

Our Learning Journey

- We've begun our journey into a new book, which is based on a Brazilian fairy-tale. Full of gods of nature with unrequited love, loss and adventure the children have popped on their empathy goggles to support the heroin of the action. Along the way they have practised writing in the present-perfect tense, and developed their letter writing skills.
- Maths has involved converting measurements to allow us to solve calculations. It's been a challenge but we're all getting there. We also practised solving word problems so if you have a chance give your children some impromptu questions when you're out and about in the real world.
- Geography has seen us develop our understanding of the layers of the rainforest so we can debate one another next week. The children have written their opening statement and are ready to argue their case.

Our Home Learning

- **Reading:** All children are expected to read at least 20 minutes a day. Please encourage them to read with you and engage them by asking questions about the text.
- **Spelling:** Year 4 have been given new spellings to learn- they are expected to complete the sheets and the activity on the back. Please keep them at home.
- **Maths:** Please keep using TT-Rock Stars.
- **Learning Log:** Please look at the Learning Log activity this week.



Our Learning Toolkit

We've been trying to help our story's hero with our empathy goggles this week.

Dates for your Diary

**KS2 Assemblies
@ 9am Upper Hall
All Welcome
Fri 13th Dec**

**Learning Reviews
Tuesday 3rd Dec**
Make sure you have signed up at the office for your appointment with your child & their teacher

**KS2 Christmas Performance
Wednesday 18th Dec
St Stephen's Church @ 6:30pm
All Welcome**

Scotland 2019....60 children, 6 teachers, 6 days

A huge thank you to Miss Bristow, Miss Nash, Mr Mckenzie, Miss McPherson and Miss Castle for joining our amazing adventure to Loch Eil last week. It was an incredibly busy but rewarding week for all the children who had the chance to participate in activities ranging from loch dips (optional!!!), canoeing, sailing, hiking in Glen Nevis and rock climbing with Ben Nevis in sight. We were all incredibly proud of the children, who used their learning tools so well, especially perservance to complete our activities in the cold weather! Miss Rowe

