

Friday 16th November 2018

Year 4 Newsletter

Hello

I hope you had a wonderful week.

In English, we have continued our topic 'Myths and Legends'. This week, the children have written a job application to become the hero of Athens and they have written a set of instructions on how to care for their mythical beast. We have also been practising starting sentences in a variety of ways using the acronym EPIC TALE.

In Maths, we have been working on a variety of mathematical concepts. We have been solving calculations using our multiplication and division methods, solving word problems using all four operations and we have been solving one and two step word problems.

In topic, we have been learning about volcanoes! We have followed a PowerPoint about the different types of volcanoes, how they are formed and how they erupt. We have also briefly looked at volcanoes around the world such as: Mount St Helens, Mount Fuji, Mount Vesuvius and Popocatepetl.



We have also erupted our volcanoes too - we went outside (I have learnt from past mistakes) and used bicarbonate soda and vinegar to cause a chemical reaction inside our volcanoes. The children really enjoyed this!

For home learning this week, I would like the children to create a fact file or poster on one of the volcanoes we briefly looked at this week. The children are also learning spelling list 8, for their test on Thursday 22nd November.

I hope you have a great week,

Mr Deakin, Mrs Gibbs and Mrs Ward.