

Year 4 Newsletter

Autumn 1
2026-2027

Welcome!

Welcome to Year 4!

Tigers' class teacher is Miss Mertens and

Jaguars' class teacher is Miss Aldridge.

Miss Watkins will be training to teach in Jaguars.

Our school Christian Value this half term:
Friendship and Cooperation.

Our PE days are **Tuesday** and
Wednesday.

Children wear their PE kit into school on these days. Children wear a blue polo shirt and navy blue bottoms for PE, with plain white or black trainers.

Equipment: pencil, a pencil sharpener, a white board pen, a glue stick, a rubber, a ruler and a blue handwriting pen (if your child has a pen license).

Please do not hesitate to contact your child's teacher if you have any concerns or questions. Please do this via the school office email address and it will be forwarded to the correct teacher.

Maths

- Number and place value (up to thousands)
- Roman numerals



- Addition & Subtraction
- Times tables

English

Writing:

- The Ever Changing Earth
 - Writing a narrative

Reading:

- The Firework-Maker's Daughter
- Class book – The Boy at the Back of the



Science

- States of Matter:
 - Changes between solids, liquids and gases



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Topic

Subject: Geography

- Features of a river
- The water cycle



Music

Blue Planet: Film Scores and Songs inspired by our wonderful world. Songs to celebrate and songs to protest. Explore how folksongs, including nursery rhymes can be reworked to reflect our current time and place.



RE

- What did God promise his people?



PE

PE days – Tuesday and Wednesday

Football:

- Improving quality and control of ball skills.
- Applying good strategies and tactical principles.

Wellbeing/PSHE

Personal wellbeing:

- Mamma Miti

Computing

Internet Safety:

- What is the internet?
- Who owns content on the world wide web?



Home Learning

Reading: 5 times a week. Children should respond to their reading by completing their reading journals.

Spelling: Activities completed each week on Rollama (Sporty Spellings).

Times tables: TTRS, 30 minutes per week.

Maths: Weekly arithmetic practice.

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Diary dates

- Wednesday 14th October – School Photos
- Thursday 15th October – Year 4 parent/teacher consultations
- Monday 19th October – Half-Term (2 weeks)
- Monday 2nd November – Start of Autumn 2