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Autumn 2 Newsletter November 2023

Dear Parents,

Well, where did our first half term in school go? The children have settled well into year 4 and made a great start. We hope you had a good half term break and that the children are looking forward to the half term ahead.

PE days.

Our planned PE days are still Wednesdays and Fridays- 2 hours per week- so please ensure children wear their PE kit on these two days. We will be going outside on Wednesdays so please make sure that your child is wearing warm clothes on that day.

Homework

Thank you for supporting your children with their online homework on EdShed and TT Rock Stars. Homework will continue to be set online and will include activities on TT Rock Stars and EdShed.

Curriculum- Autumn 2 2023

Maths – Multiplication, division and fractions

English – Diary writing and a non-chronological report on an imaginary creature (fact file)

Science – Living things

Geography – Rainforests and Local Woodland Study

PE – Cricket (coaches) and Problem Solving

Art – sketching and painting with watercolours

French – Describing clothes

RE – Warnings in the story of the Magi

Music - Children will be taught by Hampshire Music Service as part of the Listen2Me project.

Computing – Scratch computer programming

PDL – Celebrating differences. No outsiders text – Dogs don't do ballet.

School Trips

With the run up to Christmas, this is sure to be a fun-filled, exciting time for the children. We will keep you posted of all events and activities that will take place over the coming weeks.

Thank you for your support,

Kind regards

Miss Hibberd, Mr Norris, Mr Churchill and the Year 4 team