

CLASS NOTICES

Reading

Children need to read for at least ten minutes every day in order to help them improve their fluency of reading. The children will be responsible for changing their reading books when they complete the book they have read. *Please can parents sign the reading record to say you have heard your child read at least once a week.*

PE - important changes.

PE will take place on **Thursdays** for 4RW class. Children in this class will need to come to school in their PE kit:

Black shorts or jogging trousers, plain, white t-shirt, plain black/dark jumper or hoodie and black trainers or plimsolls.

They will also need their coat for playtime and lunchtimes when they are outside.

Children with earrings in will not be allowed to take part in the session.

This will be class 4RWs only PE day.

4AC class will be swimming for their PE this half-term, every Thursday 1pm-3:30pm. Please ensure that your child brings their swimming costume and a towel in a named bag to school every Thursday. Children must not wear earrings or any jewellery.

PSHE

In PSHE we will be looking at Healthy Me. We will be respectful when sharing our ideas and listening to others, using kind words and following our class charter. WAS award Champions- Elliott and Sofia.

Homework

Homework will go home on **Friday** and is due back the following **Wednesday**.

Our maths homework will focus on our times tables. We will also send home Grammar practise and Spelling words. Each half term, children will be asked to complete a homework project.

If you have any questions about the homework, please talk to us and we will be happy to help.

Thank you for your continued support.

Mrs Cooper & Mrs Wade

Class Curriculum Information








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Year Four Road Trip USA



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English 	<p>In English we will be reading 'Hold Up the Sky' by Jane Louise Curry. We will be reading folktales and using these to write our own based on the book.</p> <p>We will also be using our research on the USA to create a holiday brochure to persuade others to visit there.</p>
Maths 	<p>In Maths we will be learning to add and subtract fractions, convert improper and mixed fractions and recognise equivalent fractions. We will then look at decimals and their relationship to fractions, placing them on a numberline and furthering our understanding of place value. We will continue to practise our times tables.</p>
Science 	<p>In Science, we will be learning about electricity. We will be learning to identify electrical appliances and understand electrical safety. We will investigate insulators and conductors. We will make simple circuits, use switches and learn to make a simple device.</p>
Computing 	<p>In Computing, we will be looking at data and information using data logging. We will be collecting data and using it to answer questions. We will continue to work on keeping safe using technology.</p>
R.E. 	<p>In RE, we will be learning about Sikhs and what they believe. We will be learning about the first and last Human Gurus, The Khalsa and the Five Ks. We will learn about what is important to Sikhs and what is important to ourselves.</p>

ENRICHMENT AREAS OF LEARNING

Geography and History 	<p>In Geography we will be using maps to locate the world's countries including North and South America and name the states and capitals. We will find out about some of the most famous physical features of the US. In History, we will use a range of source materials to find out about the Native American Iroquois tribe and place a range of iconic American people on a timeline.</p>
MUSIC 	<p>In Music, we will be learning and performing the song Lean on me by Bill Withers. We will learn about the interrelated dimensions of music through games, singing and composing.</p>
DT/Art 	<p>We will be learning about smart wearables and how to programme them. We will design and make a pouch for an eCharm.</p>
P.E. 	<p>4RW will be completing a unit of Contemporary Dance this term. This unit is based on the Royal Opera House ballet <i>Alice's Adventures in Wonderland</i>. Children will work towards choreographing and performing a dance sequence.</p> <p>4AC will be swimming.</p>
MFL 	<p>Year 4 will be continuing our MFL journey with Spanish. We will learn to be able to identify the names of wild and domestic animals. They will use this to discuss the pets they have.</p>