

Year 3 and 4

News



Friday 13th May 2016

News:

The children have now completed their work with our resident art teacher, Mr Cornell. The children had a great couple of days learning about a range of different South American artists and mimicking their techniques!

Year 4 are very excited as next week we are off to Grafham! Let's hope that the sun will join us!

ICE Zone:

Year 3 and 4 have started their cooking work in the ICE zone this week.

They have been busy preparing delicious fruit salads using a variety of fruits, including pineapple, pomegranate, kiwi, mango and exotic fruit juice.

The final product has looking truly delicious!

Literacy

Year 3 have now started their new topic all about non-chronological reports. They have explored a few texts and picked out the key features expected in these kind of texts. They will then start planning their own non-chronological reports.

Year 4 have just finished their literacy unit on Stories from another Culture. The children are now looking into a range of different poetry, starting with kennings! Eventually, the children will be writing their own poems and performing them.

Numeracy:

Year 3 have been working with numbers using decimal points. This was quite a new idea for most of the children, but they soon realised that decimals are all around us. They then used calculation skills to add and subtract numbers with decimals.

Year 4 have been measuring a lot over the past week! They have estimated, measured and calculated mass, capacity and volume!

They are now looking into shapes and positions, starting with translating shapes on a quadrant.

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.

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.

Can we please make sure that we send the children in with their sun hats!