



# Robin Hood Primary School

## Year 4 Newsletter – Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March 2024

We've had another fun filled week in year 4. We started off the week with our **D:side visit** where we discussed alcohol and its effects on the body. The children really enjoyed this and were incredibly mature with their engagement and input. Today we have celebrated Red Nose day and enjoyed eating cake!

**Maths:** This week, we have been working subtracting fractions from whole numbers and mixed numbers. We have a continued working hard to convert whole numbers into fractions using our times table knowledge to speed up the process.

**English:** This week we have continued our narrative writing unit set in Ancient Rome. The children introduced their protagonist and antagonist (angry Roman centurion!) and worked on speech between these two. In reading, we learnt about many inspiring individuals, such as Mo Farah, Harriet Tubman, Bessie Coleman, Mary Seacole and the Obamas from 'Young, Gifted and Black'.

**PE:** Our PE days remain on a Tuesday (indoor) and Thursday (outdoor). 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! As the weather is now changeable, please feel free to send your child a change of shoes for outdoor PE as well.

### **Home Reading and Homework**

Please can you ensure your child's reading record is signed and they are logging any reading at home. All homework will continue to be sent home on a Thursday, and is due in the following Thursday. Your child can bring this back on any day throughout the week.

### **Lineham Farm Residential instalment dates**

Countdown to Lineham has begun. All children have been given a kit list.

**Friday 23rd February 2024** – 2nd instalment (now overdue)

**Friday 22nd March 2024** – 3rd instalment

**Friday 13th April 2024** – Final instalment

- Year 4KF will be at Lineham Farm on Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> April to Friday 26<sup>th</sup> April
- Year 4DB will be at Lineham Farm on Monday 29<sup>th</sup> April to Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> May

### **Year 4 Times Table Test**

This is just a reminder to parents that the year 4 times table test will take place between

Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June and Friday 14<sup>th</sup> June 2024. Please ensure pupils practice on TTRockstars for at least 15 minutes per week.

We also have our Learning Showcase Assembly on **Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> March** at **3:00-3:30pm** in week 5. See you there!

Thank you all you continued support,

Miss Baker and Mr Feltham