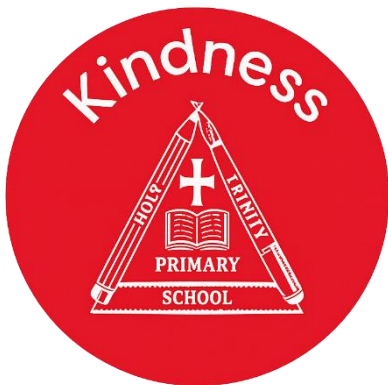
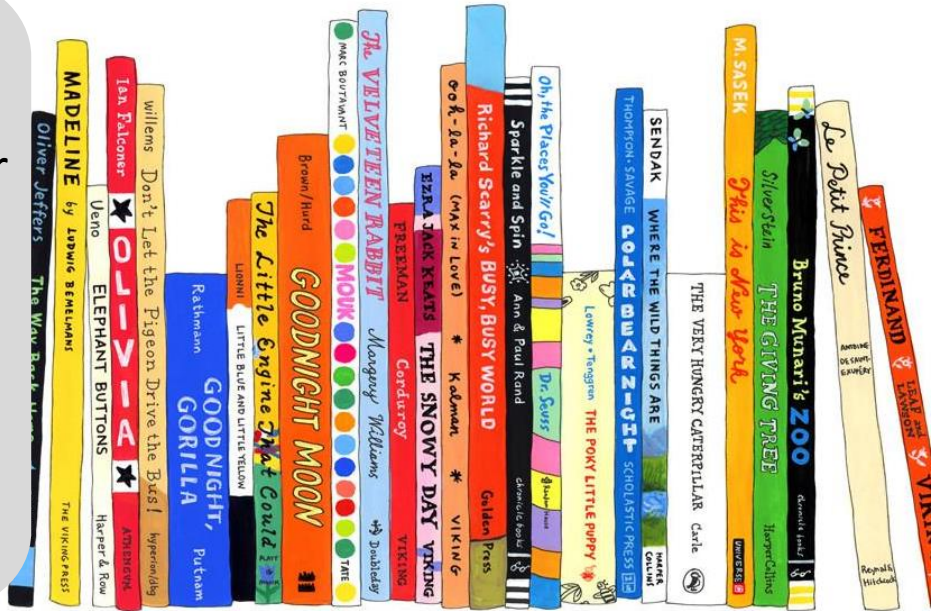


Year 4 Curriculum NEWSLETTER

“You can find magic wherever you look. Sit back and relax, all you need is a book.

– Dr. Seuss



Class teacher's Message

Welcome to this half-term in year 4!

Teachers and adults working with the children will be Mrs Steele, Mrs Baker and Miss Tyler.

English Learning

In English, we will be creating non-chronological reports and persuasive letters. Our independent pieces of writing will be inspired by the Talk For Writing unit: Goblinology. We will work on using fronted adverbials and conjunctions to extend our sentences. In reading, we will continue to develop our reading skills and fluency. We will be reading Christophe's story by Nicki Cornwell.

Maths Learning

In maths, we will be using written methods to multiply and divide 3 digit numbers by 1 digit. We will apply this skill to word problems and we will use our knowledge of times tables and other related number facts to help our accuracy and speed when calculating.

Key Days



Spelling test

- Every Friday



PE Day/s

- Every Tuesday.
- We are swimming this term so please remember to bring your swimming kit with you every Tuesday.



It's important to fail in our learning!

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L Learning

Science Learning – Electricity

In science, we will be learning about electrical circuits. We will be able to identify common appliances that run on electricity and will construct simple electrical circuits, identifying basic parts. Finally, we will investigate whether materials are conductors or insulators.

History Learning – What changed in Britain after the Anglo-Saxon invasion?

In history, we will be learning about Britain's settlement by Anglo-Saxons. We will identify reasons for the Anglo-Saxon invasion, name the key features of Anglo-Saxon settlements, describe how Anglo-Saxon beliefs changed and explain the threat the Vikings posed.

Key Rocket Words

Rocket Words	
electricity	energy that powers electrical appliances and devices
series circuit	a type of electrical circuit where the components are connected in a single loop
cell	a single unit that is a source of electrical energy in a circuit
battery	a source of electrical energy made up of multiple cells
bulb	produces light in a circuit; can also be called a lamp
switch	a component within a circuit which allows the flow of electricity to be turned on and off
electrical conductor	a material which allows electricity to flow through it easily
electrical insulator	a material that doesn't let electricity pass through it easily

Reminders

Please ensure you are practising your times tables on TT Rockstars and reading daily! Reading records need to be brought into school every day. 😊