



Year 4 Newsletter Autumn

Dear Parents, Carers and Children,

Welcome back to school and welcome to Year 4. I hope you all had a fantastic summer break. I would like to take the opportunity to share this term's curriculum with you and other useful information. This term our topic is 'Invasion'.

Curriculum Overview



- English - Poetry, play scripts, myth and non-chronological reports.
- Maths - Number and place value, addition and subtraction, multiplication and division.
- Science - Animals including humans and sound.
- RE - Hinduism.
- Topic (Geography/History/Art/DT) - Based around our topic 'Invasion' (Anglo-Saxons and Vikings)
- Computing - The Internet and Audio Editing.
- French - Phonetics, fruit and vegetables.
- PE - Wednesdays with our PE Coach and Thursdays with Miss Stanton.



Reading

In Year Four, we expect the children to be reading at least **four times per week**.

The children will continue with their KS2 reading challenge booklet and in order to receive one sticker, the children need to be reading four times per week over four days. This year, we will be logging our reading on an app called GoRead, details have been sent home and can be found on Parent Hub. This app will be checked regularly and stickers will be given every **Friday** for those who read four times.



Homework

Children will receive termly topic homework based on the topic in class to choose one activity from.

In Year Four, we will be having a big push on recalling our timetables, so we encourage children to be using TTRockstars regularly. We also encourage children to use Spelling Shed to support their spelling, reading and writing.

I will give out logins again for the various apps (Seesaw, TTRockstars etc.) to ensure everyone has access.



General Notices

- Please ensure all PE kit, uniform, jumpers and coats are labelled clearly.
- **Autumn PE kit - tracksuit jumper and bottoms, trainers and spare socks.**
- **Earrings** - Please either take earrings out on PE days or bring plasters/tape with you.
- Children are encouraged to bring a labelled water bottle into class each day.
- Please make sure children are bringing their reading books in each day.
- 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.

Please do not hesitate to get in touch if you have any questions or concerns,

Kind regards,

The Year 4 team: Miss Lee, Mrs Stanton, Mrs Robinson and Mrs Cullum.