

Year 4

Spring Term 2 2024

Newsletter



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Welcome to back for the second half of Spring Term! The Year 4 team hopes that you had a lovely break. It has been exciting to welcome the children back to school. Spring Term 2 is going to be a busy term full of exciting topics to learn and enjoy.

Important Notices

- **PE** continues to take place for Year 4 on **Tuesday**. Children **must** wear a white t-shirt, plain black shorts or tracksuit bottoms and plimsolls/trainers. **Swimming** continues on Mondays for those children who attended last half term.
- Children should be completing their **spelling frame each week**, spending at least **20 minutes on Times Table Rockstars** per week and **reading daily** at home. There are additional homework tasks on the homework grid. Children will earn one class dojo for each completed square of the homework grid.

Key Dates

4th March – Bookbugs and Dragon tales' book fair

7th March – World Book Day

15th March – Red Nose Day

20th March – Year 4 Castle Museum Roman Trip (helpers appreciated!)

What are we learning this term?

Here's a summary of the topics we will be covering over the Spring Term 2:

Talk for Writing: We will be writing first person diary recount.

Maths: We will be focusing on Fractions.

History: We will be exploring who the Romans were and what life was like for them.

Science: We will be finding out about creatures similarities and differences.

Art: We will be exploring pattern.

Computing: We will be focusing on Data and Information.

RE: We will be retelling the Christian Easter story and why people call the day Jesus died 'Good Friday'.

PSHE: We will be considering how to be and stay healthy and safe.

PE: We will be developing her hockey skills.