



YEAR 4

AUTUMN TERM

Dear parents/ carers

We have an exciting term of learning ahead for the start of Year 4. If you have any general teaching queries, please contact us at our class email addresses below. Please continue to send child attendance notifications to the main school office address (office@holbrookprimaryschool.com) Thank you for your continued support.

Our Autumn Theme

Our Changing World is our autumn theme. We study *Voices In The Park* and *Iron Man* before the half term and then we learn all about the Romans as part of our English and history lessons.

Curriculum

Maths: we will start building on our place value knowledge, moving onto addition and subtraction and multiplication and division. We will be focusing on our times tables all year in preparation for the Year 4 multiplication check.

English: narrative, poetry and descriptive writing.

Reading: Our class stories for this term are: *Charlie Changes into a Chicken* by Sam Copeland and *The Boy at the Back of the Class* by Onjali Rauf.

Science: Electricity and Sound

Geography: Antarctica and explorers

PE: Outdoor PE on Mondays and PE on Thursdays (changing to swimming on the 18th September for 8 weeks)

Art and DT: Portraits, line and sculpture, electrical systems

Computing: E-safety and programming

French: revision of previous units, ice cream and presenting myself.

Home Learning

We will continue to upload the home learning to Seesaw on Friday and it should be sent back to us, before the start of the school day, the following Thursday. All children are expected to spend up to 40 minutes on their home learning (this can be spread out throughout the week).

In addition, please encourage your child to read at least four times a week.

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