

YEAR 4 NEWSLETTER

AUTUMN 1

In Writing this half term, we will be reinforcing the key components of a sentence. We will look at different types of nouns and verbs and look at how we use these with the correct punctuation to ensure that our sentences are cohesive and accurate with accurate punctuation and grammar.

In Maths, we will be studying place value, embedding our understanding of number to 1000 including ordering, comparing rounding numbers and solving problems. We will study roman numerals to 100. We will also be adding and subtracting numbers using written methods.

Our Geography unit is 'The United Kingdom'. We will study the countries, human and physical features and settlements of the UK.

In Science, we will be studying living things and their habitats, understanding how to group and classify living things.

DATES

Mondays – PE days

28th September – Ossett Scarecrow Festival

15th October – Parents' evening

24th October – Break up for holidays

25th October – INSET day

If there are any additional dates for your diary, we will update you via Class Dojo.

HOMEWORK

We will be having a big push on times tables in Year 4 and we aim for children to know all times tables up to 12 x 12 by the end of the year. Please ensure your child practises their times tables little and often. TT Rockstars is a great resource to use and we will be sending home login details for this.

Your project this half term is to research a country in the United Kingdom. You can present your findings as you wish – this may be a factfile, slideshow or even a song! Please can completed projects be brought to school **week commencing 14th October**.

READING

Our reading focus this half term is author Michael Morpurgo. We are reading Kensuke's Kingdom as a class and encourage children and families to also try out other books by this wonderful author.



If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to speak to a member of staff in the Year 4 team.

Mrs Marsden – Class 10 teacher, Miss Pepper – Class 11 teacher

Mrs Liversedge – Year 4 Teaching Assistant

Mrs Banks, Mrs Thomas, Mrs Wilkinson, Mrs Prince, Mrs Hartland – SEN Teaching Assistants