

# Year 4 Spring 2



# Reminders

- Listen to your child read daily and sign their diary.
- Bring signed reading books into school daily.
- Label all your children's belongings children to bring a drink of water – no fizzy pop, prime or milkshakes please.
- Practice timetables regularly as we have a weekly TTrockstars battle between the two year four classes.
- Please use TTrockstars and Prodigy to reinforce and practice skills learnt in school.
- Please help your child with learning their lines and the songs for our assembly.



We encourage children to bring a healthy snack into school for breaktime. Fresh fruit is not provided in KS2.

# **Key Dates:**

# YEAR 4 EASTER ASSEMBLY – Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2pm

**PE:** 4S Monday 4E Tuesday

**Swimming** – Wednesday for **group 1** children. *Please arrive in PE kit; earrings removed for safety.* 

Music – 4E: Monday 4S: Tuesday

Where instruments have been taken home, these **must** be in school for the lesson.

6.3- Careers Day 7.3- World Book Day 8.3- Girls play Football

15.3- Comic Relief 18.3 & 21.2- Parents Evening

# Websites

Please ensure you have access to the below websites - personal login details have been shared. Seesaw

MyOn

Times Tables Rock Stars - Year 4 Times Table test will take place in the Summer term.

Prodigy

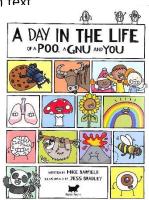
# **English**

We are reading A Poo, a Gnu and You By Mike Barfield & Jess Bradley

Fiction: Journey Tale

Non- fiction: Explanation text

Our writing journey is undermined by the Talk for writing process. Moving from imitation through to innovation then to independent application



#### **TOPIC:**

# **Burps, Bottoms and Bile**

This will include:

- Teeth
- Bodily functions
- Healthy eating
- Poo

## **PSHE & RE**

RE

Is forgiveness always possible for Christians?

# PHSE:

Healthy Me – smoking and alcohol, healthy friendships

**Science: Electricity** 

This unit will include:

- Constructing a simple series electrical circuit, identifying and naming its basic parts, including cells, wires, bulbs, switches and buzzer.
- Making a switch
- Electrical insulators and conductors

#### **Maths**

We will be looking at Fractions this half term.

This will include:

- Understanding the whole
- Improper fractions
- Converting improper fractions to mixed numbers
- Equivalent fractions

# **Key maths vocabulary**

Ordering, comparing, improper, mixed, equivalent, whole, equal parts, comparing

## **Physical Education**

Football skills

Dribbling, passing, receiving and tracking

#### Music

4S: Flute lessons every Tuesday.

4E Cornet and Baritone every Monday.



# **Computing**

Using Scratch to create a simple script.

#### **MFL**

French playground games / numbers and age



#### Art

Exploring still life.

## DT

Electrical Systems Torches