



The term ahead: Summer 1 in Year 4

Welcome back to the final term in Year 4! We hope you had a restful holiday and are ready and raring to get going into the new term ahead! In English, we will be writing persuasive adverts based on our reading of 'The Boy at the Back of the Class' – the children will be designing their own school bag and advertising it. In Maths, we will be deepening our learning about perimeter and area. The children will take part in practical activities, measuring the lengths of different places around the school and in the playground. We will also be learning about fractions and decimals, helping pupils to build a strong understanding of how numbers work in different forms.

Topic Our topic this term is 'Land, Sea and Sky', which will link closely with our Science and Geography learning. In Science, pupils will explore the structure of the Earth and natural processes, while in Geography they will study different environments, including coasts and landscapes and how they are shaped and used. In Art, Year 4 pupils will study artists such as Turner, focusing on landscape paintings and will create their own watercolour artwork inspired by his style.



Spanish

In Spanish, we will be learning how to order a variety of ice creams, drinks and snacks as if we were on holiday. We will also be role-playing different holiday scenarios to practise our speaking skills in an interactive way.

Science

In Science, Year 4 pupils will be creating Earth models to explore the different layers of our planet, including the crust, mantle and core. This hands-on activity will help the children understand the structure of Earth in a fun and engaging way.



Weekly time table

PE Days:

Benjamin: Tuesday and Thursday
 Rashford: Tuesday and Friday
 Brunel: Tuesday and Friday
 Remember to wear PE kits to school.

Wednesday:

Homework due into school

Friday:

Homework sent home

Uniform



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Multiplication Test

Don't forget to keep practising your times tables ready for the Times Tables Check in June. Get onto TT Rock Stars as often as you can! Practice makes perfect!



Reading

Reading books will be going home each day and the children are expected to bring them back into school with them every morning.

The expectation is that the children read everyday at home and with an adult at least three times a week.

Spellings

This term, we will be placing a strong focus on spelling, so your support at home is greatly appreciated. Please help your child practise regularly so they feel confident and prepared for their weekly spelling test every Friday.