

YEAR 4 NEWSLETTER

Summer 2 2026



ATTENDANCE

For your child to get the best out of school and maximise their learning, please make sure your child is on time and comes to school every day. School starts at 8.50am.



WELCOME BACK!

Welcome back to our last half term together! Sadly, we are now in the final half term! This half term we will continue to work hard and get ourselves ready for Year 5!

Mr Creamer and Mrs Baker

1 Maths

In Maths, we will be working on time problems, shape including understanding angles and symmetry. Statistics and position and direction when translating a shape on a grid. We also have the Multiplication check coming up so please keep practising at



2 English

We are beginning this half term studying stories from other cultures, writing our own stories with an Ancient Egyptian theme. We will also be studying features of an explanation text and writing an explanation linked to our Science topics this year. Our grammar focus continues to be use of basic punctuation as well as adverbial phrases, complex sentences and extended noun phrases

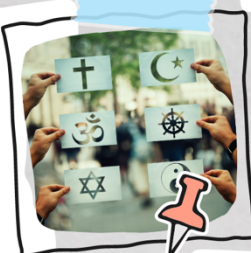
3 Reading

Our class novel is "Wind in the willows". We will be exploring poetic devices that can be used to express meaning in narrative texts and inferences which can be drawn from specific details and clues in the text, finding evidence in a text to support a given statement or inference

4 RE

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This half term we will be continuing to explore Islam, the seal of the prophets. Focusing on Muhammad as a prophet and exploring the messages he gave.



5 Computing

We will be thinking about being safe on the internet. We will also be learning how to use patterns, create repeats and other skills using Word.

6 Geog/Hist

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Our topic this half term is 'Ancient Civilisations'. Children will be continuing to learn about the 'Ancient Egypt' We will also be having an Egypt day in school exploring life in Ancient Egypt and how the pyramids were built.



7 PE

PE will continue to be taught by Mr Stone. Children will need their PE kits on Tuesdays.

KEEPING IN TOUCH

Please do keep up updated with anything you think we may need to know about. We are more than happy to catch up with you at the end of the day.

8 Music

Year 4 children will continue with weekly flute lessons from the Music Service. Flutes will be provided and children will be encouraged to practise at home.

We have had a considerable number of children not bringing their flutes each week, this is part of the curriculum so please encourage them to do so!



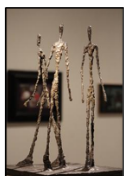
9 PSHE

In PSHE we will be continuing to use 'My happy mind' to help us understand our emotions and what they might mean for us as individuals. We will also think about water safety and sun safety ready for the Summer holidays.



10 Art

This half term children will be thinking about 3D art and collage linked to the artist Alberto Giacometti.



Three Men Walking (1948) by Alberto Giacometti



11 DT

We will be completing our DT next half term we will be looking at electrical systems and circuits linked to our Science in the Spring term..

Summer 2 Challenge

There is another Battle of the Bands taking place on Times table rockstars between Bumblebees and Dragonflies; children are competing for their class to be the champions! Their target is to go on for 10 minutes a day on all times tables.

Make a 3D project or a factfile on the Ancient Egyptians. Tell us some interesting facts about the pyramids, mummification or life in an Egyptian town.

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