



# **Year 4 Newsletter**



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**English:** In English we have been investigating famous mountain climber Edmund Hillary and researching facts about him in order to write a biography about one of the first people to successfully climb Mount Everest (the tallest mountain above sea level in the world). Why not ask your child to tell you some facts they have learnt about him?

<u>Maths</u>: In Maths, we have been continuing to build on our knowledge of multiplication using partitioning to explore the expanded and short multiplication method. We have also been doing our 99 Club tests to help us with our times table fluency.

**Topic:** As part of geography we have been exploring and using our map skills to identify the tallest mountains in each continent. We have also been understanding the differences between a mountain and a mountain range. Can your child tell you which mountain range contains the tallest mountain above sea level?

This week children in Venus, Earth and Jupiter took part in a Road Safety Workshop. We had lots of fun and learnt a lot about how we





## How you can help your child at home

<u>Times tables</u>

Please practice times tables with your children at home, the answer needs to be in 5 seconds to count!

#### Reminders:

Family reading mornings

**Wellbeing Week –** 3<sup>rd</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> February **Book Week –** 2<sup>nd</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> March

- -We are collecting old felt tips and batteries for recycling
- -We are also collecting clean bottle tops for a recycling project in school

# **Outstanding Learners**

Outstanding learners: Inas & Angarika Maths Champion: Yourdan & Elmedin Handwriting hero: Maja & Wanas

## Attendance:

Earth: 93.3%



Jupiter: 97.5 %

