

# **GRAVENHURST ACADEMY**



Growing Together, Learning Together

# KS2 (Years 3 and 4) Newsletter - Spring 2024

Petermination Values this term: Determination, Cooperation, Appreciation

Welcome back and Happy New Year! I hope you all had a fantastic Christmas. Below is some information about the topics we will be covering this term.

Learning logs will be sent home this week and contain a homework grid for the Spring term and a reminder of how this works.

For the first half term the children will be doing Forest School on a Monday afternoon. Please can they come to school that day in suitable warm clothes with a waterproof jacket and boots as we will be outside whatever the weather!.

Please can you also ensure all school uniform and PE kit is labelled with the children's names especially jumpers and cardigans!

### **Mathematics**

The children will be working on multiplication and division and length and perimeter.

After half term the children will also learn about fractions and decimals and mass and capacity.

Please help your child practice their times tables at home as well.

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In Computing we will be looking at writing for different audiences and logo.

# <u>English</u>

This half term we are looking at Roman myths and newspaper recounts.

After half term we will be learning about stories from other cultures and list poems and kennings.

### **French**

The children will be learning how to tell the time, saying what the weather is like, learning the numbers to 200 and all about eating and food.

## Topic and Science

Our History topic for the first half term will be The Romans.

Our Artwork will be Power Prints and our DT making torches.

After half term our Geography topic will be Where does our food come from?

In Science we will be learning about Electricity and Forces and Magnets.

### <u>KS2 timetable</u>

This term PE will be on a Tuesday and Wednesday. We will be doing gymnastics and dance. The children will also continue to have the opportunity to attend a sports club on a Thursday lunchtime.

#### Reminders.

-Spelling test day: Fridays -Times tables test day: Thursday

