



Orchards Junior School

Year 4 teachers:
Miss McCue (Year Leader)
Mr Cave
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Mrs MorgansMills
Miss Southernwood

Key dates:

February 5th - MOVE IT
HALF TERM Mon 17th Feb - FRI 21st Feb
Romans Workshops- 5th-6th March
Romans Day- 18th March
Parent Consultation Day – Monday 30th March
Easter holidays – Mon 6th April - Fri 17th April

Year 4 Curriculum Outline – Spring 2020

- English & languages**
 - Iron Man- including: description/persuasive/report writing.
 - Non-chronological reports.
 - Grammar and spelling lessons every week.
 - Spanish- ages, birthdays and dates.
- Maths**
 - Place value -Ordering numbers including negatives, estimating and approximating. Shape...2D, 3D.
 - Addition, subtraction, multiplication and division - mental and written methods of calculation
 - Fractions - ordering and simple notation. Handling data, measuring and recording length, reading time
- Science & Technology**
 - Famous Scientists and Inventors, and how they changed the world.
 - Sound- inside the human ear. How does sound travel?
 - Lego robots
- History, Geography, R.E.**
 - Romans
 - The importance of Easter to Christians. Muslim beliefs - Fasting and Feasting. Ramadan. Islamic community.
- Art, Design & Music**
 - Clay work linked to the Iron man.
 - Art exhibition work
 - Guitars
 - Structure- photo frames
- P.E. & PHSCE**
 - OAA - orienteering.
 - Indoor athletics - jumping and throwing.
 - Mindfulness, families and friends.

Miss McCue says...

Hope everyone had a lovely, restful half term...

It has been a great start to the spring so far with 22 year 4 children taking part in the Move It performance at the pavilion! I have also been impressed with the standard of work across all subjects and have also enjoyed seeing the excellent, creative homework projects from our different homework grids.

We have a busy half term coming up with lots more fun-filled activities based on our new Roman topic. I can't wait to see the great outfits on our Roman day!

What a busy time – keep up all the hard work and keep *sparkling!*

Let us know what you think: Is there an aspect of our topics that your child is particularly interested in? What would they really like to find out/explore/investigate? Are they already an expert/skilled in any of these areas?

Child's name:

Class:

Comments:



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