

Just to let you know...

Dear parents,

It has been another fabulous week of learning in Year 4! We have enjoyed being reporters, writing newspaper reports about the mysterious objects we found in the woods. In maths we have been learning about negative numbers. The children impressed us with their confidence in using them.

In science this week we have investigated the effect heat has on a variety of foods and discussed irreversible and reversible changes. The children had a lot of fun and managed to resist the temptation to eat the food!

Have a lovely half-term break!

James, Rachel and Sarah

Maths online game—computer only

There are no Lumio tasks on negative numbers but the following link will take you to a game that consolidates what we have been learning this week. Please do encourage your child to complete this. If you do not have access to a computer, please ask your child to choose an activity on Lumio in an area that they feel less confident in.

http://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/ks2/maths/number/negative_numbers/play/

House Points

The new *house point system* is up and running and the children are keen to help their house fill the receptacles with the valuable gold discs! These discs can be given to children by any member of staff for conduct that goes above and beyond that which we would normally expect. Last week, Shackleton won the house point cup!

Spellings for test on 26.02.18

information, adoration, sensation, preparation,
admiration, imagination, consideration, quotation

We will be putting some of these words into sentences so do check the meanings of the words too.

Safer Internet Day

We enjoyed safer internet day, learning how to keep ourselves safe online and the children took part in some really fun activities. They have completed a booklet of tasks which they will bring home to share with you. It was great to see and hear that the children are using the internet safely.

Science Week

The week after half term is Science Week. The children will be working in their houses with children in years 3, 5 and 6 as well as completing some investigations in class. Please join us from 2.30pm on Friday (23rd) to look through their science books and hear about the intriguing science they've been involved in.