

Year 3 and 4 Newsletter - Autumn 1

What am I learning this half term?

In Y3 and 4 this half term, we will be looking at a variety of different subjects. In Maths, we will be exploring place value. Non-chronological reports will be our focus in writing lessons and we will be reading *The Guard Dog* and *The Sheep Pig*. In Science, we will be wondering about the question: Why are humans not like bears? In our Biology unit about Animals including humans.

P.E Dates

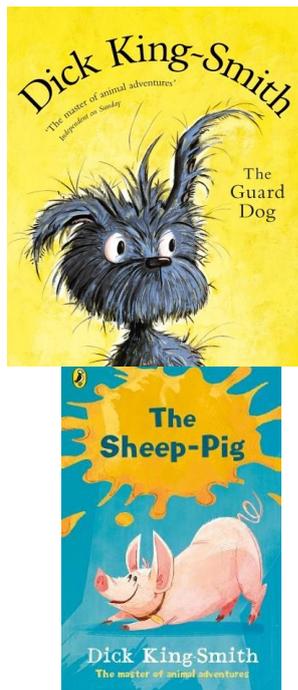
In P.E this half term, we will be working on Football and Cross Country Running. Please ensure your child comes to school in full P.E kit, which is t-shirt, tracksuit bottoms, pumps or trainers. Please also ensure your child has a water bottle .

Tuesday 3JH and 3NB

Thursday 4RM and 4FG

Early Bird Learning

In Ebor Gardens, we want to make every second of learning time count. From 8:30 a.m, we will be starting our Early Bird Learning through games and fun competition. Children will be given time to access TTRockstars or other learning platforms on a Chromebook.



Homework

Each Monday, Spellings will be sent home which should be learned for the spelling test on a Friday. Homework will be set on a Friday and should be returned by the following Wednesday. Children will be rewarded for completed homework.

Reading Record

We will be encouraging the children to read every day. Your child should bring home a banded book from our collection which can be changed once the child has finished it. Please listen to your children read at home and initial their reading records daily. Children who show their planners each day will be rewarded in school.

Topic

Our topic this half term is 'The Ancient Egyptians'. We will be exploring Tutankahmun's Tomb, and the pyramids. We will also discover the importance of the River Nile and how the Ancient Egyptians have contributed to modern society.