



Curriculum Overview



Dear Children, Parents and Carers,

6th September 2019

Welcome back! I hope you all had a fantastic summer break and that you are looking forward to the exciting activities we have planned for Year 4 this term. Our first topic is 'Road Trip USA!' We will be exploring American history and geography and comparing it with our own.



Curriculum Overview

- English -Poetry, travel brochures.
- Maths -Number and Place Value. Don't forget TT Rock stars!
- Science - Electricity
- Topic (Geography/History/Computing/Art/DT) - Based around our topic 'Road Trip USA'
- PE -Tuesdays with Coach Christina plus another session in the week - please ensure PE kits are in all week.

Homework and reading

The children will be given new reading award charts giving them targets of bronze, silver, gold or even platinum awards! Now that they are in Year 4, the children can also sign their own reading journals - we have talked about this in class. We will also be introducing a Book of Books in KS2, more information regarding this to follow. Reading books will be checked and changed regularly and children will be listened to 1:1 by an adult in the class.

Mathematics homework will be given out on a Friday in your child's own work book and marked in class each week. In addition, your child may want to complete a topic project (please see the additional sheet for ideas) which we share in celebration assemblies on Fridays. Spellings will be given out on Fridays to learn by the following Friday.

General notices

- We will continue with a weekly Evergreen treat on a Friday afternoon for all those children reaching or exceeding behavioural expectations; any child that loses Evergreen time will have the opportunity to earn time back, in which instance you will be informed. Children will also be receiving Team Points in class and around school for demonstrating anything considered 'above and beyond' expectations.
- Children should bring a bottle of water only into the classroom. Please ensure it is labelled.
- Please make sure children are bringing their reading books in every day.
- Please follow the Year 4 Class Twitter page: [@Year4Lea2019](#)
- Thank you again for all your support, and if you do need to speak to me or need any further information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Many thanks, Mrs Ireland