



Summer Curriculum Newsletter

YEAR 4



Dear Year 4,

Welcome back! I hope you all had a lovely Easter break and enjoyed some time with your families before the start of your final term in Year 4. I hope you are looking forward to meeting new challenges and expanding your knowledge!

PE days are **Monday** and **Friday**, this means you need to wear your **full PE tracksuit** (which consists of a plain black tracksuit or the school tracksuit with trainers). Spelling tests are every **Monday**. You will still be given weekly spellings and homework on a **Monday** which is expected to be back by the following Monday. Also, you need to be sharing a book (or part of a book) daily to an adult and recording this in your reading record which must be in school every day.

In addition to this, you need to be practising your spellings and times tables at home regularly. You can access TTRockstars at home at any time, in readiness for the Multiplication Tables Check in June. Our Spelling Test is on a **Monday** and you can access these spellings on Spelling Shed. You can also access Accelerated Reader from home as well.

Our class trip is on Thursday 5th June to 'Land of Iron' where we will be taking part in two Romans Workshops, building on our knowledge gained in the Autumn term.

Please continue to check MCAS, the school's website or Facebook for weekly updates and achievements. If you have any concerns or queries, please feel free to contact the office email: office@stjosephsbillingham.bhcet.org.uk

Thank you,

Mrs Moodie



The light
is pleasant
and it is good
for the eyes
to see the sun.
Ecclesiastes 11:7



'Walk in the Light of Christ'



Subject	Topics	Big Question
English	-Recounts/diary -Narrative -Explanation texts	
Maths	- Multiplication and division - Length and perimeter - Fractions - Decimals - Problem solving	
R.E	Y4 are trialling the new RE scheme of work which has been created for the Diocese. We are looking at 'Branch 4: Desert to Garden'	
Science	- States of Matter - Electricity	- How does matter impact our lives? - Can I create a working circuit?
P.E	-Orienteering -Badminton	- Why do I need to be able to read a map? -Can I accurately hit a much lighter object?
Computing	-Logo -Spreadsheets	- How can I use coding to make an object move? -How do spreadsheets help to organise data?
History	- Early Islamic Civilisation	- How and why did the Early Islamic Civilisation develop?
Geography	- Angry Earth	- What causes earthquakes and volcanoes?
Art D.T	- Food Technology	- to develop a seasonal puff pastry tart with either fruits or vegetables
MFL	- Where I live	- Can I describe where I live?
Music	- Composition	- Can I play with increasing accuracy, fluency, control and expression?
PSHE	-Mental Health Awareness week - Healthy Sleeping	-How can we look after our Mental Health? -Why do we need a good sleep?



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