# Year 4: Meerkats Spring Newsletter

March 2024

### Welcome Back!

We had a successful start to the Spring Term and are looking forward to the activities planned over the next five weeks.



## Diversity Week

The class had a superb attitude towards our Spring Specialist Week. We had a wonderful time, sharing exciting lessons with the class and trying new languages, food and customs. Our Colour Run was also a huge success. Sponsor money is still coming in, but we will share the grand total with you soon. Thank you so much for all of your support.

### Blue Abyss

We will be continuing our study of the oceans. We have planned a variety of lessons, which focus on important issues and topics currently facing our oceans and marine life. Art and design will also continue to feature heavily.

# The Curriculum

In Maths this half term, we will be focusing on number, decimals, and money. We'll also have the opportunity to go over topics pupils found tricky during the first half of the term.

Our English lessons will involve a persuasive writing unit and a detailed plays and scripts unit. Both will focus on reading, writing using key features and developing creativity.

Science will include the final 'Sound' lessons and the introduction of our 'Rock' unit. We will also continue to explore music through percussion, have Italian with Mrs. Wheeler and complete our Forest Schools study; as well as weekly spellings and handwriting.

Our PE lessons continue to take place on Mondays and Fridays. Correct kits should be worn and we will continue to use our school grounds, even on chilly days.

We will also be continuing our breakfast scheme. All Year 4 pupils will be provided with cereal on Thursdays and have bagels the rest of the week.

We're really looking forward to supporting the children as they move into the second half of our year together.

Thank you for your continued support.

Kind Regards,

Miss Vaughan, Mrs. Hughes and Mrs. Butt-Gow