

# Rievaulx Year 4

## (Autumn 2)

Welcome back everyone and hope you have all had a lovely Half term holiday, I look forward to hearing what everyone has been doing!

I'm looking forward to a busy and exciting half term, we've got a lot to get through before Christmas!



Swimming will continue for the Y4/5 children, the last swimming session will be on **Friday 13<sup>th</sup> December.**

Please can I remind children to keep their P.E. kits in school each week, quite a few children were forgetting their kit towards the end of half term.

As it gets colder, they must have tracksuit bottoms or dark leggings, a school hoodie and proper trainers for outdoor sessions - I don't want anyone getting cold. **Our P.E. session will be on a Wednesday.**

This half term we have Forest Schools on a **MONDAY AFTERNOON.**

The children will need old clothes, wellies and waterproofs as we will be outside for the afternoon.

**P.E. kit is not suitable for forest school activities.**





This half term we will be using 'The Land of Neverbelieve' by Norman Messenger as our class text. There will be lots of activities which will include making models of the island, writing a travel log about their journey on the island as well, a fact file about their own imaginary animal and making a book mountain.

In Science, the Year 4's will be learning about '**Living things and their habitats**'.

In computing, we will continue to use 2code on Purple Mash. Children will learn how to programme and move objects on the screen. They will work through a series of lessons to build up their skills of coding. We will also use the laptops and ipads to research information to help us make our animal fact files.



### **Dates for your diary...**

Fri 8<sup>th</sup> November - Remembrance Day Celebration Assembly.

Mon 11<sup>th</sup> November - FOSS Disco KS2 5.30 - 6.30pm.

Thur 21<sup>st</sup> November - Pupil Voice groups - 11.30am

Fri 29<sup>th</sup> November - Non- uniform day & bring chocolate for Tombola.

Fri 6<sup>th</sup> December - Christmas Fair 2.30 – 4.30pm.

Mon 9<sup>th</sup> December - Formal Assessment Week.

Fri 13<sup>th</sup> December - Last swim session.

Mon 16<sup>th</sup> December - Federation Christmas treat.

Fri 20<sup>th</sup> December --Christingle & **school closes 2pm.**

Please come in and ask if there is anything you are unsure about.

Kind Regards, Mrs Sowray

