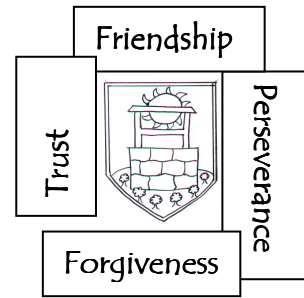


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Class 4 Termly Class Letter - Autumn Term 2017

Class 4
Teacher: Mrs Dell

Dear Parents,

We hope you will find the following information helpful for this term.

Literacy:

All lessons are based on the 'Power of Reading', a scheme which promotes an enriched Literacy environment, where reading for pleasure is encouraged. A text is studied for a number of weeks, which increases the pupil's stamina in reading a book from start to finish. By studying in depth, a number of books each year, pupils will also build up a wealth of knowledge from a range of books, to draw upon in lessons.

Writing skills will be based around the following 'Power of Reading' texts:

- 'Floodland'
- 'Cosmic Disco' (poetry)
- 'Stormbreaker'

The written outcomes from these texts will display skills used across a variety of genres. Within lessons, there is a wide range of opportunities to develop skills in: reading, writing, speaking and listening, which link to the National Curriculum 2014.

Numeracy:

The particular areas to be covered are:

- **Using and applying number**
- **Counting and understanding number**
- **Knowing and using number facts**
- **Calculations**
- **Understanding Shape**
- **Measurements**
- **Handling data**

Topic:

The units to be covered this term are:

- **Brainwave**
- **Rivers**
- **Science Investigators – Scientific Enquiry: Materials and their properties**

Other:

P.E. – Football, Cross Country, Tag Rugby and Netball.

Your child will need a full P.E. kit in school each day. Please ensure they have trainers to take part in outdoor PE.

Music – Recorders, Hand bells, Listening & Responding and Singing.

MFL - Spanish

R.E. – Do Muslims need the Qur'an? Does God communicate with man?

I.C.T. – On-line Safety and Programming.

Home Learning:

- **MyMaths**
Your child will be set tasks on MyMaths to complete each week for the following week.
- **Literacy**
Spellings – Your child will receive spellings to learn each week which will be tested in school on a weekly basis.
Reading - Your child is encouraged to read every evening by themselves or with an adult at home. Please encourage your child to record the book title and pages read.

A Home Learning timetable will be given to each child. Please help your child to organise their Home Learning and hand in completed work on time.

If you have any particular interest or skill which you could share with the children to extend any of the above, we would be delighted to hear from you.

Kind regards,

Mrs Dell

Deputy Head Teacher & SENCo

