

Portway Junior School

Welcome to Year 4 - Our learning for Summer 2

English

Writing

In our first learning journey we will read a fantastic text 'Emil and the Detectives' by Erich Kastner to help us write a formal letter.

The second learning journey will be driven by the film clip 'Pigeon Impossible' to help us recognise poetic forms.

Reading

This half term we will read 'A Scandal in Bohemia' from The Adventures of Sherlock Holmes . As well as the 'Spy's Handbook' published by Usborne.



Home Learning

Read 4 times a week to an adult and practice times tables 4 times a week.

Diaries must be signed each week by an adult at home. They are checked in school every Friday. Optional project homework & spelling tasks are available on Google Classrooms.

Foundation Subjects



Geography- Biomes and climate zones with a focus on Peru.

Science- Plant reproduction

PSHE - Changing me

French - Les saisons

Computing - audio editing

RE - Sikhism- Love

Music - Notation

DT - Designing and making vehicles

PE - Athletics and Tri-golf

PE days - children should wear PE kit & trainers to school on PE days.

Monday - Tennis

Thursday - Striking games

Forest School - Children to come to school in old, protective clothes with long sleeves and trousers.

Kite - 5th June & 26th June

Hare - 12th June & 3rd July

Deer - 19th June & 10th July

Key Dates

Please see the Portway Press for all key dates.

Maths

In June, all Year 4 pupils take part in a statutory multiplication tables check. This will test children's times table speed and ability. Make practicing fun using games and activities to motivate them. TT Rockstars and education city have great resources for supporting this.

In lessons this half term we will be focusing on:

- Consolidating number
- Shape
- Statistics
- Time

