

**Welcome back!**

## **Year Four Class Newsletter**

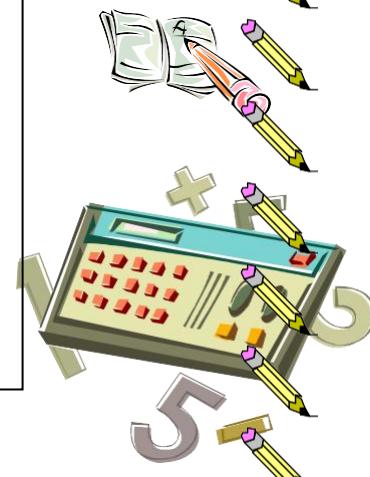
**Autumn 2 2025**



Welcome back, I hope you have all had a lovely half term break . We are very excited as we will be covering the following during the next half term:

### **Maths**

In Maths we will be focusing on perimeter, regular and irregular polygons, interior angles and 2D shapes. We will also have a real focus with times tables and division and the approach to problems using our success criteria. We like a challenge in Year 4, so we are looking forward to pushing ourselves with our learning! We will continue to learn our times tables on a regular basis, it would be great if you could support with this at home.



### **English**

This half term we will be exploring texts including *Plague* by Ann Turnbull.

#### **Writing:**

- To plan and write a historical narrative
- To create characters, a setting and plot in a narrative
- To use and maintain correct tense
- To use ambitious vocabulary
- To use expanded noun phrase effectively
- To use Inverted Commas
- To proof read and edit writing

#### **Reading:**

- Text interrogation-identifying main ideas drawn from more than 1 paragraph and summarising these
- Our Approach to Comprehension.
  - Focus on vocabulary, retrieval and inference - VIPERS



## **Journal**

In our theme work we will be focusing on History, where we will look in depth at the impact the The Plague and the impact it had on Europe and Britain. In Science we will be investigating Electric Circuits.

## **Homework**

- Reading 4 times a week marked in diary with a H.
- Times Tables '6 second game' 2- 12 times tables.
- Spellings test and evidence of learning the spellings in green homework book.

## **Key dates and information for your diary:**

### **Swimming – Every Tuesday PM**

### **PE- Every Monday Pm**

Monday 10th November: Anti-Bullying Week 'Choose Respect' - all children invited to wear odd socks to celebrate being unique.

Friday 14th November: Children In Need - all children invited to come to school in pyjamas and make a small donation - link will be published on MCAS App.

Friday 5th December: Godley Christmas Fair 3:30pm - 5pm.

Thursday 11th December: Years 4,5, and 6 Christmas Show 9:30am and 2pm

Friday 12th December: Christmas Jumper Day and Christmas Dinner which can be booked via MCAS

Wednesday 17th December: Year 3/4 Christmas Party - wear party clothes

Friday 19th December 3:30pm: School closes for Christmas Break

Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> January - Children return to school

Thank you for your continued support,

Mr. Anderson and Mrs. Parkhouse.