



# Autumn 1 Newsletter



## Welcome

Hello and welcome to Year 4! I am Mr Allen and I am the class teacher and Mrs Williams (in the morning) and Mrs Pinder (in the afternoons) will be our teaching assistants. Mrs Oldham, Miss Hind and Mr Morris will cover for PE, Music and French on a Wednesday.

## Dates

03.09.25—First day back  
19.09.25—Deadline for Cauliflower Cards  
26.09.25—Portland Basin Museum trip  
26.09.25—Macmillan cake sale  
13.10.25—Individual photos  
25.10.25—Finish for half term  
20.10.25—Parents consultation  
04.11.25—INSET day

## Curriculum

Our author of the half term is Ted Hughes.

In Maths we will be working with numbers and place value into the thousands.

In History will be learning all about the Industrial Revolution and how it affected people in Manchester and the surrounding areas

In Science we will be learning about the sound and doing all types of investigations to understand what sound actually is.

In RE we will be learning all about what different people believe about god.

In Art we are focusing on storytelling through drawing.

For PE, we will be learning how to play hockey and Tag Rugby

In PSHE we will learn about relationships and friendships

In Music we will be learning how to play the recorder with Miss Hind.

## PE

PE is on a **Wednesday and Friday**. Children need to come to school in their PE kit. Our kit consists of black shorts/bottoms, white t-shirt, PE hoodie and black trainers. Also, please remember no earrings on PE days.



## Homework

### Maths

Children will receive paper based Maths homework each week on a Monday and it is to be completed by the following Monday.

Children will have one week to complete it. Dojo points will be added for those children who complete this homework on time.

### TimeTables

At the end of the year, children will be assessed on their timetables knowledge—we are encouraging children to practice on TT Rockstars at home as well as in school



### Reading

Children should be reading their book **at least** 3 times a week—ideally daily though. We will change books as they are returned.

## Communication

Please make sure that you are signed up to Class Dojo for class and whole school messages, as class notices and information will be posted there



We cannot communicate directly through Class Dojo anymore, but My Child At School has a messaging service that you can contact me directly on.

Respect

Challenge

Confidence

Curiosity