

CURRICULUM NEWSLETTER

Welcome to the Spring 2 edition of the Year 4 newsletter. You will find lots of information about the curriculum, how to help your child at home and any other notes. If you have any questions, please ask the class teacher.

Our current learning journey is: **Celts**

Curriculum outline

Reading: We will be studying the book 'Harklights' by Tim Tilley. We are also studying and analysing extracts from other texts.

Writing: We will be writing an adventure narrative based on the book 'The Journey'. We will also be completing our own pieces of poetry based on the poem 'Still I Rise'.

Maths: We will be completing our learning on perimeter. We will then move on to our learning on fractions and a further unit on decimals.

Physical Development: The focus this half term will be athletics and basketball. Half of these lessons will be delivered by the Maltby Academy PE specialist.

Science: We will be focusing on the topic 'sound'. This includes learning about how we hear, volumes and vibrations of sound.

History: The focus this half term will be about the Celts. We will learn about the Romans and how Boudicca started a rebellion.

DT: In DT, we will be looking building a sturdy celt village. We will be researching about what the Celts would use in their village and evaluate our own models.

Computing: We will be creating online questionnaires and analysing the data gathered from these.

MFL: Our next MFL topic is 'La Clase' - the classroom.

PSHE: We will continue the discussion around healthy bodies whilst creating an understanding of how to care for our own bodies.

Helping your child at home

- PE Day is a Tuesday.
- Practice spellings on Spelling shed
- Practice multiplication knowledge daily in readiness for the multiplication check.
- Please read daily with your child and record this in their reading record.



Notes

- 20.02.24 – Austerfield Educational Visit
- 06.3.24 - Parents Evening
- 07.03.24 – World Book Day
- 13.03.24 – Class photo day
- 15.03.24 - Red Nose Day
- 14.03.24 – Science Week Exhibition
- 27.03.24 – Bank Holiday – Good Friday

