

# YEAR 4 NEWSLETTER

December 2024



## CURRICULUM

Year 4 have continued with their fantastic writing this half term, writing a persuasive advert in English for an alternative to plastic straws and a diary of a visit to a Roman gladiator battle. In maths we have been concentrating on times tables and applying these to division. In history we have been learning about the Roman invasion of Britain and the legacy they left behind.

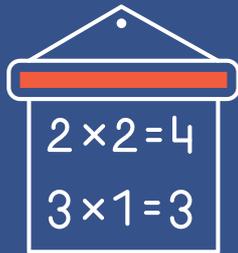
The children have continued to be dedicated to their learning and continue to impress us with the care and quality of the work they produce.

## TIMES TABLES

Why not have a look at the following websites to help with times table practise.

<https://www.timestables.co.uk/games/>

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button>



## HELP NEEDED!

If you are able to come into school to hear readers, please let your class teacher know.



## HALF TERMLY UPDATE

We can't believe the Autumn term is over and Christmas is just days away. This half term has flown by – it has been quite an exciting one.

Year 4 have enjoyed learning about the Romans and taking part in a dramatic workshop, as well as having a music workshop delivered by Jo Lawrence! We are finishing the half term with lots of exciting things like Christmas Pause Day and a Pantomime kindly funded by our PTA.

The Year 4 team would like to take this opportunity to wish you all a joyful Christmas. We are looking forward to welcoming the children back in 2025!

Mrs Cumberbeach & the year 4 team

MERRY  
CHRISTMAS  
& HAPPY NEW YEAR

## PE DAYS

ACER: TUESDAY & FRIDAY

PALM: WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY

PINE: TUESDAY (PE) & FRIDAY (SWIMMING)



# NEXT HALF TERM:

## TOPICS

English- Feast narrative; Aladdin and the Enchanted Lamp

Maths - Multiplication and Division; Length and Perimeter

Geography - Where does our food come from?

Science- Sound

Computing- Programming - repetition in shapes

PSHE- Health and well being

RE- Sikhism - What do Sikhs value?



## KEY DATES:

### January

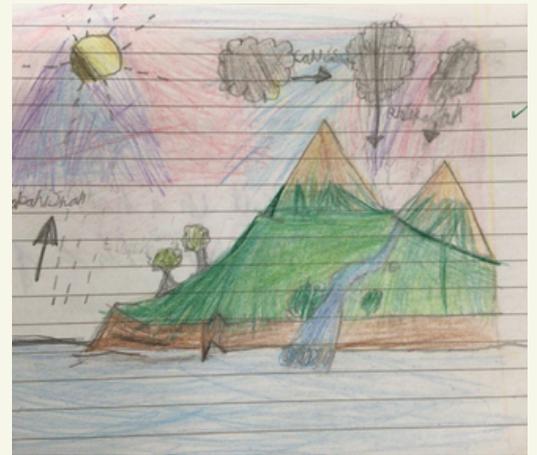
Monday 6th - Children return to school  
Saturday 18th - PTA Nearly New Uniform Sale

### February

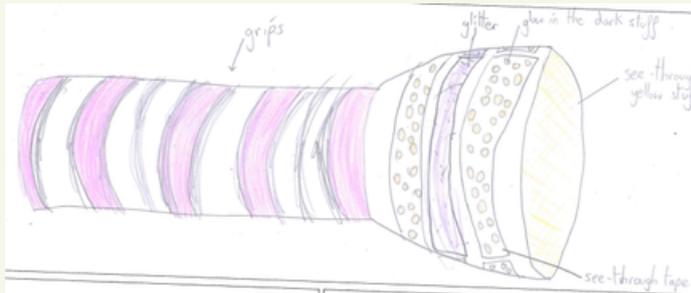
Friday 7th- Open Classrooms  
Tuesday 11th - Safer Internet Day  
W/C Monday 17th - Half Term

# WOW WORK!

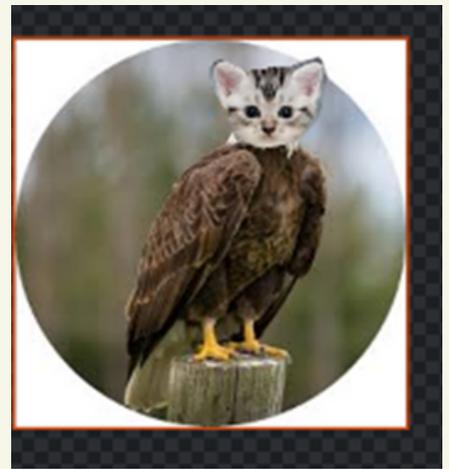
## Pine - Water Cycle



## DT - Torches



## Photo Editing from Pine Class



## Writing from Acer class

On a very windy day, a monster with his black top-hat went for a walk but all of a sudden a big swoop of wind came and took him off his feet. The monster had to grab onto a pole he was having a bad day, a very bad day indeed. While he was holding onto that damp, silver pole a little grey rat came by in a tiny, green seat wind powered car, which a dry cloth as a sail he was having the time of his life. The sail on the cool car the mouse made was going about eighty miles per hour he zoomed past the monster past the drains and everything in sight. Everything was wet and damp as a lake from the night before it had rained hard just like the wind and it was so hard that it cleaned the whole dusty street. No one knows what happened to the monster or the mouse. The end!



## RE from Palm Class

## Science from Acer class

Evaporation: Evaporation is when a liquid changes to gas.

Condensation: Condensation is when gas changes to a liquid.

