



Our Learning

Week 4 commencing 22.01.2024



This week in Year 4:

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.

Year 4 Challenge

The last challenges answer was David!

What is more useful when it is broken?

Homework- Due Thursday 1st February

This week's homework is a grammar task and maths.

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 pictures with the spellings, try and see if you can use them all!

Additional Notes or Information for the week

Thank you for all your support with the push on timetables.

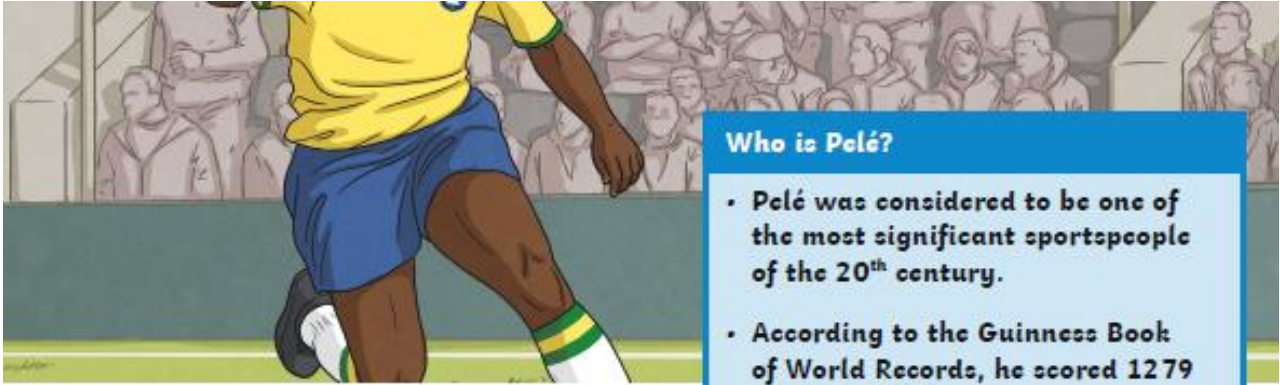
What will the children be learning in Year 4 next week?

English: To begin to write make changes to the key text.

Maths: To be able to subtract a fraction from a whole number.

Topic: To explore the traditions and festivals in Rio de Janerio.

Homework- Grammar Task



Who is Pelé?

- Pelé was considered to be one of the most significant sportspeople of the 20th century.
- According to the Guinness Book of World Records, he scored 1279 goals in 1363 games.

Pelé, the Brazilian men's footballer, has died. He was thought to be one of the best players of all time. He scored over 1000 goals. Pelé was part of the Brazilian men's team that won the World Cup in 1958, 1962 and 1970.

Edson Arantes de Nascimento (known as 'Pelé') was born on 23rd October 1940.

He played his first match for Santos FC when he was 15. At the age of 17, he played his first game for Brazil at the 1958 Men's

World Cup in Sweden. In the semi-final, he scored a **hat-trick** against France. He then scored two goals against Sweden in the final.

Success continued to follow Pelé. The Brazilian government thought he was very important to their country so they even named him a "national treasure". This was to stop him leaving Brazil and playing for football teams in Europe.

People remembered Pelé after he stopped playing football. In 1999, the International Olympic **Committee** named him their Athlete of the Century. In the same year, Pelé was the joint winner of FIFA's Footballer of the Century with Diego Maradona.

Glossary

hat-trick To score three goals in the same football match.

committee A group of people that organise an event

FIFA A group that run football internationally.

Reflect

What makes a good sportsperson?



How many times did Pele win the world cup with Brazil?

Why do you think people consider Pele to be one of the best footballers of all time?

Write a summary of the story in 15 words or fewer.

