

This week in Year 4 the children have:

- Converted km to m and vice versa and calculated the perimeter of a rectilinear shapes on a grid.
- Watched, read and orally retold the story of King Midas.
- Enjoyed an Ancient Greek themed day - albeit a rainy one!
- Used an atlas to locate countries and capital cities in Europe and created a timeline of the main events in the Ancient Greek era.

Ancient Greek Day:

The children all looked fantastic in their costumes - thank you so much for supporting this event! Despite the awful weather, the children enjoyed making their own replica Ancient Greek laurel wreaths; they learned about the Greek alphabet and used this to break a secret code and write their names. In the afternoon, they sampled some Greek food followed by some Zorba dancing. We were also lucky enough to enjoy a short session with Maz from the Fish and Chip shop learning a few Greek phrases!

Wonder Wall:

Well done to those children who have sent in some work to go up on our Ancient Greek Wonderwall display. We even received an edible Parthenon which the children enjoyed consuming on our dress up day! There is still time to send something in so if the children would like to complete some optional homework linked to the topic that would be 'Wonderful'. They might like to find out about the Ancient Greek alphabet, clothes, food or homes for example, and produce a poster of their findings.

Healthy Teeth Homework Posters:

A big thank you to the team at Lenham Dental Surgery for choosing four winners, Niamh, Erin, Tabitha and Henry, who have all received toothbrushes!

Homework:

For their homework this week, the children have a Maths sheet about the perimeter of shapes on a grid. This needs to be returned by Thursday 8th November.

As usual, the children also need to read for 20 minutes ideally every night and practise their spelling words and times table facts please. New spelling lists for this term will be sent home on Monday and these will also be uploaded onto the school website.

Library Visit:

Our next visit to the library is booked for Tuesday 13th November. If your child borrowed books when we visited in Term 1, the library staff will automatically renew these on 6th November.

Have a great weekend.

The Year 4 Team