

Year 4 - Class Newsletter

Autumn 1 2023



Dear Parents and Carers,

We hope you had a lovely summer break and welcome back for the new academic year.

Reading: Pupils should be reading at home daily to help increase their pace and fluency. Please ensure you sign and date your child's reading record to show they have read at home/finished a book.

Homework: Spelling homework will be Spelling Shed. The children should login Monday until Thursday night to complete activities. Times tables rock stars will be the weekly maths homework and children should complete daily to practice their timetables knowledge.

Should you have any concerns or questions please let us know.

Many kind regards,

Miss Jones (Jellyfish) and Mr Randall (Starfish)

Weekly Timetable

Monday – Spelling shed and TTRS
Jellyfish and Starfish PE
Tuesday – Spelling shed and TTRS
Wednesday – Spelling shed and TTRS
Thursday Spelling shed and TTRS
Jellyfish PE
Friday – Spelling Test
Starfish PE

Please sign and return your child's reading book and record on a daily basis.

Important Dates

1st Half Term - Monday 23rd October – Friday 27th October
2nd half Autumn Term - Monday 30th October to Friday 22nd December
Christmas Holidays—Monday 25th December to Friday 5th January

Don't forget to keep up-to-date with our learning by following @BoarshawP on Twitter or by reading our class blog which can be found on the school's webpage!



What are we learning?

During Autumn 1 the focus will be geography and the children will be learning about rivers. They will learn how a river is formed and about the water cycle. They will find out about the features of the upper, middle and lower courses of a river. They will also understand about erosion and depositions. We will discuss what are the advantages for cities to be located by rivers and where some of the world's most famous and longest rivers are located.



	Here is an overview of our learning across the curriculum this term.
English:	Poetry, Narrative
Maths:	Number: Place Value Number: Addition and subtraction
Geography:	Rivers
Science:	Living things and their habitats
Computing:	Online Safety
Art:	Drawing-Formal elements of art
RE:	Are all religions equal?
PSHE:	Me and My Relationships
Spanish:	Welcome to school
Music:	Charanga-Mama Mia