



## **READY TO LEARN?**

Throughout the year, all children in Year 4 will be expected to have the following items in school *every day*.

- WATER BOTTLE (clearly named).
- READING BOOK

It is expected that all children in Year 4 read at home at least 3 times a week for 15 minutes.

## THINGS TO REMEMBER...

- Homework is reading 3 x weekly. TT Rockstars, Spelling Frame and consolidation of the week's maths and English learning will be set on Seesaw every Friday.
- PE day is Thursday. Please come in full PE kit.
- Practise all multiplication facts up to 12 x 12

## Year 4 News

Happy New Year! We hope that you had a good Christmas break and are all refreshed and ready for an exciting start to 2024!

Last term was incredibly busy and filled with so many wonderful experiences for Year 4 in the run up to the end of term—it was a lovely festive time for all of us. We are really proud of the Year 4 children as they were also really dedicated to their learning tasks and worked really hard in amongst the celebrations.

This term we are beginning our new topic, Ancient Romans which we will explore not only in dedicated topic lessons but also within literacy and art. Furthermore, we are starting Ukulele lessons in Year 4, these will be every Thursday afternoon.

As always, we are here to talk to you about anything you'd like, please do not hesitate to contact the office, who will let us know. We look forward to a fantastic, learning filled 2024!

Ms Collins and Miss Connolly

Tomorrow, is the first blank page of a 365 page book. Write a good one."



Spring 1

January/February 2023

	Numeracy	Literacy
Week	Multiplication and Division	Improving sentence structure and vocabulary
One	Factors	Spelling rules—Year 3 and 4 spelling words
Week	Multiplication and Division	Writing to entertain—Creating short stories
Two	Multiplying and dividing by 10 and 100	linking to the Boy at the back of the class.
100		Spelling rules—Year 3 and 4 spelling words
Week	Multiplication and Division	Writing to entertain—Creating short stories
Three	Written methods	linking to the Boy at the back of the class.
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Week	Multiplication and Division	Writing to inform—News paper report about a
Four	Written methods	Roman invasion into England
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Week	Measurement	Writing to inform—News paper report about a
Fine.		Roman invasion into England
Five		Spelling rules—Year 3 and 4 spelling words
Week	Perimeter	Writing to entertain— Classic poetry
Six		Spelling rules—Year 3 and 4 spelling words

## <u>Curriculum</u>

The spring term will be very busy with new and exciting areas of learning. Our big focus this term will be the fascinating topic of Ancient Romans. We will be looking at the impact that Ancient Rome had on the world we live in today and more specifically, the impact on our country. Our science topic is living things and their habitats and we will look at how living things are classified. In R.E we will be returning to Judaism and continuing to deepen our understanding of this faith. We will continue to have a huge focus on times tables over the next few half terms to ensure we are as best prepared as possible for the government multiplication checks in the summer term.