



Parents in Partnership

Year 4 Class Newsletter

Topic-Science this week!

Can you make two lists of items that use electricity in your home?

One list will be items that use mains electricity and the other items use cell or battery powered electricity.

English

Do you have a dictionary at home? Hopefully the answer is yes, and if so, please can you find five words and that begin with the letter 't'? Once you have decided on your five words, can you write them down and find any synonyms (similar meaning), or antonyms (opposite meaning), of these words.

In year 4 we need to be able to use a dictionary to check spellings using the first 3-4 letters of the word.

Spellings

Children will be tested on Mondays

We have changed the way we are setting spellings. The children will all learn the first 5 spellings but then the next 5 will depend on the spelling group they are in.

These groups are not fixed and your child may move between the groups depending on how they are doing in the tests. The results to their tests will be sent home every week so you can see how they are doing.

Maths

We are still working on geometry in maths. We have been measuring angles of 2D shapes this week.

For homework can you draw the four different types of triangles and six different types of quadrilaterals? Use a ruler and sharp pencil to draw your shapes. Label your shapes.

All children

notice
centre
certain
sentence
experience

Red Group

Year 1-2 words

said
come
some
pass
class

Yellow Group

Year 3-4 words

recent
actual
position
guide
early

Blue Group

Year 5-6 words

prejudice
opportunity
attached
especially
necessary

Please can your child also continue to learn the words they still need to be able to spell from their individual test results? The children will be tested again, on all words from the Year 1-2, Year 3-4 or Year 5-6 high frequency word lists at the end of this term. Lists of results have now been sent home.