

Year 4 – Autumn newsletter

Reading



Reading is a priority at Hunslet Moor and we encourage children to read as regularly as possible as this supports them with the wider curriculum.

Please try to listen to your child read as often as possible and encourage your child to read every evening for *at least 15 minutes*. Always post on Dojo so we can help monitor and see all the fantastic reading they are doing.

Writing



This term, we will be focusing on writing a range of genres such as setting description, balanced arguments, stories and a persuasive leaflet all linking to our Brazil topic.

Maths



We will be focusing on Place Value and reinforcing children's understanding of number throughout the Autumn term.

It is important that children know their times tables up to 12x12, to prepare them for their Multiplication Tables Check in the Summer term. Please ensure that your child is regularly practising their times tables at home.

Topic

In Geography this term, our topic is ***Bustling Brazil!*** We will be locating Brazil on different maps, jumping into the excitement of the Amazon Rainforest, exploring the favelas of Rio as well as looking at different parts of Brazilian culture such as dance, food, language and music.



Wider curriculum

Science – What's that sound? PSHE – Being me in the world & States of Matter Celebrating Differences

Computing – How the internet works Spanish – Welcome to school

Design Technology – Peri Peri Spicy Wraps

RE – Ancient Stories from key religions

Art & Design – Sketchbook/painting based on Salvador Dali

PE



Outdoor – Monday

Indoor - Friday

Children must come to school in their full indoor PE kit on the allocated day.

Our topic this half term is Netball and Football.

Home Learning

Home Learning is given out on a **Wednesday** and is due back the following **Monday**.

Attendance



Children must arrive on time each day so that they are ready to begin their day of learning. The school doors open at 8.45 and close at 9.00.

If you have any questions, concerns or want to discuss any aspect of your child's learning, please phone the school office and arrange a telephone conversation to speak with a member of the Year 4 team.

4A: Miss Ghouzhdhi

4B: Mr Hall (LKS2 Lead) and Ms Dutton

Miss Sturdy, Mrs Ali, Miss Mirfin and Miss Jacques who work across both Year 4 classes.

