



The Heights Primary School  
Year 4 Parent Planner: Summer 1 Week 2

Dear Parents/Carers

I hope you all had a lovely weekend and the opportunity to enjoy the sun on Saturday!

This week our themes are: **Weather**

English	In English the children will finish writing their own poem 'Weather Watcher: A Journey Across the World.' They will also start their new book- 'The Giant's Necklace' by Michael Morpurgo.
Maths	In Maths the children will be exploring the properties of 3d shapes- focusing on naming the shapes and counting the edges, vertices and faces. They will spend the rest of the week exploring coordinates as they plot these onto a grid. At the end of the week the children will create their own board games using their knowledge of position and direction.
Topic	<p>The children will continue with their new topic 'Wild Weather' as they receive a visit from Professor Brugge from Reading University's meteorological department. He will show the children some of the equipment used to interpret the weather. In computing the children will use an Excel document to input the week's temperature and create a graph based on this information.</p> <p>In Science the children will be investigating gases. They will learn what gas is in a fizzy drink and hypothesise whether a fizzy, or flat drink, weighs more.</p> <p>In R.E. this week we will focus on what the word holy means as we explore the holy texts of Hinduism and learn about the story of Rama and Sita.</p>

A couple of reminders ...

Children need wellies or old trainers in school for when we go on the field at playtimes.

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Mrs Thomas and Miss Reynolds