

Year 3 and 4 News



Friday 30th September 2016

News:

Year 3 have been enjoying taking part in netball run by the Hunts Sports Partnership. It has been wonderful to watch their netball skills improve week by week.

Year 4 are enjoying the eggs from the school chickens. Please make sure your egg boxes come back so the other children in the class can take home their eggs.

ICE Zone:

The children are working hard in the ICE zone and have already produced some brilliant pieces of work. Their self-portraits based on the work of Giuseppe Arcimboldo are particularly impressive.

The children have also started making their Tudor pottage, which has been smelling delicious! They have been working hard to plan the recipe and evaluated their work afterwards.

Literacy

Year 3 have been learning all about fairy tales. Recently, they have been planning their very own fairy tale thinking about the characters, setting and plot. They are looking forward to finishing their final piece of writing.

Year 4 are learning about Newspapers. We are investigating all the features and have had fun writing headlines. With all their newspaper knowledge it will soon be time for the children to write their own articles.

Numeracy:

In numeracy, the children have been working on place value and mental maths! They have been working hard to use their maths skills to solve some tricky word problems.

Year 4 are looking at place value, ordering and rounding numbers and they have just started putting their new skills to the test on decimal numbers with great success.

Homework

As you are aware, the literacy homework has changed. The homework will be given out on Thursdays at the latest and will need to be handed in the following Monday. Children will also have 5-10 spellings to practise each week.

There needs to still be an hour of Maths Whizz a week for the children.

Children also need to be reading regularly, please record this in their homelink books.

P.E. Kit Reminder

Please make sure that you send in your children with their PE kits on Monday as the days for some PE activities have changed. Their kit should then remain in school all week.

The weather will also soon become more changeable, therefore please ensure to send children in with raincoats and wellies.