

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

TEACHING STAFF

- Class 4 - Mrs Civval
PE: Tuesday (indoor), Wednesday (outdoor).
- Class 5 - Mrs Fray/Mrs Noon
PE: Friday (indoor), Wednesday (outdoor).
- Class 6 - Miss Dean
PE: Monday (indoor), Wednesday (outdoor).



SPECIAL NEEDS TA

- Mrs Wilkinson

CLASSROOM SUPPORT TA

- Mrs White

LEARNING MENTOR

- Ms Chapman



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YEAR 4 PARENTS INFORMATION BOOKLET AUTUMN TERM 2009



This term I will be learning about . . .

LITERACY

Plays
based on the book
Jessie came
Across the Sea

Plays

Recounts: Newspapers and Magazines



NUMERACY

Mental Strategies and Word Problems

SCIENCE



Keeping Warm
Friction

ICT

Writing for Different Audiences

GEOGRAPHY

Maps—Countries and Continents of the World

RE

What's it like to be a Jew?

PE

Dance and Outdoor Games



CREATIVE SKILLS

Art, Music, Drama

PSHE

Citizenship—rules, responsibilities, communities etc

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Learning is a two way partnership, involving school and home. Here are some ideas to help you with your child's learning.

SPELLING STRINGS (see website)

High frequency word revision.

th, wh, ough, ck, - use at every opportunity to point these out and get children to point them out e.g. cereal boxes, posters, books, newspaper. Say the sound and word.



LITERACY—BASIC SKILLS

- The basics in Year 4 are: capital letters, full stops, adjectives, commas and question marks.
- Kung Fu Punctuation - ask child to demonstrate and then copy
- Point out list when reading
- "and then" when the child is talking to make them expand

TOPIC (INCLUDING USEFUL WEBSITES)

Geography - City of New York

Encourage children to find out about famous landmarks in New York. Find out about continents, oceans and distances between Europe and America.

(Remember if you have any difficulties contact your child's year group staff.)

NUMERACY

Children to know the following instantly:

X2 table 2,4,6,8,10,12,14,16,18,20,22,24

X5 table 5,10,15,20,25,30,35,40,45,50,55,60

X10 table 10,20,30,40,50,60,70,80,90,100,110,120

X3 table 3,6,9,12,15,18,21,24,27,30,33,36

X4 table 4,8,12,16,20,24,28,32,36,40,44,48

Number bonds to 10 and 20

0+10, 1+9, 2+8, 3+7, 4+6, 5+5, 6+4, 7+3, 8+2, 9+1, 10+0

Challenge: number bonds to 100



READING STRATEGIES

Please read at least 3/4 times a week with your child at home.

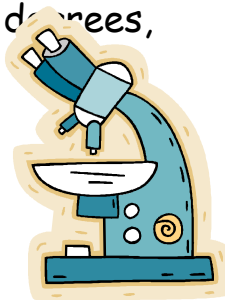
- Look at and discuss pictures
- Ask questions about the text
- Read one page each

SCIENCE

Keeping Warm - Read and use a thermometer.

Cookery - Melt chocolate, ice cubes, ice lollies.

Vocabulary to learn - temperature, thermometer, degrees, Celsius, thermal, conductors, thermal, insulator



**More ideas and fun things to do can be found on the school website:
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