



Learning in Year 4



Welcome back to what we very much hope will be an amazing Autumn Term in Year 4! We hope you have all had a fantastic summer and that the children are well rested and ready to tackle some exciting new learning. All of the teachers in Year 4 have been amazed at how well the children have settled back into their routines - they are superstars. 🙌🌟

We would like to reassure you that our doors are always open for any concerns or questions you may have about school life. We are always available on the playground at the end of the day, to call or you can contact us on your child's class Dojo account. 🗣️📝

It is so important that children are in school on time so that they can have the best success with their learning and we really appreciate your support with this - please do let us know if you need support with attendance, we have lots of support available! 🕒🏫

To help you support your child's learning this term, we have outlined the key learning for each subject below:

History: 	This term we will be learning all about The Romans. Each week, the children will explore a different aspect of our theme. Throughout the term the children will learn all about life in Ancient Rome and how the Roman Empire expanded. We will also learn about the Roman's invasion of the United Kingdom and how they have impacted on our lives today.
Maths: 	This term will focus on securing knowledge and developing the following concepts: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Place Value: Securing understanding of place value in 3 and 4 digit numbers.• Addition & Subtraction: Securing the use of an efficient written method.• Multiplication & Division: Being able to confidently recall all of our times tables up to 12x12
Writing: 	In our writing we are focusing on securing and deepening our knowledge of expanded noun phrases, adverbials, conjunctions, speech and prepositions. We will be demonstrating this in a range of fiction and non-fiction writing. We will be writing short stories, non-chronological reports, letters and diary entries.
Reading: 	We are developing children's fluency, accuracy and retrieval skills by exploring a range of genres and texts. We will also be developing a range of strategies to help us to understand the meaning tricky words.
Homework: 	Homework will be given weekly to children every Friday. It is expected to be completed and handed in by the following Friday. Reading: Children are aware that they need to read <u>5 times a week</u> to help them develop their fluency and a love of reading. A bookmark is provided weekly for you to sign to say they have read. Reading books are due in on a Friday and will go out on a Friday. Maths: Will focus on the weekly learning. Times tables: In the summer term, the children will sit a government set multiplication test. In school, we will do daily times table lessons and we will also send out weekly homework. We will send home an activity to complete and the children are expected to practice on times table rockstars at home. Spelling: Children need to practice their weekly spellings at least 3 times, these will be sent home to you. Theme: Each term, a project related to your child's theme will be posted on class dojo for you to complete together and needs bring it at the end of the half term!
P.E: 	Please ensure that children come into school with the correct P.E kit on which is black shorts or tracksuit bottoms and a red top. P.E is on Monday and Tuesday. They can also wear a school jumper or cardigan in the cooler weather.

Thank you for all your support,

Miss Sherlock, Mrs Roberts, Miss Harvey, Mrs Bird and Miss Gardner 😊