



Cairo English School

Monthly Overview

Year 4

November 2018

Mathematics

The children will estimate and use inverse operations to check answers to a calculation.

In measurement children will measure and calculate the perimeter of a rectilinear figure in centimetres and metres.

The will also learn to convert between units of measure.

Children will learn different strategies and methods used when multiplying and dividing.

Children will apply the skills learned in multiplication and division to word problems.

We will focus on 6/7/8 times tables.

Daily/weekly

The children will receive their homework and instructions on Tuesdays and should be returned by the following Sunday. Any questions about homework should be directed to the class teacher on Wednesday or Thursday.

Literacy

Writing: The Romans

In writing the children will be learning how to write a narrative story, a newspaper report and an explanation text. They will apply their skills taught in grammar and writing lessons to help demonstrate their writing abilities.

Reading: How to train your dragon

In reading the children will be furthering their knowledge and understanding of the 6 reading strategies and applying their skills through different close reading tasks. The reading tasks will centre around the novel.

The children will have a weekly spelling lesson where they will have a spelling and phonic focus and explore different spelling strategies that can be used independently when writing.

Main School

Mirage City, New Cairo, Egypt

Science

Properties and Changes of matter

Children will learn how certain properties change when heated or cooled.

They will learn about dissolving and mixing materials-creating new materials.

The children will also learn about reversible and irreversible change.

The children will take part in practical experiments to demonstrate the processes of change.

How to help your child

Please read with your child EVERY night. It is still important that they read to you and you read to them regularly to support questioning and modelling techniques.

A variety of websites can support your children's learning this term:

<http://me.mathletics.com/>

<http://us.spellodrome.com/#/home>

<https://readingeggs.co.uk/>