

Robin Hood Primary School

Year 4 Newsletter – Friday 18th November 2022

We have had another busy week this week and learned lots across all of the curriculum. In PSHE, we considered how setbacks help us to become resilient and to learn from these. We began learning the 1950's rock and roll classic, 'Rock Around The Clock' in Music and compared a North and South American city in Geography.

Home reading: This year, all children will record their reading on our new virtual reading log: Boom Reader (formerly Go Read). This can be accessed via any device, which allows access to the internet, including mobile phones. **All children are expected to log a minimum of four entries each week.** More information has been shared about this at Meet the Teacher meeting this year. For support, please speak to your child's class teacher. Thank you for your support with this.

Google Classroom: Please continue to use the Google Classroom page as usual for any key information and to view any learning shared. We will continue to add home learning tasks on here as well as sending home a paper copy. We will also continue to upload photographs of the children's learning to our school Twitter account.

<u>PE</u>

Our PE days are on a Monday (outdoor) and Friday (indoor). Children can come to school on these days in their usual PE kit: plain white t-shirt, dark shorts/bottoms, dark hoodie and suitable trainers. Please provide a coat for outdoor PE too!

<u>Maths</u>: This week, we have been working on multiplying and dividing by 10 and 100 using place value grids and counters to visualise this and secure our understanding. Next week, we will begin learning the formal written methods for 2 digit by 1 digit multiplication.

English: This week, we have drafted and published diary entries in role as Captain Robert Falcon Scott, using formal, historical language and powerful adjectives to describe emotions. We have also begun reading a range of funny poems and comparing their style and features. Next week, we will begin looking at the features of persuasive writing in order to write a travel brochure about an American city.

Homework: This week's homework task and spelling activity have been shared on Google Classroom. Spelling covers the /zh/ sound made with the codes 'ge' and 'g'. Homework tasks link to our learning from English and Maths this week.