



Year 4 Curriculum Newsletter Summer 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back! We hope you had a wonderful time off over the Easter holidays. Please find below a summary of the main learning areas during the next term and general reminders. Our class pages on our school website have all our knowledge organisers and weekly updates about our learning, please click the links below.

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TTRS Homework

Maths homework will be set on Monday and will be due the following Monday. They are expected to complete 45 games on TT Rockstar in garage mode. Teachers will be checking on the Monday that these have been completed. While paper copies are available, it is important that the children access it online as this is the format of the summer Times Tables check. The more often they access it online, the more confident they will be using the technology.

Spelling Homework

Spelling lists are sent on ClassDojo for the children to work on. Alongside this, teachers will attach a sheet with separate ways for children to engage with these words, helping them to break down the patterns and revise different strategies for rehearsal. Alternatively, children could follow a look, cover, write technique if this approach works better for them. There is no set time requirement for these tasks, but we are sure that you share our belief that extra practice conducted at home is hugely beneficial to your child's learning process.

Reading

Children will complete their essential 10-minute reading in school and complete their quiz for their completed books in school. Any reading at home is for pleasure. Children can update Track My Read to celebrate their additional reading at home. In Year 4, we celebrate reading for pleasure with Top 100 and visits to the reading space as well.

PE

Our PE day will be Wednesday.

Please ensure that your child has the appropriate clothing and footwear in school for PE and outdoor lessons. For P.E these items are:

- a white t-shirt,
- plain dark shorts,
- pumps/trainers,
- warm top
- and dark jogging trousers.

Please note: no football shirts. Children need to have their entire P.E. kit in school all week otherwise they cannot participate. Please ensure that your child's earrings are removed on P.E days. due to health and safety reasons. Children cannot take part in P.E. sessions if they are wearing earrings. You can purchase retainers (small plastic studs) if you wish. Any other jewellery should not be worn to school.

Please provide your child with a warm waterproof coat and wellington boots to suit all weather conditions so they can learn outside whatever the weather. Letters will be sent home if children forget their P.E kit. There are further consequences if children continue to forget their kit. Please refer to the uniform policy.

Thank you for your continued support.
Year 4 team

Summer Term 2026 - Curriculum Units for Years 4

English	Maths	Science
 <p>Our whole class text will be Holes by Louis Sachar. We will be using the book to provide opportunities for writing.</p>	 <p>We will be continuing our learning in maths by looking at decimals, money, measure and Geometry.</p>	 <p>Our units will be Classification and Changing habitats. We will be classifying animals and learning new terminology to help understand different criteria while sorting.</p>
Art and Design	Computing	Design and Technology
 <p>Using the theme of rainforests, the children will be selecting imagery to produce different pieces of art using design methods such as Batik.</p>	 <p>We will be learning how information about the weather is recorded accurately.</p>	 <p>We will be designing, constructing, and evaluating our own torches.</p>
Geography	History	MFL – French
 <p>Our unit this term will be 'The United Kingdom' and 'South America', with a comparison between the UK and Brazil.</p>	 <p>We will look at the timeline of key events occurring during the Anglo Saxon and Viking period. The children will be learning about how and why Anglo-Saxons invaded.</p>	 <p>We will be learning how to introduce our families and to learn how to describe objects in the classroom.</p>
Music	PE	PSHE
 <p>We will be developing our musical techniques through the musical style of Samba and carnival music.</p>	 <p>Pupils' fundamentals of PE will continue to develop in our lessons. With specific focuses on athletics, tennis, cricket and rounders.</p>	 <p>We will be completing our Relationships and our Changing Me units.</p>
Extra-Curricula		
<p>Year 4 Trust Sports Event – Tuesday 19th May (More Details to Follow Soon) Year 4 Residential – 6th, 7th and 8th July 2026</p>		

