

#### FRANCES OLIVE ANDERSON

#### Church of England (Aided) School



'Being different, Belonging together'

# Year 4 Newsletter Summer

Dear Parents, Carers and Children,

I hope you all had a lovely Easter break. I would like to take the opportunity to share this term's curriculum with you and other useful information.

#### Curriculum Overview



- English based on the book 'When the Mountains Roared' by Jess Butterworth.
- Maths Decimals, money, time and shape.
- Science Electricity.
- RE Christianity.
- Geography/History/Art/DT Based around our topic 'Ancient Civilisations'.
- Computing Creating Media and Programming.
- French My Classroom and My House.
- PE Wednesdays with our PE Coach and Thursdays with Miss Lee.



#### Reading

In Year Four, children are encouraged to read four times per week in order to receive one sticker.

A big well done to those children who have now reached Blue/Indigo level. Keep up the super reading!

The GoRead app is checked regularly, and stickers are awarded every **Friday**. Please continue to log your reading on the app.

Please make sure children are bringing their reading books into school every day.

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### Multiplication Tables Check - JUNE

Not long now until the Year Four Multiplication Tables Check. Please ensure children are practicing their times tables as much as possible. Times tables support children in many areas of their maths learning and are therefore essential for future success in Mathematics.

#### Useful times table games:

TT Rockstars
Top Marks - Hit the Button
Top Marks - Daily 10
BBC Bitesize (videos and activities)



#### General Notices

- Please ensure all PE kit, uniform, jumpers and coats are labelled clearly.
- Please ensure PE kits still include tracksuit bottoms, jumper 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 Robinson and Mrs Cullum.