

# LKS2 Year 3 and Year 4 Newsletter



Spring Term 1

We hope you have had a lovely Christmas break! This newsletter is a brief summary of what we will be learning about over the Spring term. Our staff team are Mrs Williamson, Mr Powell, Mrs Walford, Mrs Wandless, Mrs Rayner and Mrs Gill. If you have any questions or problems, please don't hesitate to contact us via school. We appreciate your continued support and hard work now more than ever, through these unprecedented times.

Our new *topic* this half term is

**European explorers!** We will learn about various capital cities and countries within Europe. By studying different countries within Europe, children will be able to compare these countries to our own and find out facts about their climate, famous landmarks and their population.



Our new *science* this half term is

**Keep Moving!** We will learn about different parts of the body, both animals and humans, by looking at the different skeletal structures and how muscles help our body. We will also be discussing the importance of a healthy, well balanced diet and what this consists of.



## KIRF – Key Instant Recall Fact

Yr 3 KIRF - multiplication and division facts for 4s

Yr 4 KIRF - Number bonds to 100 and 6 x tables

## Working on Teams

A message will be sent out on our class Teams page at the start of every morning with an outline for the day's learning.

We have our daily meeting at 10:20am.

This gives us a chance to see who is online and have face to face chats with the children. If your child is unable to access the meeting at 10:20am, replying to my daily message to let me know this, would be much appreciated.

If possible, once your child has completed the days learning, please could they upload their work onto assignments so staff can assess and provide feedback. If you are unable to upload, you can ask for help from the school office, but please continue to email work.

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If your child has a key worker place, their PE days are **Tuesday** and **Thursday**. Children will need to come to school dressed in their outdoor PE kits.

## **Other home learning expectations**

All staff at Sharlston Community School appreciate the hard work you are putting in at the moment to ensure your child is online taking part in remote learning on a daily basis. We also ask that your child is still regularly reading 5 times a week as well as learning their times tables. Resources such as TTRockstars and Education City are available to help. To keep this exciting for your child, they could write book reviews about books they have read and email them to their teacher, or create their own times table flip cards or times table games.