

Year 4

Curriculum Newsletter – Summer Term 2



Welcome back! I hope you all had a wonderful half term holiday. I can't quite believe this is the last half term of Year 4. The year has gone so quickly and I know that this half term will fly by with all the activities we have planned.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me:
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The Curriculum

English

We will continue reading Max and the Millions. We will be developing our inference skills when reading and focusing on narratives when writing.

Maths

We will be looking at time and division with remainders this half term in Maths. We will also complete the multiplication check the week beginning 10th June. The results of which will be reported to you in the summer.

Science

In Science we will be looking at the digestive system and food chains.

Computing

We will be creating a quiz eBook using Book Creator.

Art

We will continue to look at Paul Klee and use Senecio as inspiration for our own watercolours portraits.

History

This term we will continue to learn about the Maya and we will learn about Mayan civilisation. Children will be asked the following questions:

Legacies – What are the 'systems' used by the Maya?

Individuals – Who was Pakal the great?

Belief – What did the ancient Maya believe in?



P.E.

Our P.E. days are Tuesday and Wednesday. Children should come to school in their outdoor PE kit on Tuesday and Wednesday mornings and will remain in it all day. Please check the school website if you require clarification of the correct PE kit.

Home Learning

Home Learning will consist of one set of optional English tasks, one set of optional Maths tasks and the ongoing set of ideas for our home learning gallery. This will be given out on Friday 14th June.

Maths and English can be brought in at any time. Projects for the home learning gallery should be brought in time for the home learning gallery on **Thursday 4th July 2024**

Book Exchange

All children have a school reading book. These will be changed on **Fridays**. I will send children with one book for the week. Please comment positively on your child's reading in the reading record at the end of each book or ask them to write their own comment in their reading diary.

Library

The children will visit the library on **Monday** and will be able to borrow one book per week.

Water Bottles

Please make sure your child has a water bottle in school every day. This will be sent home at the end of the day to be brought back in filled up for the next day.

Warm Weather

As the weather gets warmer, please send your child with a sun hat and sun cream that they can apply themselves. Please keep sending them with a waterproof coat for the intermittent weather.

Dates for the diary

WB 10th June – Y4 Multiplication Check

Friday 14th June – Survival Day

Monday 17th June – Training Day

Friday 21st June – PTA Summer Fayre

Thursday 27th June – Parent Consultations (please make sure your child attends)

Tuesday 2nd July – Transition Day

Wednesday 3rd July – Sports Day

Thursday 4th July – Home Learning Gallery

Monday 15th July – Mayan Workshop (please note this date has changed)

Tuesday 16th July – House Treat Day

Friday 19th July – End of the school year.