



Year 4 Newsletter

Hi Saturn Class!

I am very excited that I will be your teacher from September. It is a shame that we haven't had a chance to have our 'moving up' days together but we will have plenty of time in September to do lots of lovely activities when we return.

We have lots of exciting things to learn in Year four! Throughout the year, we are going to be learning about York, Ancient Greece and Electricity. We will also be doing some cooking relating to our topic and learning to play the recorder. We will be thinking about 'Our Wonderful World' and learning about democracy as well as developing our map reading skills. We will be very busy!

When we return, our first topic will be 'The Great, The Bold and The Brave' and we will be learning about the Vikings. Our classroom will be opposite your Y3 classroom, where year 5 used to be so you won't have to move too far!

Year 4 is a very important year for mathematics, we will practise our times tables every day. You could practise over the summer using TT Rockstars, this will help you when we return to school. I will challenge you all to a 'Rockslam' to complete over the summer, can you beat my score?

I know most of you very well but I would like you to complete the 'All about me 2Do' on Purple Mash over the summer holidays. You can tell me about your family, friends, pets and your hobbies. I would also like you to tell me what you feel you are good at, anything that you struggle with and something you would like to achieve in Year 4. This will help me to help you when we are back in school.

We will be working really hard on our spellings during the year. It would be a good idea if you could practise them over the summer holidays too. I will attach a spelling list so that you know which spellings we need to learn.

Reading is really important and will help you to be a better writer. I have attached a list of recommended reading books for year 4, perhaps you could read some of them over the summer holidays?

Have a fabulous summer, I look forward to seeing you in September.

Miss McHale