

Summer Term -Year 4

English

Teacher's Message

Welcome back! We hope that you all had a restful and enjoyable Easter, and are ready for an exciting term!

Enrichment will be on a Wednesday, and this term, children will be taking part in Forest School. This means that your child will require their Forest School kit on this day.

Please feel free to join in with your child's learning on the school and class twitter (X) pages.

School - @RowParkAcademy Class - @MrJCombe Mr Combe - Class Teacher Mrs Proudman - Class TA

Challenge Curriculum

Our challenge curriculum this term is 'The Toymaker's Apprentice'. The outcome for this challenge pack is to create a toy to encourage communication between younger children. Throughout this challenge pack, we will be looking at significant inventions and their impact on society and life throughout history. We will be using Stop Motion in computing to create an advert for the toy we will be creating in DT. The children will also be completing some market research to influence their ideas.

Within English, we will be working alongside our NICER curriculum. We will be looking at writing a narrative, biography, diary entry, information text and a persuasive advert. Our SPaG focuses will include: speech and dialogue, past tense, fronted adverbials and emotive language.

Maths

Throughout the term, children will be exploring a variety of topics within Maths. These include: Decimals, Money, Time, Shape, Statistics and Position and Direction.

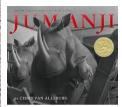
Alongside this, children are encouraged to practice their times tables, which can be accessed on TT Rockstars or a copy of the times tables can be send home on request.

P.E

This term PE lessons will be on a Thursday; children will be working on developing their skills in Swimming and Athletics. Children are reminded to bring appropriate kit. Details can be found on our school website. A polite reminder that football shirts are not to be worn during PE.

R.E

This term in RE, we will be focusing on 'What does it mean to be a Hindu in Britain today?'. In Summer 2, we will look at 'How and why do people mark significant events of life?'





Homework

We ask that your child is reading 10-20 minutes daily, with this being recorded in their homework diaries. Homework diaries are expected to be brought to school daily to suppor any communication with parents.

Children will be sent home a VIPERS worksheet on a Monday to be completed for the following Monday as this is when we will mark and assess.

Spellings will continue to be handed out and tested each Thursday.

Children should look to complete times table practice on TTRS.

Dates

Friday $23^{\rm rd}$ May - End of Half Term

Monday 26th - Friday 30st May - Half Term

Monday 2nd June – Summer 2 begins

Friday 4th July - Reports sent home.

Tuesday 8th July - Sports Day

Wednesday 9th July – Parent consultations for reports.

Friday 18^{th} July (Half Day) - End of Term