



# YEAR 4

## SPRING TERM

**Dear parents/ carers**

We have another exciting term of learning ahead for 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](mailto:office@holbrookprimaryschool.com)) Thank you for your continued support.

### Our Spring Theme

**A New World** is our spring theme. We will be learning all about the Titanic as part of our English and history lessons including taking part in an exciting Virtual Zoom session with SeaCity museum in January. We will also be focusing on poetry in the second half of the spring term.

### Curriculum

**Maths:** we will practise multiplication and division as well as length and perimeter. We will then move onto looking at fractions and decimals.

We will also continue to focus on times tables in preparation for for the Year 4 multiplication check - it is really important for the children to continue to regularly practise their times tables at home.

**English:** narrative, poetry and descriptive writing.

**Reading:** We will continue to read Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone as our class story.

**Science:** states of matter, teeth and digestion

**Geography:** Antarctica and explorers

**PE:** Outdoor PE on Mondays, Indoor PE on Thursdays (Badminton)

**Art and DT:** textiles and collage, colour and painting, pneumatics

**Music:** Term2Learn Ukelele

**Computing:** E-safety and audio editing

**French:** In the classroom, my family

### 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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