



Meet the Teacher...

Year 4

# Class Organisation

## Year 4 team

**4S**

Teacher – **Mrs Smallwood**

LSA – Mr Lovegrove

**4B**

Teachers – **Mr Brewster**

LSA – Mrs Griffin

Mrs Evans and Mrs O'Sullivan will also be working with Year 4  
PPA – Monday afternoons (Madam Miller – French/Mrs Windram –  
Music)



# Home Learning...



## Reading

- Recorded in the Reading Diary, at least 4 times per week with HP rewards. Parents must sign/initial their child's reading records at the end of each week.
- Library – We have 2 opportunities each week to visit the library. This will be on Tuesdays and Fridays. The library will not be open before or after school at the moment.

## Maths

- A piece of maths homework will be set every Friday. This may be in the form of a paper copy or online using [www.mymaths.co.uk](http://www.mymaths.co.uk). Your child should have already brought home the letter with the login details on. If your child doesn't have internet access at home, please let us know. Homework is due in on the following Wednesday.
- All children are expected to know their multiplication tables to 12x12 by the end of Y4. Your children will be taking a new **Times Tables test at the end of the year.**

## English

- An English task will be set every week on a Friday and is due in on the following Wednesday. English tasks will take the form of spelling investigations and grammar and vocabulary work. We will not be setting spellings for homework as we teach 3 x spelling sessions each week during class time.

Children will be given a homework book to stick all tasks and complete work in. Please could you remind your child to give this in each **Wednesday.**

## Handwriting homework

- Children will work towards their pen permit. They need to demonstrate a fluent, joined style. We will be setting handwriting homework for those children who need to practise.



# Rewards...

- Verbal praise
- Superstars – children move from the 'Great' board to the 'Superstar' board. They receive a sticker at the end of the day.
- BEST learner – awarded to the child who has demonstrated BEST qualities.
- House Points – given by any member of staff for good learning, behaviour, effort or achievement.
- Outstanding certificates are awarded for exceptional learning or effort and presented by Mr Dodson on a Friday afternoon.
- Celebration Assembly – showing an outstanding piece of work, kindness or effort that exemplifies 'Be the Best You Can Be'. This takes the form of a fortnightly KS2 assembly for KS2 children, staff and parents will be invited. These will take place online for the foreseeable future.

# Reminders...



## Reading Diaries

- need to be in school every day.
- filled in as and when you read.
- will be checked in class on a Friday.

## PE kit

- full kit is needed in school every day
  - 4S and 4B : **Outdoor games: Tuesday , Indoor PE: Wednesday**Children are able to wear PE kit to school on these days and stay in them for the duration of the school day. Children are required to keep trainers in their lockers to change into for the PE lessons and so school shoes should be worn to and from school.
- Due to health and safety regulations earrings must be taken out or covered during P.E lessons. If your child cannot remove their earrings, please ensure they do not wear them on P.E days or supply them with plasters or tape to cover them. If your child has long hair, please ensure it is tied up for PE.

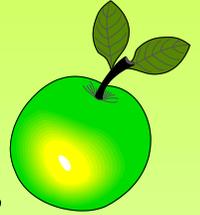
## Uniform

- guidelines on website, send a note if haven't got the correct kit.
- Please mark all belongings clearly.
- We want children to look smart and be safe - no wrist bands or jewellery please (watches and **stud** earrings may be worn)

# Reminders...

## Health

- We have children in school with severe allergies – please don't include food with nuts for snacks or packed lunches.
- Fruit or vegetable snacks only can be brought for morning break time.



## Bags

- Children may opt for a small rucksack rather than a book bag.

## Pencil cases

- Must be taken home or stored in their trays at the end of each day.

## Water bottles

- Please provide your child with a named water bottle that is refilled each day.

# Year 4 Curriculum

Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Tomb Raiders	India	Romans	Italy	Saxons	Super Humans

Tomb Raiders: Ancient Egypt

India

Romans

Italy

Saxons

Super Humans: The Human Body

**Termly newsletters will be sent out with more detail**

**\*Trips will be on hold for the foreseeable future\***

KS2 Registration 8.55 – 9.05	9.05- 9.30	Session 1 9.30-10.45	Break KS2 10.45 – 11.00	Session 2 11.00 – 12.10	Lunch 12.10 – 1.10	Session 3 1.10 – 2.10	Session 4 2.10 – 3.05	Assembly 3.05 – 3.20	3.20-3.30
Monday	Guided Reading	English	Break	Maths	Lunch	French	Music	Whole School Assembly	Prepare for home
Tuesday		English		Maths		Games (outside)	Geography/History	Whole School Singing Assembly	
Wednesday PPA pm		English		Maths		PE (Hall)	Computing	Reverend Paul Bradish assembly	
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# Covid19

- Children are sat in rows facing the front to minimise face to face contact with others.
- Children are reminded to wash hands with soap regularly and are given hand sanitiser on exit and entry into the classroom.
- Children have designated year group areas to eat and play to minimise contact with other children from other year groups.

# Any questions?

Please come and talk to us, or write a note, if you have any concerns or questions...

