

Spring 2 in Year 4

A welcome back message from Miss Shaw and Mr Russell

We hope you had a lovely Half term break and are excited about the term ahead. We are looking forward to brighter days and the newness of Spring!

READING RECOMMENDATIONS:

- Charlie and the Chocolate Factory- Roald Dahl
- Oliver Twist- Charles Dickins
- Vile Victorians- Horrible Histories

UPCOMING EVENTS.

More information and dates to follow.

- **DT day**
- **World Book Day**
- **Comic Relief**
- **Parents Evening**
- **Easter service**

HOMEWORK PROJECT

We would like you to design and create an Easter Egg! This can be any design you like, however, there is an extra 10 dojos available if you can like your design to one of our topics this half term! Good Luck!

PRIZE: 15 DOJOS!

SUMISSION DATE: 18th March

KEY LEARNING THIS HALF TERM:

- **ENGLISH:** The text we will be using this half term is Oliver Twist. We are going to be learning about the different characters. At the end of the unit we will be writing a character description.
- **MATHS:** We are going to developing our knowledge of all our times tables. Additionally we will be looking at fractions!
- **SCIENCE:** Electricity. We will be learning about different devices which use electricity as well as how to build a simple circuit.
- **Geography: We will be looking at where our food comes from, and how fair trade is important..**
- **PSHE: This half term we are learning about how we manage risks in different places.**
- **RE: We will look at the deeper meaning of religious festivals.**
- DT: We will completing a cooking and nutrition unit where we will look at existing products and make our own biscuits. We will also look at packaging and evaluating our products.

FRIENDLY REMINDER

- PE will now be on a **TUESDAY**, children to wear their PE kit to school.
- Reading books **must** be brought to school **every day**. We try to practise reading with children most days; but we cannot say which day this will happen. Books are **changed every Monday.**
- Spelling homework is set on a **Tuesday.**
- Spelling test will be the following **Tuesday.** Please practise spellings with your child.