

# CLASSROOM NEWS

This term in Class 8, we will be studying:

**Reading** – 'The World's Biggest Space Cadet' by James Carter & 'How to Help a Hedgehog and Protect a Polar Bear' by Jess French

**Writing** – non-chronological report, explanation texts and newspaper reports.

**Maths** – fractions including decimals, geometry and multiplication and division.

**Science** – Light and Forces and Magnets.

**RE** – Jesus the Man Who Changed Lives and Easter: Betrayal and Trust.

**History** – The Romans

**Geography** – The UK and Europe

**Computing** – iPodcast - Digital Creativity

**PSHCE** – Living in the Wider World.

**DT** – Mechanisms and Linkages

**Art** – Landscapes

**Music** – Notation

## UPCOMING EVENTS

30<sup>th</sup> Jan – 10<sup>th</sup> Feb – Y3 and Y4 MAT Times

Tables Rockstars Competition

7<sup>th</sup> February – Safer Internet Day

17<sup>th</sup> February – School closes for half-term

27<sup>th</sup> February – School re-opens.

10<sup>th</sup> March – World Book Day

7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> March – Parent Consultations

31<sup>st</sup> March – School Closes for Easter

## HOMEWORK



- Read your reading book 3/4 times a week
- Practise your spellings
- Practise your times tables
- One piece of English or maths homework
- Practise mindfulness and wellbeing

## REMINDERS

Children need to enter school through door 1 in the morning and they will be dismissed on the KS2 yard at the end of the day.

Our PE days are Monday & Wednesday. However, PE kits should be in school every day.

At the end of Year 4, children are expected to know all of their times tables. In the summer term we have the Year 4 Multiplication Check, please make sure children are practising at home.

## FOR MORE INFORMATION

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