

Dear Parents,

English

The children finished the story of Beowulf and created a hero for their own stories. They then began to plan their stories, based on the text.

Maths

This week, the children revised seconds, minutes and hours, as well as days, weeks, months and years. They knew that there are 60 seconds in a minute and 60 minutes in an hour. They knew that there are 24 hours in a day, 7 days in a week and 365 days in a year. They then moved on to angles and turns, understanding that each quarter turn is a 90 degree angle.

Science

The class focused on healthy foods this week and the importance of a balanced diet. They used the Eatwell guide to understand the different food groups and the amounts of each food they should eat in a meal.

Anglo-Saxons

The children learnt about the different Anglo-Saxon rulers and the famous kings that lead each tribe. They learnt about the rather strange laws of the time, from possibly having a nose cut off for stealing to paying money if you hurt someone else.

Jewish Studies

This week we finished our Unit 4 in Chumash and we have learnt some really valuable lessons from Avraham. We have been making books to explain the Unit using our key words to describe the different scenes. We have also been reading to build on fluency and accuracy.

Ivrit

The class learnt the names for different foods in Hebrew and were able to say and write the sentences 'I want...' with a variety of foods.

Next week:

In English, the children will plan and write their story.

In Maths, the class will recognise the number of right angles in a turn and compare and order angles.

In History, the children will learn about Anglo-Saxon clothes.

In Science, the class will learn about food chains.

Things to do at home

- Read with your child and sign their diary – without a signature to say they have read the book, we won't be able to change them.
- Practise the times tables using TTRockstars 'Sound Check'.

Reminders

- The attendance this week was 98.82%. Weekly attendance needs to be over 96%.
- Check the green book every day for any messages.
- Please ensure that your child has their full PE kit in school: black tracksuit bottoms, PE jumper, T-shirt, **white socks**, white trainers, black plimsolls. Girls with pierced ears must have tape.
- Library books can be changed each week during our library session using a 'Click and Collect' service on Monday. Please remind your child to bring in their library book.
- School reading books will be changed on a Monday and Thursday.
- Please make sure your child does not play on the equipment before or after school.
- Tzedakah is collected every Friday and it would be wonderful if children could bring some in or if you could donate using ParentPay.

Shabbat Shalom,

Miss Roberts, Mrs Braham and the Year 4 Team