

# WINHILLS Year 3 and Year 4 Fortnightly Newsletter

#### Year 3

## **English**

Year 3 have just started their new unit on Myths and Legends. They have started off by investigating the key features and identifying the heroes and villains in a variety of stories.

## **Mathematics**

The class have been focusing on fractions, in particular adding and subtracting them. Year 3 will then be moving on and consolidating previous topics that they have be taught, such as adding and subtracting.

#### Science

Year 3 had great fun this week learning all about chemical reactions. For Science week, the children had lots of different activities to have a go at. For example, the children created their very own slime!

#### Year 4

## **English**

The children are now writing up their explanation texts and have had a real focus on the use of causal connectives in their work. The children will soon be moving on poetry and focusing on the structure of their work.

## **Mathematics**

The class have been focusing on using decimals and are now confident with rounding and comparing them. Next week, they will be earning all about money and dealing with money based problems.

## Science

We have now started our new topic on Solids, Liquids and Gases. The children have started to investigate the molecular structure of each of these and they also started to look into the properties of each.

## **ICE Zone**

We would like to say a huge thank you to everyone who attended our ICE zone open events, we had 29 parents attend which was fantastic!

We will be hosting another event in the Summer term so please keep an eye out for letters in the near future!

# Reminders

Please make sure that the children have warm clothes with them everyday as they are going outside to learn!

Also, we are handing out the literacy homework every Thursday. This is due in on a Monday. Lastly, please make sure the children are completing 1 hour of Maths Whizz and week and reading every night. We will be checking reading journals every week.





