

## Year 4 - Week Commencing 4-9-17

### Maths

Our main focus in Maths this week will be place value. The children will be looking at the value of each digit in a 4 digit number and will also be comparing numbers.

### English

We will be starting to read *The Firework Makers Daughter* by Phillip Pullman as part of our unit on Fantasy stories. The children will also be learning how to use a thesaurus effectively.

### Theme

We will be focussing this week on PSHE, Design Technology and Science. Mrs Morgan will be leading the Science with some practical activities involving electricity and circuits.

### Extras

Welcome back and I hope you all had a wonderful break!

French will be on Friday

PE will be on Monday and Friday

Spellings and homework will be given out every Friday

### Phonics (or spelling in KS2) Focus:

This week we will be focussing on homophones (words which sound the same but are spelt differently). This year the children will also be given 3 spellings taken from the Year 4 statutory spelling list.