

WOLVES CLASS NEWS

What we are learning...

We will be finishing our learning on the Industrial Revolution by investigating the work of Dr Barnardo and Lord Shaftesbury, thinking about the impact their actions had on children living in poverty, in Victorian England. Our geography learning will involve us looking at the development of human environments in North America, thinking about the impact industrialisation has had on different parts of the continent.

Science: This half term, our science topic is Living Things and their Habitats. We will be finding out how living things are classified and looking at the work of the scientists, Carl Linnaeus and Marjory Stoneman Douglas.

Maths: Most of our maths learning for the rest of this half term is all about fractions. We will be investigating how to add, subtract, multiple and divide fractions, before moving on to finding fractions of an amount.

English: This week we started our new class book, the fantastic 'Cogheart' by Peter Bunzl: a steampunk fantasy adventure set in Victorian England. Our writing will include writing a report on a newly discovered, imagined, species and a diary entry, in character as Scrooge. Bah humbug!

Information...

The children have had a great first week back, and we are all really looking forward to this half term, which will be full of great learning and exciting Christmas activities!

As always, if you have any queries or questions please don't hesitate to get in touch at: r.cameron@kf.starmat.uk.

OUR CHRISTIAN VALUES THIS TERM ARE THANKFULNESS AND RESPECT.

Diary dates...

Christmas Craft Day: Wednesday 8th December

Christmas Carol Concert on the playground: Friday 17th December (PM)

Children need to continue come to school in their outdoor P.E. kits every Thursday.

Just a reminder that the spellings for this half term are on our class page on the website.

Good times tables knowledge has proved to be so important in our fractions learning, and those children who have spent lots of time practising them have found the new learning easier to grasp. Please do encourage your child to keep working on their multiplication and division facts.

If you have any unwanted comics, annuals, or good quality children's books that you no longer need, we would welcome these to add to our newly refurbished library.