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## Year 4 Parent / Carer Newsletter – Spring 2

Welcome back! We hope that you had a great break and are ready to carry on with our learning.

As you may be aware, our Learning Challenge this half term is **'The Egyptians'**. We will be researching the pyramids, the afterlife and how ancient Egypt collapsed. We are having a guest speaker in school to show us lots of ancient Egyptian artefacts and discuss the Egyptian God, afterlife and mummification process!

This half term our focus will be on:

### ICT

Visual Media: making photo stories.

### Science

Animals and the digestive system and teeth, how to look after our teeth. We will conduct an experiment to see what can happen to our teeth if we do not look after them.

### PE

PE for both classes is on a Friday afternoon and we will be orienteering. 4DB will have another PE lesson focusing on multi-skills on Wednesday afternoons while 4SB go swimming.

Please ensure that your child has their PE kit with them on these days including suitable sports footwear/pumps. Children need to have a pair of pumps in their PE bag to change into during the day if their shoes are wet. If your child is in 4SB, please make sure that your child has the correct swimming costume/ trunks, a towel and if necessary, bobbles for long hair.

### Homework in Year 4

**Maths:** Children will have homework every Friday which consists of MyMaths and/or sheet of maths problems if appropriate.

**English:** Your child should have brought home an English Homework book containing a series of homework challenges for this half term. This will be due in by **Monday 30<sup>th</sup> March**, when we will mark the children's work and award a prize for the best homework.

**Spelling:** Every Friday, children will receive their spellings and will be tested on them the following Friday. The test will be carried out and sent home so that you can see how your child has done each week.

Thank you for your continued support and we look forward to a busy and enjoyable half term!

Mr Brook, Miss Broadbent and the Year 4 team



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