

# YEAR 4 WEEKLY LEARNING

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**Our Values:** Teamwork, Self-belief,  
Honesty, Passion, Respect &  
Determination

Hello and welcome back to our weekly newsletter! I hope you all enjoyed a great break over Christmas. We've hit the ground running here in Maple class and we had our first snow of the year which caused huge excitement on Tuesday!

We started the term with a couple of PSHE lessons about resilience. Children reflected on things in life which they are grateful for and also thought about the skills they can use to help them when life feels tricky.

We have continued learning about multiplication and division in maths, with a focus this week on multiplying and dividing by 10 and 100.

In English, we explored the front cover of our new book making predictions about the setting and the characters using modal verbs.

Our first art lesson focussed on using shading to create light and dark on pencil drawings. Children created a still life with this focus.

In history, we are learning about Mayans this term. This week, children learnt where the ancient civilisation of Maya originated and that there are still Mayans living in Central America today.

In computing this week, we used computer programming software to use commands to create lines and shapes.

In science, children identified common electrical appliances and sorted these into mains operated or battery-operated groups.

Wishing you all a lovely weekend,  
Miss Hale

## Important Messages

Please ensure all items of clothing are named!

## Important dates

Parents evenings - Tuesday 10th February and  
12th February

Forest school finishes - Thursday 12th  
February

End of term - Friday 13th February

Return to school - Monday 23rd February

