

## <u>The Heights Primary School</u> <u>Year 4 Parent Planner: Summer 2 Week 5</u> <u>Topic – Sports Day</u>

Dear Parents/Carers,

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Thank you for sending in milk bottle tops and other recyclable materials, we ran out of time on eco day last Friday but intend on using them in an Art project over the next couple of weeks.

English	This week the children will be focussing on explanation texts. Linking to our Science topic, the children will be reading an explanation text on the Water Cycle. They will then write their own explanation text about Volcanoes.
Maths	This week in Maths, we will be visiting 'Time.' As the range of abilities for this topic is so broad, we will be organising Maths a little differently. Mrs English and Mrs De Silva will be taking the children who need a little support on time telling; they will be using the teaching clocks to practice reading analogue times and making links to digital times. Mrs Thomas will lead the children who are a little more confident; they will focus on 24-hour time and durations of time. Those children who are super confident will work with Miss Reynolds on problem solving and reasoning questions linked to time.
Topic	In Science, the children will be revising States of Matter before undertaking their final Science assessment of the year.  In Computing, the children will continue to type up their favourite piece of writing in Google Documents. We will be teaching them about tools such as the spell checker and about how to create different layouts and fonts.  In Art, the children will be working on landscape sketches and watercolour paintings of West Wittering in preparation for the Art exhibition on 9 <sup>th</sup> July.  In RE, the children will continue to learn about a variety of religious pilgrimages.  In PSHE, the children will continue their new unit- 'Changing Me,' which includes sex and relationship education. As this unit ends, we will start to look ahead to year five and begin to work with children on some

We look forward to seeing many of you at Sports Day on Wednesday.

Best wishes for the week ahead,

Mrs Thomas and Miss Reynolds