

Information for Parents and Carers of Year 4

Summer Term 2025



Welcome to the Summer Term, the children have all returned excited and ready to eagerly embrace all learning we have planned. The information below is designed to help you and your child get the most out of the current term. If there is anything you are unsure about or if you want extra help/support in any area, please do not hesitate to come into school and have a chat.

Class Teachers	4M Mr Miller 4H Miss Horsfield
Teaching Assistants	Mrs Fisher, Mrs Braithwaite
Important Dates	York residential: June 16th & 17th
Homework	Reading: 10-15 minutes every day Spellings: weekly practice and test in school. Times Tables: weekly practice, the sound check on Times Tables Rockstars is ideal as it gives the best practice for the Multiplication Check. A piece of either English, maths or subject-related work will be handed out every Friday to be handed in by the following Wednesday.
Home School Diary	Please help your child record their daily reading and to bring it to school everyday.
PE	4M Tuesdays with Mr Maylard-Mason 4H Fridays with Mr Maylard-Mason Please ensure your child has their PE kit in school every day just in case there is a timetable change. With colder weather at this time of year, please ensure black tracksuit bottoms are also in your child's PE bag.
English	This term we will be continuing to develop our writing skills with Talk for Writing, focusing on adventure stories. We will also look at some aspects of poetry with a performance element. Later in the term, we will be looking at persuasive writing.
Maths	This half term we will continue to work on decimals, expanding this to look at money before moving on to telling the time and work on co-ordinates. There will also be work on data handling and end of year revision.
History & Geography	In history we will be looking at the settlement of Britain by the Anglo-Saxons and the Vikings. Our geography topic is rivers and coasts. We will look at the natural features of, and the land uses along, rivers and coasts.
Science	Our topics in science this term are sound and the human body. Children will investigate how sounds are made and travel. Children will think about the food they eat, how to look after their teeth and the journey of food through the digestive system.
Computing	In our computing sessions, we will learn about computer instructions as well as a media project.
Art/DT	Our art topic will be based on the work of Vincent Van Gogh with children producing work focused on use of colour and texture. In DT, we will be constructing protective packaging.
PSHE	Our PSHE topics this term are Relationships and Changing Me. These themes are explored in the classroom and through whole school assemblies.
French/Music	French will be taught by Mrs Alcock and music by Mrs Brown every Friday.