

# Year 4 Newsletter

## Spring Term 1

We hope you had a good Christmas break and a very Happy New Year to you all!

### This term we are learning...

**In English:** We are reading How to Train Your Dragon. We will be writing our own stories based on the book and then later in the half term we will be writing instructions.

**In Guided Reading:** We are reading The Hodgeheg and The Where on Earth Book of Rainforests. Please encourage your child to read their library book each week.

**In Maths:** We will be continuing with our multiplication and division unit. We will then move on to length and perimeter later in the half term.

**In Geography:** Our big question is: "Why are Rainforests important to us?" We will be looking at The Amazon Rainforest and how deforestation is having a significant impact on the animals and people who live there.

**In Science:** We will be investigating sound in physics.

**In RE:** This term's question is, "What does it mean to be a Hindu today?"

**In Art:** We will be exploring light and dark colour mixing in painting.

**Computing:** Website design      **French:** Family members, possessive & subject pronouns

**Music:** Ukuleles      **PE:** Ball Skills      **RSHE:** Keeping Safe

### Upcoming Events

**Thurs 22nd January** – Y4 Trip to Tropical World

**13th – 22nd February** – February half term holidays

**WkC 8th June** – Multiplication tables check test

Please encourage your child to practise their timetables at least 3 times a week.



### Reminders

Please ensure your children are completing their homework and bring it back before **Monday** the following week.

Year 4 children need their PE kit every **Tuesday**.

Children need to bring a water bottle and coat to school every day.

