Newsletter – 20.03.2026

Where has the time gone?
It's been another fantastic week of learning, and the children continue to impress us with their enthusiasm, creativity, and hard work.

English
This half term, we have begun exploring our new text: the Greek myth *Icarus*, the boy who flew too close to the sun. The children were hooked right away by the dramatic storyline, and they began by designing their very own Greek Gods—with some wonderfully imaginative results! They are now using these ideas in the innovation stage of their writing.
Next week, we will move on to planning and completing their final invented piece—our 'Chance to Shine'.

Reading
Our poetry unit has been a refreshing change from working with a novel. We have explored poems around themes such as sadness, love, hope, and belonging, and the children have shown thoughtful responses in discussions.
Next week, we will be looking at our final poem of the unit, which the children will be learning to memorise and recite by heart. They will practise in class and will bring home a copy to rehearse.

Maths
We have now completed our work on perimeter and area and will begin our final topic of the term: statistics. The children will learn how to read and construct tables and line graphs, helping them develop confidence in interpreting different types of data.

Homework
- Homework is set every **Friday** on *Century.tech*. If your child needs their login details, please let me know.
- Completed homework earns **2 dojo points**!
- Weekly spellings are uploaded to our class page, with a paper copy also sent home each Friday.
- Children should practise their times tables regularly using **TTRockstars**.

Reading at Home
Daily reading is essential for developing confidence, fluency, and deeper comprehension. Please ensure reading books and records are brought into school **every day**.
Every signed reading session earns **1 dojo point**!

PE
Our PE days are **Monday** and **Thursday**. Please make sure children come to school with the correct PE kit and that earrings are removed for safety.

Thank you,

Mrs Wenlock, Miss Griffiths & Mrs Wust