



YEAR 4 Autumn 2, 2025

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Welcome back!

Welcome back to another half term at school, we hope you had a relaxing break! This is a busy one with lots of fun Christmas activities to look forward to! The children need to get their Christmas jumpers ready and we will be supporting Overgate Hospice with their newly named Elf Dash! We have been so pleased with how well the children have settled into life in Year 4 and we are excited to see them continue in this enthusiastic manner. This half term, you will get your child's first report of the year where we will update you on the progress that they have made.

We can't wait to get started!



Reminders

This half term, PE is on TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY. Your child needs to come in their PE kit that day. We will try and do PE outside as much as possible so please send your child in appropriate clothing.

If children are bringing their own packed lunches to school, please can we remind you that we are a nut free school.

Homework: sent home every FRIDAY

to be returned the following FRIDAY.

Reading books: sent home every other FRIDAY

and to be returned every other FRIDAY.

Curriculum Focus

English: This half term we are going to focus on the text 'Peter Pan'. First we will study the book and look at the techniques and the language that the author uses to support us in writing our own setting description. Then we are going to look at 'Peter Pan' in a different way with the purpose of writing to persuade, trying to persuade our audience to either be a pirate or a lost boy!

Maths: In maths we will be working on multiplication and division. We will be focusing on our times tables up to 12x12 and counting in multiples of 6, 7 and 9. We will explore factor pairs and multiply and divide two and three-digit numbers by a one-digit number using a formal written layout.

Computing: Programming - Repetition in games

Art: Drawing: exploring texture, tone and proportion

Geography: Why are rainforests important to us?

MFL: Clothes: getting dressed in France

Music: Rock and Roll

PE: OAA

PSHCE: How do we treat each other with respect?

RE: How do the 5 pillars help Muslims live a good life?

Science: Living things and their habitats - Can animals be grouped in more than one way?

Key Dates

Return to school: Tuesday 4th November

Odd Socks Day and United Week: Monday 10th November

Children in Need: Friday 14th November

RE visitor in school: Tuesday 2nd December

Christmas Jumper Day/ Elf Dash: Thursday 11th December

Reports out to parents: Friday 12th December

FOGS Christmas Fair: Friday 12th December

Christmas Dinner and Christmas Jumpers: Wednesday 17th December

Break up for Christmas: Friday 19th December

