The Hoot

Year 4 Edition 22/1/2018



Announcements & Event Reminders

As part of our next topic, which is all about the Anglo-Saxons, we are pleased to announce that we will be visited by a real-life Anglo-Saxon on the first day after the February half-term break. Any children who wish to come in suitable period costumes may do so.

Swimming continues every Friday until further notice. One or two children forgot kit, and particularly swimming caps, last week and we would be most grateful if these could be put in kit bags going forward.

Thank you for your continued support and particularly for the excellent attendance of the children over the past term. Many received 100% attendance certificates and badges , which were well deserved!

English & Maths



Next week **in English** we will be starting to work on narrative prose, based on our class book 'The Arrival', focusing particularly upon character description.

In maths we will be continuing our work on fractions, looking at adding and subtracting fractions with the same denominator.

This week's spellings:

mountainous poisonous

thunderous contagious

curious dubious

glorious gracious

hilarious luxurious

Spelling pattern 'ous/ious'

Spelling will be tested every Friday.

Please remember that all children are required to read daily and add to their reading records



Fortnightly Topic Task



The topic task for this fortnight links to our topic of 'Staycation'. We would like the children to be aware of their immediate environment in Chorlton. They could draw a map of the locality around school, or produce a Trip Advisor style report on a local amenity, or alternatively do something else about a place or club in the area. The format is up to the children but could include multimedia presentations if they wish. This homework in due in on **Friday 2nd February.**