Year 4 Homework

Our homework is set on Friday and due in on Wednesday

Reading

In year 4, children are encouraged to read their school library book for at least 15 minutes every evening. Practise in reading aloud will support your child in reading fluently and accurately, however if your child is a confident reader, they can be encouraged to read independently. For every book that your child reads, they are asked to complete a book review. Please sign your child's reading record when they have finished their book and completed their book review. For each school library book that the children read, they will earn an extra minute playtime at the end of half term! When they arrive at school, they can place their books in the 'Book Return' basket at the back of class, and choose a new book to take home on a Wednesday.

Spelling

This year in class, we will be following a spelling scheme from Read, Write, Inc. As a part of this, your child will have a spelling log book which they will record any spellings mistakes in, to enable them to practise these spellings at home. Children will also receive a spelling booklet each half term, which includes sets of weekly words which they will be tested on each Friday. Children are also asked to complete at least one spelling activity in their homework books each week, these will be collected in and marked on Wednesday.

Times tables

In Year 4, we will be learning all of our times tables up to 12x12. There are many maths apps and games online to support your child in learning their times tables. One of our favourites is called 'Hit the Button' on the Topmarks website. Your child will also have access to Purple Mash to practise their maths skills, and Times Table Rockstars, which is a fun, competitive way for them to practise recalling times table facts. Additionally, each Year 4 child will have times table homework set each week, which they are asked to complete in their white Times Table CGP books.

Topic

Our children love learning through topics! The six topics across the year are I am Warrior, Bottoms, Burps and Bile, Misty Mountain Sierra, Road Trip USA, Blue Abyss and Traders and Raiders! We will send home ideas for homework at the beginning of each topic, the children are asked to complete one activity at home for each topic. These are added to our class display and are enthusiastically shared with the class during show and tell.

Thank you for your continued support. If you have any questions about our homework, please don't hesitate to get in touch.

The Y4 team

Miss Guy (Y4 teacher), Mrs Taylor (Y4 TA), Mrs Barron (HTLA), Mrs Mannion.