

Year 4 Curriculum Letter- Autumn Term 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

The Year 4 team welcome you to the autumn term! We would like to invite you to a curriculum meeting on Tuesday 15th September 2026 at 3.45pm in the school hall where you will have the opportunity to meet the Year 4 teachers. We will be discussing the curriculum overview in further detail as well as answering any questions you may have.

ACPs: Creating  Realising 		VAAs: Empathy  Agile  Hard-Working 		
- Intellectual confidence - Flexible thinking - Originality - Evolutionary and revolutionary thinking	- Automaticity - Speed and accuracy	- Collaboration - Concern for society - Confidence	- Open-minded - Enquiring - Creative and Enterprising	- Practice - Resilience - Perseverance

Please see below the curriculum overview for the autumn term:

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2
Maths	Place Value; Addition and Subtraction	Area; Multiplication and Division
English	Mark of the Cyclops	The Firework-Maker's Daughter
History/ Geography	Ancient Greece	Comparison of Modern Greece and the UK
Science	The Digestive System	States of matter
Art and DT	DT: Food Technology Bread Making and Sandwiches	Art: Clay - Greek pots
RE	What does it mean to be a Hindu?	
PSHE	Nutrition and Dental health	Human rights (Ancient Greece – Democracy)
Computing	We are Software developers	We are Data Analysers
Music	Lean on Me (Charanga)	Blackbird (Charanga)
French	The Carnival of the Animals	How Did You Travel? I Travelled...
Indoor PE	Gymnastics – Principles of Balance	Dance Through the Ages
outdoor PE	Invasion Games – Ball on the Ground	Problem Solving and Inventing Games

Reading: Your child is expected to read daily and note what they have read in their reading record with an adult. There will be a continued focus on reading books from the Parkhill Reading Tree, which will be available from class book corners.

Weekly homework includes SPAG, spellings and multiplication tables, which will be set on Google Classroom. The children will continue to be set battles on TTRS which can be found at this address: <https://ttrockstars.com/>

PE: Children must bring in their PE kits every Monday and take them home to be every Friday. The children have two PE lessons per week; one indoor and one outdoor.

Year group targets:

We encourage you to support your child's learning at home, by focusing on the following targets:

Reading: I can draw inferences about character's feelings, thoughts and motives and justify them.

Writing: I can understand the grammatical difference between plural (the girl has two apples) and possessive (the girl's apples).

Maths: I can recall my 6, 7 and 9 multiplication tables.

Enjoy Learning!

Mr Hansen, Ms Andaya, Ms Wright and Ms Gay