

caring as part of God's family they produce much fruit." (John 15:5)

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Dear Year 4 parents,

Happy New Year! We hope you had a fun and restful time over Christmas. It has been good to see the children again and we are looking forward to more hard work, fun and learning over the term ahead. It is great to look back and think about all we have covered and learnt since September, and we know you have been supporting your child in their learning, so thank you for that. On Wednesday afternoon, Mrs Redmayne will be teaching the class History for the first half term and then Geography covering PPA. Miss Flynn will be teaching ICT for part of Friday afternoon to also cover PPA time.

Details of the curriculum we will cover this term are attached with this letter, and are also available on our school website.

P.E. will take place on Mondays, please ensure that your child always has a complete, named indoor P.E. kit with black pumps in school every day. The children can also have an outdoor PE kit of leggings, a sweatshirt or hoodie and trainers for when we go outside. On Thursday each week, we will be going to the University to take part in a swimming lesson. Please could you ensure that your child has a named swimming kit and their school uniform is also fully named.

For homework, your child will be expected to read regularly. They need to record this in their reading record. Please could you listen to your child read regularly each week in order to support them in their understanding of the text. Please sign their record when you have done this, thank you. Your child will receive new spellings each Monday on Purple Mash. They will have also brought home a sheet showing spellings for each week to practise writing out. It is also essential that the children continue to learn their tables as they need to know them all (1-12) by the end of the year. There is a national test that the children will be taking in the Summer Term 2022.

There are parent and child consultations in March when you can discuss your child's progress but please do not hesitate to contact us before this if you feel it would be helpful, or have any queries or concerns at all.

We are very much enjoying teaching Year 4. It is great to see the progress they have already made since September. We are sure they will continue to progress over this coming term.

Yours sincerely,

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