

Year 4 Autumn Term – 2

Maths	<p>Calculation: Children will learn column methods of addition and subtraction. They will practise these in the arithmetic format as well as solving real-life situation problems. They will also look at multiplying and dividing by 10, 100 and 1000. Finally the pupils will look at fractions including recognising the decimal and percentage equivalent of common fractions.</p> <p>Fractions: Pupils will begin to look at parts of a whole. They will begin to recognise the different parts of a fraction, the numerator and denominator and calculate fractions of an amount. The pupils will also look at calculating with fractions.</p>
English	<p>Genre: Narrative and writing to inform The pupils will look at diary entries including writing in the first person, organising their ideas into chronological order and the past tense. The pupils will also look at poetry and will begin to prepare and perform their own poems.</p> <p>Reading: The pupils will begin to learn about deduction and inference when working with a text. They will practice the skill of ‘reading in between the lines’.</p>
Science	<p>Digestion: The pupils will study the digestion of the human body, how the body breaks down and takes nutrients from food. Following this the pupils will learn the names of all the different parts of the digestive system</p>
LFL	<p>Topic: Invasions Learning through: History, Geography, Art and Design Pupils will examine invasions through looking at Ancient Rome. They will discover the civilization of the Ancient Romans by studying their cultures and customs. The pupils will then examine the Romans invasion of Britain including studying the Iceni rebellion led by Queen Boudicca.</p>
RE	<p>Being merciful and forgiving. The pupils will look at the meaning of the terms merciful and forgiving. The pupils will discuss the importance of forgiving others and what this means for how we should behave.</p>
Computing	<p>We are software developers: In addition to continuing with learning how to use the internet safely the pupils will begin to design and make their own software including practicing programming and aesthetically designing their app</p>
PE	<p>Please remember to bring your P.E. Kits in on a Monday and Thursday. Your child will be developing their physical skills through: Handball - Learning how to defend and attack, learning the rules of the handball game and the passing and throwing skills involved.</p> <p>Gymnastics: Children will create their own sequences of balances and movements that involve their partner and apparatus. Children will learn how to carry and use apparatus safely.</p> <p>Swimming – Until February classes 4K and 4AA will be going swimming at Stetchford Swimming Baths every Thursday. Please send children with all of the appropriate equipment.</p>
Homework	<p>We currently give homework out on a Friday and collect it in on a Thursday. Homework will support the learning in class that week or prepare the children for the following weeks learning.</p>