



Year 4 Newsletter: 7.11.25

Dear Parents/Carers

We hope your children have enjoyed getting back to school after the half term holiday! This term's curriculum map (with more information about topics covered) can be found on our website on the 'curriculum' tab, then 'curriculum overview'.

This week, the children have started new topics in RE (inspirational people) and Science (States of Matter).

Next week

English: We shall be writing an explanatory text based on our reading of 'Until I Met Dudley' by Roger McGough and Chris Riddell.

Maths: We shall be completing our block on Area and starting a new topic on Multiplication and Division.

Homework

New spelling words, as well as Maths homework, will be given to the children on Tuesday 11th November for completion and a spelling test on Monday 17th November. Please also encourage your child to practise their times table facts.

Reading – Please could we ask that an adult signs the children's yellow reading record to confirm that they have completed their weekly reading homework. There should be five entries per week in the reading record but only one signature is required from an adult. This will be checked by their teacher in their weekly library session.

Autumn Term Home Learning Project

The project linked to our RE topic this half term on inspirational people is due in on Monday 10th November.

UCL GeoBus

Next week, on Wednesday 12th November, the children will be participating in a workshop on Earthquakes and Volcanoes provided by the Earth Science department of UCL. This is a virtual outreach programme designed to bring the wonders of Earth science directly into classrooms across the UK.

Reminders

Please ensure your child's PE kit is in school each day and that all clothes are clearly labelled. We have started to notice that some PE kits (or parts thereof) have been missing and therefore children cannot take part in the lessons which are a curriculum requirement.

We hope you have an enjoyable weekend.

Miss Cook, Mr Lewington and Mrs Mendez

Book Recommendation

This week, Mrs Mendez recommends 'Cobweb' by Michael Morpurgo.



Reminders/deadlines/ key dates for week after half term				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	Outdoor PE – Year 4	Elm – Library and Indoor PE Year 4 GeoBus virtual workshop	Beech – Library	Maple – Library Maple/Beech – Indoor PE

Year 4 Autumn Term 2025 - Homework

In R.E. next half term (Autumn 2), we are looking at Inspirational People. Your mid-term homework task is to produce a short project on a well-known person who has inspired you through their actions and beliefs.

Your project should include information on the following:

- i. What is their history?
- ii. What were their actions?
- iii. Did they have any religious beliefs that guided them?
- iv. What can we learn from this person?
- v. How has this person inspired you?

This piece of homework is due in on Monday 10th November 2025



Anne Frank



Martin Luther King



Mahatma Ghandi

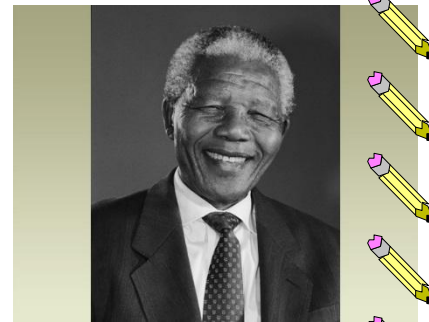


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