

Year 4 Learning Leaflet

MATHS

Multiply 2-digit numbers by 1-digit

The children will begin to use arrays and progress onto using formal written methods to solve multiplication equations.

Home Task: Can you write down some multiplication calculations for your child to solve using a method of their choice.

Times Tables

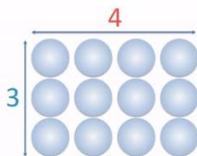
This week our focus is on the 4- and 8-times tables. **Encourage your child to chant these multiples wherever and whenever! They can also test themselves on sound check.**



WRITING

This week we will use the story *The Selfish Giant* to write our own narrative. Our focus is to build cohesion through the use of varied sentence types and fronted adverbials.

Can your child write a simple, compound and complex sentence about the selfish giant?



24 x 6 becomes

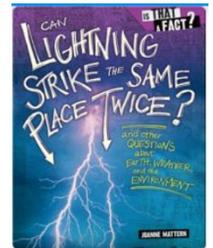
$$\begin{array}{r} 24 \\ \times 6 \\ \hline 144 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

Answer: 144

READING

This week we will be using Get Epic (an online book tool) in our guided reading sessions. We will use a non-fiction text about extreme weather, after the lightning we experienced last week sparked the children's interests.

Can you create a non-chronological report on a weather condition of your choice?



NOTES

Homework – look out for weekly spellings, which should be practiced for Friday's test.

Reading – our expectation is to read at least 3x per week at home.

Handwriting – this week we are learning Rr and Ss letters. Please practise these at home.

Parent comments – please get in touch via email or Class Dojo if you would like to comment on your child's learning.



OTHER LEARNING

Science – We are going to look at conductors and insulators of electricity. **Can you explain what a conductor and an insulator is?**

History – The children will be exploring ancient artefacts from the Anglo-Saxon period. **Can you choose an artefact to draw and make a write a paragraph explaining what it is and how it was used?**