



BILLIONAIRE NEWS

W/C 4th October 2021

Thank you all for attending parents evening. It was lovely to finally have parents back in school for face-to-face meetings.

Here are our parent notices this week:

Reply slips for the Bradford trip need returning ASAP. This trip will be very educational for Y4 as it covers our Hinduism, Islam and Judaism topics from Lower Key Stage 2.

Homework folders and reading diaries should be in school every day.

- PE kits should be brought into school on Mondays (as stated in the transition letter) and left until Friday as our PE days may change at short notice.
- Jewellery should NOT be worn on PE days. We are currently wasting 10/15 minutes per PE lesson waiting for children to tape up their ears. Please ensure earrings are removed before school or taped up before children arrive to school. Thank you!

What have we been doing this week?

- **Maths** - Addition and Subtraction. We started our new unit by recapping the Y3 objectives of adding and subtracting 3 digit numbers. We then moved onto adding two four digit numbers with one or more exchanges.
- **English** - we have just written our newspaper reports on 'Pigeon Impossible.' The children really loved this unit and you can watch the video here for yourself:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jEjUANPc2VA>

- Some of our new writing skills include:

Alliteration and wordplay	Formal language	Reporting clauses
Inverted commas for speech	Sensationalist language	Presentation rules

- **Topic** - we have been discussing the 6 wives of Henry VIII and why he married so many times. We made judgments as to why King Henry VIII broke with Rome in 1533 and why this led to the English Reformation. We wrote letters to Pope Clement VII as Henry VIII asking for an annulment from Catherine of Aragon.

Reading

At Tankersley, we are extremely keen for the children to read and enjoy what they are reading. Once a week, every child's reading record is checked to ensure they are **reading at home at least three times a week**. This needs to be signed by an adult in order for children to receive their reading token.

Homework (Maths/Reading Comprehension) and RWI spellings

Homework this week is **READING** - *In Paris*. Homework is set every Thursday and should be returned to school the following Monday. PLEASE make sure these folders are returned to school every Monday as there are no replacements available. Homework folders contain our spelling grid and all of the login information for MyMaths, TTRockStars and PurpleMash.

Spellings this week are: **autobiography, autocue, autopilot, autograph, automobile, automatic**

Children will be tested on these spellings next week.

Twitter

Our class Twitter account is @Class4Tsp



Miss Phillips



Picture News

at Home

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What's going on this week?



Encouraging people to use buses more often is to be a central part of the Government's plan to reach net zero by 2050. Bus stops will be heated and have changing rooms and Wi-Fi in a bid to create eco-friendly park and rides for cyclists. They will also act as a focal point for cyclists, electric car drivers and rail commuters to switch easily between different modes of transport, with bosses calling the new stops mobility hubs.

Things to talk about at home...

- 🍏 Where is the nearest bus stop or train station to where you live? What is it like? Do you use it?
- 🍏 What is public transport like in your local area? What is your preferred type of transport?
- 🍏 Do you think mobility hubs will make more people use public transport? What would you like to see in them? E.g., shops, services, facilities etc.

Please note any interesting thoughts or comments here...



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