

**Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> October 2024**

**Learning Update – Autumn 1**

Dear Parents/Carers,

It has been a very busy half term! The children have settled into their new year group, classroom and routines very quickly. In English lessons, the children have learnt to write a diary entry using subordination, sentences of 3 and effective synonyms. They have also learnt how to use tone appropriately in their writing. In Maths, the children have completed their Place Value, Addition & Subtraction and Area blocks.

After the half-term break, Year 4 will begin their Multiplication & Division block. We will start with the 3,6 and 9 times-tables. Please support your child with practising their times-tables and division facts. Your child will be given a reminder username and password for TTRS if they have misplaced or forgotten it. A BIG WELL DONE to Year 4 for winning both TTRS competitions so far!

In topics, the children have enjoyed learning about Sound in Science, Rivers in Geography and a firm favourite – making a recycled musical instrument in Design & Technology. We are currently still learning about the Tudors.

After this topic, we will begin learning about Teeth and Eating & Food Chains (Science). As an additional piece of homework, we would like your child to produce a poster for our Science Wall during the Half-term break.

On Monday 11<sup>th</sup> November, Year 4 will lead the Remembrance Assembly for the whole school. We will confirm a time as soon as possible. Please save the date to come and watch.

School reopens on Monday 28<sup>th</sup> October. We hope you have a lovely half-term break.

Mrs Greer & Mrs Mitchell