

Year 4 - Week Commencing 18-9-17

Maths

This week the children will be focussing on written addition and subtraction. They will be using a variety of strategies including column addition/subtraction and bar models. They will be applying this knowledge to answer a selection of word problems and reasoning challenges.

English

We will be moving on to the Gathering Content stage this week where the children will be reading more of *The Firework Makers Daughter*. We will be focussing on the use of noun phrases and adverbs to add more detail to their writing. I am so impressed with how well they are working!

Theme

Mrs Morgan will be continuing her great work in Science again this week with more practical activities involving electricity and circuits. The children will be applying this knowledge in our DT work where we will be evaluating electrical toys. If it is possible for your child to bring one in on Tuesday it would be much appreciated. All toys will be looked after and kept in my cupboard before and after the lesson.

Extras

French will be on Friday, PE will be on Monday and with Phil on Friday.

My PPA will be on Wednesday afternoon.

Weekly homework can be found at www.activelearnprimary.co.uk

Could your child please complete the equivalent fraction activities as well as the fronted adverbial homework. All children have been given their log in details.

Phonics (or spelling in KS2) Focus:

We will be continuing our work on homophones (please see the list stuck in your child's homework diary). We will also be learning 3 words taken from the Year4 statutory list which this week are: *breadth*, *different* and *group*.