## Year 3 and 4 Spring Term 2020

Welcome to the start of the Spring term. We hope you had a fantastic break. As always, we have a busy term ahead with many exciting things for the children to look forward to. Our theme this term is *Earth and Beyond* and although the key focus will be on Geography, we will also be linking this to work in other subjects. We will begin the term looking at ta non-fiction text 'A Huge first step'. We hope this will be a very exciting topic for the children so if you have any

pictures or information to share please feel free to send them in or discuss it with your child and/or their class teacher. The year four children are still enjoying the fantastic opportunity to learn an play a brass instrument. We also have the opportunity for the children to see some actual parts that have been brought back from the moon.

Geography— Geography in the UK
History— Being an historian
Art— Making sketches and model of the planets
D & T— Design and make alien masks
Science— Sound
Computing— Coding
French—Ou habites tu? (Where do you live?)
RE— Our world
Jigsaw—Dreams and Goals

## PE Days.

VP-Monday/Tuesday

CM- Tuesday / Wednesday

SB—Tuesday / Wednesday

Children do need a full PE kit consisting of white t-shirt, blue/black shorts and sandshoes / trainers. As we will be going outside whenever possible, children should also have leggings or joggers as we get the colder weather. All jewellery should be removed for PE. Children with recently pierced ears will be provided with tape.

## Reading

We expect children to read at least 3 times a week—this is part of their weekly homework. It does not have to be a full book, it could be a few pages but it's important that this activity is a shared one and we ask you to please sign their reading card and return it to school daily. We like to celebrate reading success and each class is rewarded if they achieve the highest reading percentage weekly. The reading week runs from Tuesday to Tuesday as we celebrate in our Wednesday assembly.

We are always happy to discuss the children's learning or address any concerns you may have. If you would like to speak to us, please contact the office to arrange a convenient time.

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