

Curriculum Information

English

Our focus for English this half-term will be role play, play scripts and using images to create group discussions and expand our knowledge of different text types. We will be reading “Traction Man Meets Turbo Dog” by Mini Gray and other texts linked to our “Bright Sparks” theme. Another focus will be identifying the different skills for reading comprehension.

Maths

Over the next half-term, the children will be learning about numbers and place value including using negative numbers. We will then move onto formal methods of addition and subtraction and expanding our knowledge of time and shape.

Topic (Science)

This half-term, our topic is ‘Bright Sparks’. During this topic, we will be applying our knowledge of electricity and skills:

- To research (using technology)
- To solve mathematical problems
- To gather and analyse data
- To represent data in different ways
- To develop our scientific skills

R.E.

We will be looking at ‘How are important events remembered in Ceremonies’. We will look at how light is used to represent different things in different religions.

P.S.H.E.

During this half term, year 4 will look at ‘Being me in my World’. Looking at ways of dealing with our feelings and forming and strengthening friendships.

P.E.

Year 4 will be going swimming on a **Tuesday** morning and swimming costume/shorts/trunks (plus a towel), **must** be brought by all pupils on this day.

On **Friday** they must bring their PE kit as both classes will be having PE **outside**.

If your children wear small studs for school, please ensure they are removed before school on PE days. PE kit must be in school on these days.

Homework

Homework will be sent out on a Tuesday to be returned by the following Monday.

Continuing reading – It is vital that children in Year 4 continue to read at home regularly. Reading books should be taken home from school and changed on a regular basis.

It is the responsibility of parents/carers to ensure home learning takes place.

Important Dates/Events

11th & 12th September – Parent information sessions.

2nd October – Parents coffee morning (9am).

Friday 26th October – School closes for half term.

Monday 5th November – School re-opens for Autumn 2.

What do we need?

- School uniform must be worn; this includes sensible black school shoes.
- Be in line for quarter to nine. Learning starts straight away so don't miss out.
- It is important that you check your child's bag and student planner every night for any home learning or letters that have been sent home.

If you have any queries, with regard to your children's learning or well-being, do not hesitate to speak to a member of the Year 4 team.

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Class Information

Year 4

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