

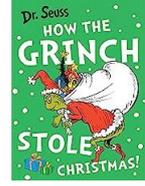
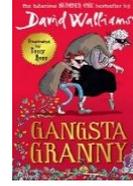
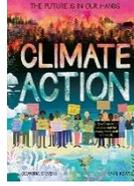
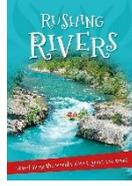
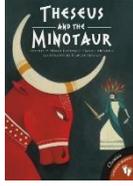
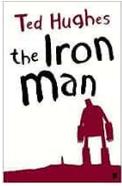
Termly Learning Leaflet

Year 4

Autumn Term 2024



This term, in Year 4, we will be reading...



Reading

In order to reinforce learning, your child will be given a reading record book. Reading is exceptionally important and it is imperative that children are reading regularly, hopefully for 10 – 15 minutes at least 5 times per week. It would be really helpful if you could listen to your child read and record this in their home reading record. Reading records are to be returned every **Monday** morning. Children will bring a book home from school, but they are also quite welcome to read any books or magazines they have at home.

Homework Expectations at Broadway Junior School

Children will receive homework each Monday to be returned the following Monday. Homework will usually be set using an online platform such as Purple Mash, Sumdog or Times Tables Rock Stars. The work will be explained and discussed in class before the children leave school; it may be a continuation of classwork, or a task to consolidate learning. We would really appreciate your support in ensuring your child completes and returns their homework on time.

PE in Year 4

Children in Year 4 will participate in P.E on **Tuesdays**, your child will need to arrive in school wearing their kit. PE lessons will take place inside and out, dependent on the weather so your child's choice of kit should reflect this. Trainers will be required for all pupils, with black tracksuit bottoms, shorts or joggers (leggings for the girls) along with their regular uniform top (or white t-shirt).

5 Ways to Wellbeing

Anti-bullying week will be celebrated in school from the 11th November. The children will take part in a range of different activities during this week.

Curriculum Enrichment

The children will take part in an educational visit to the Hancock Museum later this term. This will be a follow up to our work in History on Ancient Greece but will also allow the children to develop their history skills including chronological understanding.

After School Clubs

This term, Year 4 children can attend an after school club every day, 3pm-4pm. A separate letter will give further detail.

Spellings

In order for you to support your child at home, the children will receive a half termly spelling list. Spellings are tested every Friday.

Our Curriculum in Year 4 this term...

In reading/writing we will...
Investigate features of a text and how they affect the reader, plan and write their own version of a familiar story with a focus on varied and rich vocabulary.
In mathematics we will...
Add and subtract numbers with up to three digits using a formal written method exchanging as required. Read, write, order and round 4-digit numbers. Calculate the Perimeter of 2d shapes. Know all x tables.
In science we will...
Identify that sounds are made through vibrations. Find patterns with pitch and volume. Construct a simple electrical circuit. Recognise that a switch closes a circuit. Recognise common conductors and insulators.
In RE we will...
Research the 'Trinity' and why it is so important to Christians and how Christians show their beliefs about God the Trinity in worship. Discover what Hindus believe god is like.
In history we will...
Research and study Ancient Greek life, achievements and their influence. Explore strands such as: The Ancient Greek Empire, Greek Gods and Goddesses, Athens and Sparta and what we can learn from pottery.
In geography we will...
Understand the key elements and features of a river and to know the names and key information of the world's main rivers.
In music we will...
Listen to music with pentatonics. Play and perform in solo and ensemble contexts, using their voices and 5 note pentatonic scales. Create soundscapes linked to different pieces of music.
In art we will...
Explore how different materials can be shaped and joined and create our own 3D sculptures.
In DT we will...
Investigate ways of opening and closing pencil cases. Investigate a range of pencil case designs. Design, make and evaluate using a range of techniques to join fabrics.
In computing we will...
Develop coding skills, ensuring pupils have the opportunity to explore program design and put computational thinking into practice.
In French we will...
Look at the seasons of the year and describe the changes. Name various types of vegetables and express which ones we would like to buy.
In PSHE/RSHE we will...
Discuss the meaning of healthy lifestyles and how our bodies change. Build an awareness of online safety and the benefits and risks of sharing information online.
In PE we will...
Work on jumping, landing, co-ordination and footwork skills. Persevere with a task and improve performances through regular repetition.

Please speak with Mrs Giles or Mr Lindstedt directly if you have any specific questions about the intended curriculum in your child's year group.

We look forward to welcoming you all to the school for our events in the coming weeks and months. Please remember to keep up to date with the monthly Broadway Bulletin and ensure we have your correct contact details at all times so you remain well informed.