

# News

PE is Friday for 4DM

PE is on Friday for 4DG

Trainers need to be brought in for PE, hair should be tied back and earrings should be taken out.

## Reading books

Please read at home with the children at least three times and sign their reading record.



## Spellings & Homework

Spelling tests will be on Thursdays. Homework will be sent home on Friday, please make sure it is returned by Wednesday the following week.

## As readers we will be:

- Reading independently and collaboratively.
- Reading and discussing The Arrival by Shaun Tan.
- Discussing narrative poetry and its effect on the reader.

## As writers we will be:

- Writing our own narrative poems.
- Writing a narrative setting.
- Writing a topic based non-chronological report.

## As Mathematicians we will be:

- Learning how to convert time from 12 hours to 24 hours.
- Writing tenths in decimals.
- Comparing and ordering decimals.

## As Geographers we will:

- Know about volcanoes and how they happen.
- Locate areas where hurricanes are common.
- Know the effects of volcanoes and hurricanes.

# Year 4 Spring 2 – Natural Disasters

## As scientists we will be:

- Identifying and creating food chains.
- Identifying and creating food webs.

## In PSHE we will be:

- Focusing on healthy me and how lots of factors are important in staying healthy.

## In music we will be:

- Continuing to learn how to play the glockenspiel which will be taught by the Hull Music Service.

# Natural Disasters!

In our topic we are going to be continuing to learn about Natural disasters!



## In Computing we will be:

- Learning how to navigate and use spreadsheets effectively.

## As designers we will be:

Designing, making and evaluating a wind sock that is fit for purpose. Children will be developing their stitching skills.

## In PE we will be:

Studying gymnastics. We will be developing a range of balances and sequencing them in small groups.

## In RE we will be:

Learning about forgiveness.

## In MFL (Spanish) we will be

- Learning about Spanish traditional tales.

Year 4 team.

In 4DM the adults are Mr Mackinder and Mrs Barnett.

In 4DG the adults are Mrs Garrod and Mrs O'Brien.

Year 4 routines

PE is on Friday for both classes, please bring appropriate footwear and make sure earrings are out and hair is tied up if necessary.

Please bring a water bottle to keep in the classroom (water only).

Please make sure the children bring their book bag every day.

Spellings and homework will be sent home on a Friday and need to be returned by the following Wednesday. Spelling tests will take place on a Thursday.

Trip letters will be sent out in advance with all details of the trip, any questions on these please do ask a member of the Year 4 staff.

Please make sure your emergency contacts are up to date in the office.

If you having trouble accessing MarvellousME please let an adult know so we can support you and share positive messages.

All children have a login for Purple Mash and TT Rockstars. Please let the team know if there are any problems.

House points are given out for positive behaviour.

#### **Year 4 Multiplication Tables**

**At the start of June, Year 4 will be tested on their multiplication tables. It is very important that times tables up to 12x12 are practiced as often as possible using; TTRockstars, [timestables.co.uk](https://www.timestables.co.uk), songs, games, counting and any other ways.**

**If you would like any extra practice or resources, please speak to Mr Mackinder or Mrs Garrod.**

**<https://www.timestables.co.uk/multiplication-tables-check/>**

**This link is an example of how the times tables test will be done in June.**