

# Year 4 Newsletter 6.3.26

Dear Parents/Carers

We hope you have had a good week and managed to enjoy some of the Spring-like weather we have seen! This term's curriculum map (with more information about topics covered) can be found on our website on the 'curriculum' tab, then 'curriculum overview'.

## This Week

This week, we enjoyed various activities linked to World Book Day such as the Masked Singer competition! Various adults in school had recorded themselves reading from children's books and the classes were tasked with identifying them from their voice! The week culminated with a visit by children from the Infant School when we had a chance to enjoy reading books to each other!

## Next week

In Maths, some children will be continuing with work on fractions and some will be working on division and multiplication.

In English, we will be writing descriptively based on the book 'The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe'. We shall be writing a description of Lucy's discovery of Narnia using different writing techniques we have been practising this week.

## Homework

New spelling words, as well as English homework, will be given to the children on Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> March for completion and a spelling test on Monday 16<sup>th</sup> March. Please also encourage your child to practise their times table facts.

**Reading** – Please could we ask that an adult signs the children's yellow reading record to confirm that they have completed their weekly reading homework. There should be five entries per week in the reading record but only one signature is required from an adult. This will be checked by their teacher in their weekly library session.

## Notices

We shall be having a DT workshop in Year 4 during the last week of term and ask that children bring in any empty boxes you may have at home. We are looking for boxes the size of teabag boxes for example, not so much cereal box size this time but anything is welcome!

## BIG CAT BOOK AMNESTY

Miss Jackman is going to be taking in ALL BIG CAT BOOKS so that she can audit how many of each colour we have. Please could we ask that you have a look at home and return any Big Cat books you may have so we can return them to the library for the big count! We need to return all Big Cat books by Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> March so children can keep their books until Friday 20<sup>th</sup> March and then hand them in then.

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## **Reminders**

**Synagogue Trip, Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> March.** If you have not already paid for the trip, please could you do so as soon as possible as it pays for the coach. Thank you.

Please ensure your child's PE kit is in school each day and that all clothes are **clearly labelled**.

Please could we ask that your child brings a glue stick into school as we use these most days and they are a very welcome addition to pencil cases!

We hope you have an enjoyable weekend.

**Miss Cook, Mr Lewington and Mrs Mendez**

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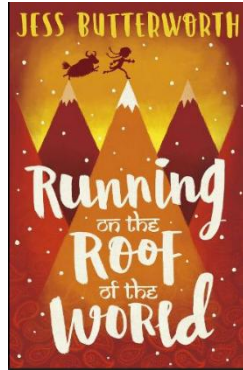
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## Book Recommendation

This week, Mrs Mendez recommends 'Running on Top of the World' by Jess Butterworth.



### Reminders/deadlines/ key dates for next week

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	Outdoor PE – Year 4	Elm – Library and Indoor PE	Beech – Library	Maple – Library Maple/Beech – Indoor PE

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