Weekend Words - Year 4

What have we been learning this week?

English – we have continued to look at writing a narrative this week, exploring how to create suspense in a build-up and 'show not tell' our emotions during the problem.

Maths – we have continued our work on decimals, exploring place value of decimals more and rounding them.

RE – we looked at the missionary church and used art.

Science – we make elastic band guitars to explore pitch in more detail.

History – we explored the final monarchs of the Stuart era, creating our own fact files about two of them.

What are we looking forward to?

Swimming back Monday 18th

Art Week – WB 18th May

Sports Week – WB 22nd June

KS2 Sports Day – Thursday 25th June

Art Week

Please start collecting cardboard boxes, yogurt pots, margarine tubs, cardboard etc. We need this to complete our art work. Please send them in on Monday 18th and Tuesday 19th.

Warm weather

Please make sure your child has a named water bottle and sun hat in school (weather dependent). Sunglasses are not allowed, unless these are prescription glasses.

Reminders

Our PE days are:

- Monday – swimming (**please ensure your child has a swim hat, no wetsuits or earrings are allowed**.)
- Wednesday – outdoor PE
  Please make sure that your child has a named PE kit in school.

Please support your child to do:

- **45 Minutes** of Maths Whizz
- Reading 5 times a week – to receive a reading raffle ticket, but **at least 3 times** a week. Many children are not reading at all!
- 5 minutes on TTRS at home, **5 times a week**, practising times tables.

Please also use Purple Mash to practice spellings.

Because this is the year of reading Purple Mash have free access to their library and loads of books are available to read for free.

Spellings

Your child will have bought home their spellings for the half term.

Set 3 Homophones	Set 4 Prefix inter-
missed mist plane plain scene seen rein rain blue blew	interact intercity international interrelated interchange interconnected internet intermediate intermission interweave