



Year 3 and 4 Spelling – 29th January 2024

This week, Years 3 and 4 are looking at the use of the possessive apostrophe with singular and plural words. Exceptions to the rules will also be considered.

Examples for this week are:

The dog's kennel was at the back of the garden.
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Curriculum words to learn this week are:

Pressure, probably, promise, quarter, question.

Activities

Challenge 2: Please ask the children to add apostrophes to these sentences:

1. Carols book turned out to be extremely dangerous (singular.)
2. The boys cloakroom was neat and tidy, unlike the girls (plural.)
3. Finally, the swans wing had mended (singular.)
4. The girls bag had a hole (singular.)
5. The singers colds were much worse (plural.)

Challenge 3: as above plus these sentences.

6. The horses paddock was flooded after heavy rain (plural.)
7. Mr Jones golf clubs were badly broken (singular.)
8. The teachers staffroom was closed for refurbishment (plural.)
9. The childrens coats were lying on the floor (plural.)
10. The buss wheel was broken (singular.)

Now write some sentences of your own.

Years 3 and 4 will continue to learn and apply this rule all week and will complete a spelling test/dictation on Friday 2nd February 2024.