusing on some key spellings. These spellings come from the National Curriculum Statutory word-lists for years 3 and 4. Please revise these spellings with your child at home e.g. in the car, when cooking dinner etc... and practice putting these words into sentences.

believe
different
favourite

naughty
peculiar
potatoes

regular
straight

although
women

*Each week, we will provide you and your child an optional activity to complete at home to help your child memorise their spellings. You can practice by creating sentences using these spellings. E.g. We walked **straight** into the school!*

Additional Notes or Information for the week

Thank you so much again for all the donations of our guided reading book this half term.

What will the children be learning in Year 4 next week?

English: We will be exploring our new topic book 'Little People, Big Dreams Pele'.

Maths: To explore fractions and mixed numbers.

Topic: To be able to present data in a spreadsheet.

Homework

Reading homework this week is to read the extract and answer the questions relating to it:

FATHER

EBBA ROSE WAS THE NAME of our last-born child. Except it was a lie. Her name should have been Nyamh Rose. But everyone called her Rose rather than Ebba, so the lie didn't matter. At least, that is what I told myself.

The Rose part of her name came from the symbol that lies at the centre of the wind rose - which is fitting because she was lodged at the very centre of my heart.

I loved each of her seven brothers and sisters, but I will admit there was always something that set Rose apart from the others. And it wasn't just the way she looked.

She was the hardest to know of my children, and that was because she would not stay still. Every time I held her as a babe, she would look up at me, intent, smiling with her bright purple eyes. But soon, and always, those eyes would stray past my shoulder, seeking the window and what lay beyond.

Rose's first gift was a small pair of soft boots made of reindeer hide. They were brought by Torsk, a neighbour, and as he fastened them on Rose's tiny feet with his large

North Child
by Edith Pattou



1. How many children were there? (R - 1 mark)
2. Who do you think the narrator is?(I - 1 mark)
3. What does "stray" mean? (V - 1 mark)
4. Select the word that means the same as "embedded"? (V - 1 mark)
5. Do you think the story is set in England? (APE - 3 marks)

Yes I do think it is set in England. This is because in the text is says "...." and this implies...

OR

No I do not think it is set in England. This is because in the text is says "...." and this implies...

Maths homework this week is to have a go at the ultimate times table challenge, time yourself and then see if you can beat your score. There is also a challenge activity, which is optional:

Challenge: Create a board game to help someone to remember their times tables!

