

HOLDBROOK PRIMARY SCHOOL & NURSERY WELCOME TO YEAR 4

Summer Term 2



<p>English This term in English we will be writing a variety of genres including a story, writing a persuasive letter and a recount. Their fiction writing will include a narrative based on 'The Queen's Nose' by Dick King Smith. Their learning will include a clear focus on the skills of drafting and editing. Year 4 will continue to develop their knowledge of different forms of punctuation and word classes and how these can be applied to improve their writing.</p>	<p>School Day: 8.40-3.15</p> <p>Uniform: Holdbrook school sweatshirt. White shirt. Plain grey or black trousers, skirts or shorts. Black shoes or trainers.</p> <p>PE- Days MONDAY FRIDAY</p> <p>Please send your child in to school wearing their PE kit.</p> <p>HOMEWORK: Read every night for 20 minutes. Complete their Lexia units. Revise from their Year 4 glossaries. Learn the Year 3/4 statutory spelling list (copies are in their glossaries). Practise their times tables using TT Rockstars. Complete their weekly set assignments of EdShed. Develop their mental maths skills using Numbots or 1-minute maths. Ensure that they can tell the time using both analogue (including those with Roman numerals) and digital clocks</p> <p>Staff: Miss Nicolaou Mrs Saffet</p>
<p>Maths In Maths, Year 4 will continue to learn maths following the Maths No Problem scheme. This scheme is based on the highly effective, research based Singapore method of teaching mathematics. The children will be covering key concepts such area and perimeter of shapes, geometry, position and movement and roman numerals.</p>	
<p>Science In Science, the year 4 topic is 'Making Connections'. The children will be revisiting their previously taught subjects of; states of matter, classification, electricity, sound and digestion.</p>	
<p>We will also be learning:</p> <p>History Our topic is 'How did the achievements of the ancient Maya impact their society and beyond?' We will be focusing on sequencing the key periods of the Ancient Maya civilisation, explaining how they settled in the rainforest and evaluating the reasons for the civilisations decline.</p> <p>Computing In Computing the children's topic is: 'Data Handling' and 'Internet Safety' where they will be exploring how to search the web efficiently and how to stay safe online.</p> <p>PSHE We will continue exploring the topics, 'Citizenship' and 'Economic Wellbeing'.</p> <p>French We will be learning about 'Holidays and Hobbies' where we will learn to communicate more effectively in French.</p> <p>DT In DT the children will be exploring the topic 'Cooking: Adapting a recipe' where we will be testing various recipes for biscuits to see which recipe gives us the desired effect..</p> <p>R.E Our focus is on Christianity this term. The children will be focusing on the topic of 'Thematic' and exploring how and why do people mark the significant events of life?</p> <p>Music This half term the children will be looking at a range of music form across nations. These lessons are led by Mr Turner.</p> <p>PE On Monday's, the children will be taking part in PE lessons led by Miss Nicolaou. They will also be completing PE lessons led by our PE Coach on a Friday afternoon.</p>	

The right to Learn, Respect & Feel Safe.