

## Homework

Homework will be handed out on a Friday and is due in on a Tuesday. Spellings are also handed out on a Friday via spelling shed and should be kept at home and should be practiced for Friday's test.

Children have log ins for Times tables Rock stars—we will regularly set challenges and check to see how they are doing!

Reading books should come as often as they can. PLEASE read regularly at home and sign your child's reading record.

## Reading

We have a big focus on reading in Year 4.

Every half term children will take a star reader test which will determine which level of book they should read. They will have an accelerated reader book which they will read during our Reading lesson as well as a home reader book linked to this level.

PLEASE continue to hear your child read at home and sign their home reader book. Children need to bring their home reader into school as change it when required. A member of staff will check their home reading book on a weekly basis. As well as this children will take part in weekly guided reading sessions with their teacher.

## Maths

During the Autumn term, year four will be focussing on number and place value, recapping skills from year 3 and building on that knowledge to learn about numbers up to 10,000. As the term progresses, we will move on to addition and subtraction of numbers up to 4 digits and then work on measuring length and perimeter. We will also be working on multiplication and division. Throughout the year we will be focussing on times tables up to 12x12 every week. It is essential that children are practising their tables at home. All children have accounts for Times Tables Rock Stars, which we would encourage them to access at home if possible.



## PE

PE is a Thursday. Children should wear their full PE kit including navy shorts, plain white round necked t shirt and black plimsolls. This term we are focussing on the invasion game of tag rugby.

## RE

This term in RE, year 4 will be learning about the bible and why it is important for Christians.

## WELCOME TO YEAR 4

We are enjoying getting to know your child. If you ever need to see us please contact the school office and make an appointment

Class 9 teachers are Miss Webb and Mrs Stevens

Class 10 teacher is Mrs Crompton

Mrs Teneur works as a Teaching Assistant in Year 4

We have French French is taught by Mademoiselle Hardwick.

## PHSCE

In our PSHE this term, our topic is 'Being Me', looking at our rights and responsibilities and getting on with others.

## MFL

We will learn about both the language and culture of France with our specialist language teacher - Mdm Hardwick. Our initial topic in French this year will be 'Our School'.

## Writing

This half term we will be basing our writing on the tunnel by Anthony Browne. We will be using the Talk 4 Writing approach to write diary entries and story settings.

Children will learn how to

expresses time, place and cause using;

Conjunctions.

adverbs

prepositions

Understand subordinate clauses

uses a range of punctuation accurately and effectively - full stops, question marks, exclamation marks, commas in lists, apostrophe for contraction, apostrophe for singular possession and inverted commas for direct speech

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