

Year 4

Curriculum Update 'November 2024'

Welcome back, we hope you have all had a good break and are looking forward to another exciting half term.

Our new Maths topic is 'Area'. We will be calculating the area of different shapes. We will then move on to 'Multiplication and Division'. We will also be continuing to learn our times tables up to 12 x 12 using Times Tables Rockstars and the multiplication check-
<https://www.timestables.co.uk/multiplication-tables-check/> .

This half term in English, we will be exploring two exciting topics. In Fiction, we will be reading a selection of Greek myths and writing our own narratives. Through these imaginative stories, we will focus on understanding characters and bringing them to life through our writing. In Poetry, we will dive into Falling Out of the Sky, where students will explore various poems, developing their understanding of poetic techniques and language. In guided reading we will be linking our texts to 'Ancient Greece' which will include the very entertaining 'Who Let the Gods Out'. We look forward to a creative and engaging half term!

In Science, we will be focusing on the topic of human impact on the environment. Students will learn about how human activities, such as pollution, deforestation, and climate change, affect the planet. We will explore both the negative and positive impacts, discussing ways we can all help protect and sustain our environment. Through experiments, discussions, and research, students will gain a deeper understanding of the importance of caring for our world.



In History we will be learning about the 'Ancient Greeks'. We will be exploring Greek life and how the Greeks influenced modern day life. We will look at the 'Olympic games' and 'Gods and Goddesses'.

In our PE lesson we will be learning how to play Hockey and continuing our swimming lessons.

This half term we will be holding our annual Christmas Carol concert. The children will be busy practising for this event and parents/carers will be invited to come along and watch the children. This will be a wonderful event for the children and families. The date of the concert is Wednesday 17th December. Please look out for upcoming information about this on class dojo.

Dates for The Diary

Week Beginning 10.11.25 Anti-bullying Week

20.11.25 Open Day

25.11.25 & 27.11.25 Parents' Evening

17.12.25 Carols on the Playground

19.12.25 Break up!