Horn Park Primary School

YEAR 4

AUTUMN 1 NEWSLETTER

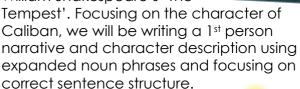


We hope that everybody had a lovely summer. We are thrilled to see the children return to school well-rested and eager for the year to come.

Please do not hesitate to contact the school if you have any questions. Miss Blogg and Mrs Pickles.

ENGLISH

We will be starting the term with a whole school topic around William Shakespeare's 'The





We will be studying electricity. We will experiment with building our own circuits to understand the component parts. Then, we will make our own switches to investigate how it impacts on the circuit. Finally, we will explore different materials to discover whether they are electrical conductors or insulators.

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We will be studying Hinduism this term, starting with exploring Hindu life. We will discuss the beliefs Hindus have about creation and explore some key facts about the religion including the ways in which they worship. Finally, we will consider how their beliefs impact Hindu life and the choices they make.

TRIPS/ DATES

Friday 15th Sept - 9am - Meet the Teacher Wednesday 27th Sept - Trip to Unicorn Theatre Wednesday 18th Oct - Maritime Museum Tuesday17th Oct / Thursday19th Oct - Parents Evening

MATHS



We will explore 3- and 4-digit numbers and how they are represented and manipulated. After, we will begin addition and subtraction topics; we will review learning from Year 3, before applying our skills to larger numbers. Throughout the year, we will be learning all our times tables ahead of the Multiplication Checker in June – practice at home will help us achieve excellent scores!

HISTORY AND GEOGRAPHY

In History, we will be learning about the Romans. We will explore reasons for invasion of Britain and their overall success, as well as the diversity in Roman Britain, including Emperor Septimius Severus. In Geography, we will be starting our whole-year Antarctica and Arctic topic, exploring the geographical locations and climates of the Polar Regions.

CLASS NOTICES

Lambeth Class

PE: Tuesday and Friday

Forest school on alternate Mondays.

Week commencing 18th

Kew Class

PE: Wednesday and Friday

Forest School on alternate Mondays.

Week commencing 11th

Home learning will be sent home every Friday alongside reading records to be completed. There will be daily reading and times tables practise, and the spellings will be updated each week on google classroom.

Please remember to send your child to school with a labelled water bottle each day. When it begins to get colder, please ensure your child has a coat in school. Please label all items belonging to your child.