

Educating For 'Life In All Its Fullness'

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Weekly Update for Class 4

Week beginning 10 February 2025

Thank you so much for joining us in Sheffield for the Young Voices Concert. The concert was amazing, Class 4 children were very happy and joyful and they made us all very proud of them. For us adults, it was a privilege to be with your children. Thank you so much to Mrs Jarvis for her energy, enthusiasm and hard work in organising such a memorable event for our children!

The first part of the Spring Term has flown by! Class 4 children have produced amazing work and have been very busy in so many ways: they've rehearsed for Young Voices, they've confidently tackled challenging work and they've grown closer to each other. I love the way Class 4 children work together, play and communicate with each other as they're not two separate groups but they are one class of lovely children.

In Maths, we've completed the topic on Fractions. In English, we've learnt more about Kensuke's Kingdom, including learning about Kensuke, the island and his home. Inspired by the book, children learnt to write Tankas and Haikus, two Japanese forms of poetry.

In Geography, we've just completed the topic on Maps. Today, Class 4 children designed a map of Harewood using symbols inspired by the Ordnance Survey maps.

We started learning about Human Rights in PSHE and we explored the definitions for migrant and refugee. We filled our class map of the world with lots of colourful tags containing details of where we or our family members are from. We shared and celebrated our life stories, with their challenges and successes.

Residential 2025

A letter containing important information about the residential was sent early this week. Please, sent the form back on Monday 24th February. Thank you to the families who have returned the form.

Celebration Assembly

Congratulations to Class 4 for their Brilliant Behaviour and to Aston for his Wonderful Work!

Homework

Class 4 children have made excellent progress this half term and it's essential they continue to practise what they've learnt so far. For the next 2 weeks, they will:

- 1. Practise the new spellings (words ending in –en) including the 9 statutory ones.
- 2. Complete 3 online Maths tests recapping the skills learnt so far.
- 3. Complete 1 SPaG test online (year 6 children only).
- 4. Complete reading comprehension tasks (Set <u>B 1 to 3</u> for the year 6 children and <u>2 printed sets of worksheets</u> for the year 5 children).

I wish you all a lovely half-term break, Mrs Wright















