Year 4 Newsletter Autumn term 2025!

We hope you had a lovely summer and are ready for a fabulous year! We have lots of fun things planned and can’t wait to get started. The teachers in year 4 are Miss Powell & Mrs Samuels (4X) and Miss Bayley (4B). All communication will be via Class dojo, Parent mail or on our school website so please ensure you check for updates regularly on these platforms.

**Home Reading**

We want to encourage all our children to enjoy and engage with books and reading and we ask you to support this process through our Home Reading Scheme. Children have the opportunity to use books from school OR home and their progress needs to be recorded on their online reading record ‘Track my Read’ – more information to follow.

Book bags need to be returned to school every Friday and new books will be returned back to you every Monday.

**Uniform**

Please ensure your child is wearing full school uniform to school each day which consists of the following;

* Grey trousers or skirt
* White or grey socks/tights
* White polo shirt (with or without the school logo)
* Royal blue jumper or cardigan with our school logo
* Black school shoes with a low heel

Please help us support your child’s independence by clearly labelling their school jumpers/ cardigans, coats and bags with their name and class.

**P.E**

This term we have P.E. on Thursdays. Children need to come to school dressed in their school P.E kit; a white t-shirt/ polo shirt, blue school jumper/ cardigan/ hoodie with school logo, dark jogging bottoms/ Shorts and trainers (no football kits or crop tops please). Just a reminder that our school policy clearly states no jewellery for safety reasons.

**Curriculum**

Our creative curriculum topic for this half term is ‘Into the Unknown’ Please see our topic web which will give you an insight into all of the exciting things we have planned including an explorer day which we will send out more information soon via Class Dojo but you may want to start planning your costume!

**Homework**

This year your child will be given a homework book this will go home on Friday and needs to be returned on the following Friday. In this book there will be a piece of English homework, Timetables practice (To support the Y4 Times Tables Check in Summer Term) as well as the spellings for the week. Spelling and Timetables knowledge will be checked on Wednesdays and Thursdays. On the inside cover of your child’s homework book will also be their times tables rock star login.

Thank you for your support,

The year 4 team!