

All children thrive in a culture where potential is limitless

# YEAR 4



# Loose

Primary School

## newsletter

### Friday 28th October 2025

#### WHAT HAVE WE LEARNT?

The children have made brilliant progress with addition and subtraction in the last few weeks and have started to tackle area. It has been brilliant to see out visual learners really thrive and explore a different area of maths. The children will soon be moving on to multiplication and division. Times table knowledge will be key to the children's success so please ensure TTRS engagement stays high at home.

In literacy, the children have finished the True Story of the Three Little Pigs and have created some brilliant twisted fairy tales to share with our friends in year 1. The children found a great balance of emotion and humour in their writing as well as tackling new concepts such as subordination.

PSHE has allowed the children to explore their aspirations and potential future careers. They were all so incredibly inspiring and most definitely dream big. We have also explored the value of money and the importance of tracking our money. I wonder what impact this will have on their attitude to their pocket money.

The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane has gripped us all. The children have been disgusted at his low levels of gratitude and high levels of arrogance. As a result, the children's levels of sympathy were quite low when he was thrown overboard. We can't wait to see if he escapes from the bottom of the ocean.

We have started to explore the features of Roman helmets in readiness of designing our own. When building their helmets in DT, the children will explore how to reinforce structures. We can't wait to see the children porting their protective headwear. Please may you send in newspapers ASAP to support us in delivering this unit.

The children have shown great ball control in hockey and have worked on their aim when shooting. Please ensure your child has shin pads and a gum shield for each lesson.

#### COMING UP

5th November

Non-uniform day

11th November

Christmas Jumper and Lunch Day

#### REMINDERS

- Bring home learning books to school every day for communication and acknowledgement of reading at home.
- Children should be reading for 20 minutes, going on TTRS for 10 minutes and practicing spellings for 10 minutes.
- Please can you ensure your child has shin pads and a gum shield for PE
- Please ensure your child is sent to school with a named water bottle

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