

# Welcome to the Year 4 Parent and Carers Meeting!



Year 4 Teachers:



Miss Wells (Italy Class)

Mr Arnell (Spain Class)

Miss Laird (Germany Class)

Mr Rudgley (Poland Class)



In this meeting, we will cover:

- Year 4 Curriculum Topics
- Maths Curriculum & MTC – Multiplication Times-table Check
- Upcoming School Trips
- Children's 1:1 Devices
- PE Days and Kit
- Home Learning Agreement & how to support your child at home
- Questions with class teachers

**\*This presentation will be sent out to you\***



## Year 4 Topics:

A topic overview is sent out at the start of each half term to parents and carers.

Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Vikings  (History led topic)	Road trip to USA  (Geography led topic)	Potions  (Science led topic)	Tudors  (History led topic)	Burps, Bottoms, Bile  (Science led topic)	Blue abyss  (Geography topic)



## Year 4 Maths:

- Working with numbers up to 1,000
- Use place value to mentally multiply and divide
- More complex fraction objectives (e.g. equivalent fractions and recognising decimal equivalent )
- Multiplying by 2 and 3 digit numbers – using formal written method
- Multiplying and dividing by 10 and 100



# Year 4 Multiplication table check:



It is the expectation that by the end of Year 4, children should know **all of the times tables up to 12 x 12** – multiplication underpins a lot of the objectives in the maths curriculum.

In June children will complete a mandatory Government check that will test their times table ability.

Lots of practise will be done at school to prepare for this. TTRS (Times Table Rockstars) – can also be used to support learning of times tables at home.

We are starting a new program – Number Sense which will further support the learning and recalling of times table facts in school.



# Year 4 School Trip: Spring 2

- Mary Rose – HMS Dockyard
- Part of our Tudor topic
- Children will have a workshop and a tour of the museum



# Year 4 Beach Fieldwork – Summer 1

Each class will be travelling to Southsea via minibus on one of the following dates in June

- 23rd
- 24th
- 25th or 26th - TBC
- 27th



## 1:1 Devices

- All children have a laptop allocated to them in class
- Laptops are used each day to support the children's learning in class





## Breaktime snack

- Children can bring in a healthy snack for their morning playtime.  
Healthy snacks include:
  - Fruit
  - A cereal bar
- Snacks can be purchased every breaktime for 30p



# PE Days and Kit

Class	PE days
Germany & Poland	Wednesday & Friday
Italy & Spain	Wednesday & Thursday

\* It is vital children remember to bring in their PE kits on their PE days. If they forget twice this will result in an orange card (missing breaktime).\*



## Home Learning:

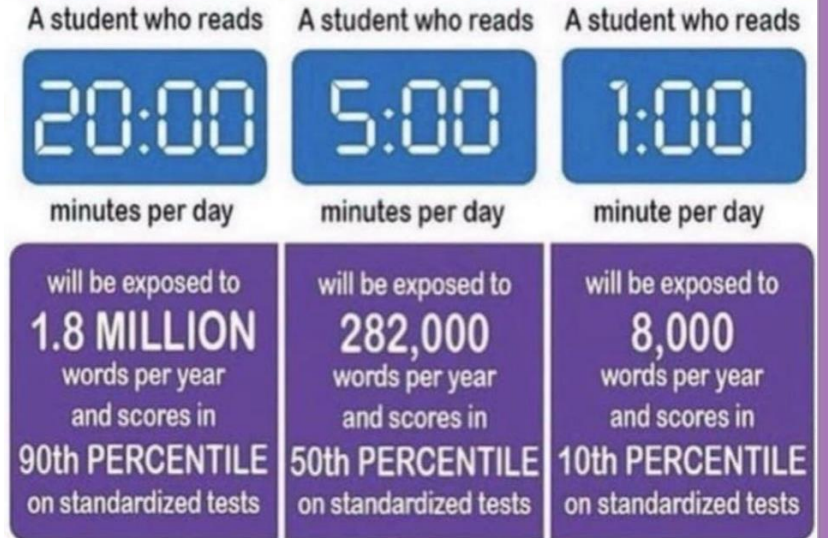
- Our home learning policy is currently under review.
- Whilst this is happening, children will be expected to complete the following:
  - Reading with an adult 3x weekly – ask your child questions about what they are reading to check understanding.
  - Continuous practice of times table facts.
  - If the class teacher identifies an specific area that your child needs extra support in, they will have a conversation with you or may send additional work home.



## How can you support your child at home?

- Read with your child regularly at home and discuss the texts that they have/ are reading. This is vital to check their understanding.
- It is important that children are reading out loud at least three times a week.
- Regular practice of times tables.

### HERE'S THE IMPACT OF **READING 20** MINUTES PER DAY!



# Questions

Is there anything you would like to ask us?

If you don't feel comfortable to ask now – please feel free to speak to one of us at the end.

