

Year 4 Learning Leaflet

MATHS Fractions

Over the next couple of weeks in maths we will be looking at fractions. This week, the children will be converting improper fractions to mixed numbers.

Times Tables

We will be focussing on instant recall of all multiplication facts up to 12x12 in preparation to the MTC test. **Encourage your child to chant multiples wherever and whenever! They can also test themselves on sound check.**



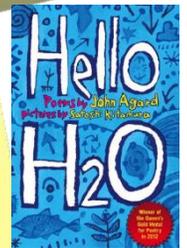
WRITING

Continuing with the story, FAR^{THER}. We have discussed the features of the flying machine that father has created and we will have a go at creating our very own. Once we have all the features together we will produce a set of instructions to describe the process, including time connectives. **Can your child think of any features a flying machine may need?**



1	7	13
2	8	
3	9	
4	10	
5	11	
6	12	

 → $\frac{13}{6} = 2\frac{1}{6}$



READING

Staying on the theme of poems, our Hello H₂O book will teach the children the meaning of a range of scientific words along with using their inference skills in order to retrieve and conclude information from the text.

Encourage your child to use a dictionary to find a range of different words to help them gain practice?

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 focussing on the letters Yy and Zz using the cursive technique.

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 – This week we are exploring taste and smell. We will be using the non-fiction book Invisible Nature to conduct an experiment. **Can you play a guess the taste/smell game?**

Geography – Our new unit is understanding how earthquakes and volcanoes are formed. This week we are looking at the two types of volcanoes. **Can your child write a paragraph to compare Stratovolcanoes and Shield volcanoes?**

