# Year 4 Meet the Teachers

2023-24

# Year 4 Classes

- Plum-Mrs Bishop (Year Leader)
  - •Mrs Irving, Mr Belcher, Mrs Heighes, Mr Hurst Mrs Lee (Wednesday pm)
- Palm- Miss Harris
  - oMrs Yarr
- Lime- Miss Morphew
  - Miss Parkins, Mrs Phillimore
- Pear- Mrs Thakore/Mrs Marlow
  - oMrs Van De Merwe, Mrs Heighes, Mrs Gould

# PPA Wednesday Mornings

CM Sports coaching (P.E. - games)

 Mrs Castle –Plum & Palm and Mrs Thakore/Mrs Marlow – Pear & Lime (SPaG)

# PE- Wednesday and Thursday

- Games (outdoors all year) Wednesday
- Indoor (gymnastics and dance/track) Thursday
- Adventurous (orienteering and Year 4 overnight camp-Summer 2)
- Swimming programme (Summer term)
- Come to school in PE uniform on these days
- Earrings need to be removed and hair must be tied up if shoulder length or longer

## Curriculum

- Themed approach to the curriculum so each of the topics will cover a number of subjects.
- Saxons Vs Vikings
  - o Dress up day- Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> October 2023
  - o DT Day (Wooden house)
- Butser Ancient Farm
  - o Plum and Palm Class Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2023
  - o Lime and Pear Class Friday 6th October 2023
  - o Contact admin office Monday if you have not received an email- please check junk folder first
- Imaginary Worlds (Pure Imagination)
  - Trip to London (Shrek World and London Eye)
  - o DT Day (Imaginary World Shoe box)
- Portal to the Past 1939-45 (World War 2)
  - Watercress Line
  - o Dress up days
- Exploring Habitats
  - o DT Days (Sewing bookmark)

# Homework- Reading at home

- Daily reading x5 minimum, more will earn them Platinum award.
- Sign home link books daily
- It doesn't have to be the link book that they read but it is recommended
- Open link and library after school 3.30-4.00
- Use questions from flyer/home-link books to aid comprehension

## Homework

- Weekly spellings Ensure children are learning spellings. They will be tested.
  - Children need to practise these spellings. Evidence needs to be in their homework book **or** on Spelling Shed.
- Timestables- Timestables books, TT Rockstars, DK 10, Doodle tables, other apps- as long the children learn them- Statutory Times Table Assessment- June (more information nearer the time)

## Times Tables

- Parent workshops in Autumn 2
  - Chance to play with different programmes
  - Learn strategies
  - More information regarding test
  - Chance to ask questions
- 2 sessions offered 8:30-9am (Tuesday) / 3:45-4:15pm (Thursday) Dates to be confirmed.

#### Year 4 Homework, Autumn Term 1 Week 2

#### Maths: Fun Five! Answers in book please.

- Count the numicon.
- 2. What are the missing numbers?



- 4. Use crocodiles (< >) in your book to show which number is greater?
- 5. Order these numbers from smallest to greatest, 52 71 36 17
- sequence? 800, 900.
- 2 Write down all the different 3 digit numbers that can be made with these digits. 8 1 3



Compare these numbers, 898 989 "639 has 63 tens and 9 ones" Is this correct? Explain your answer

Quick Comprehension: Complete the reading comprehension. Children should allow themselves one nute to read the text, and five/ten minutes to answer the questions. Some of the questions are quite tricky, so don't worry if you have to talk them through with an adult.

#### Spellings

Core	Support
messed	helping
kissed	asking
bossed	being
fussed	going
batter	doing
battle	saying
button	rain
mutton	pain
thing	main
things	mail
something	sail
well	tail
tell	that
fell	then
earth	earth
early	early

#### SPaG Challenge in books please

Rachel America

Tuesday

### Homework

#### **How Thunor Got His Hammer**

- 10 Sif was Thunor's wife and she had long, golden hair. 20 One morning, she went out onto the porch and fell
- 31 asleep. Just as she did, Loki came along. He was always
- 51 playing tricks. Loki went up on the porch and cut off Sif's
- 65 When Sif woke up and saw that her hair was gone, she 77 cried and cried. Then she ran to hide. She did not want
- 86 Thungr to see her. When Thungr came home, he looked 96 all around the house. At last he found her crying.
- 107 "Oh, Thunor, look, all my hair is gone! Somebody has cut
- 118 it off. It was a man. He ran away with it."
- 124 Thunor was infuriated. "I know it 130 was Loki. He is always getting
- 132 into mischief.
- 138 Just wait until I get him!
- 140 he screamed.



#### **Quick Questions**



1. Where did Sif fall asleep?



Write two adjectives that the author could have used to describe Laki



Why do you think that Sif did not want Thunor to see her without her hair?



What do you think Thunor did next?

### Year 4 Homework, Autumn Tern

#### Times Tables Ac Please do some of the

Daily times tables on TT Daily time tables in b Times tables training Times tables whe Daily chanting and oral c

Please remember: All homework is marked in class with the children and w feedback on it.

Homework is due in on the following Friday.

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Chant numbers 10 -20	9	14
	7	18
Write the numbers 10-20 neatly in your homework books.	6	15
	5	11
	10	13
	2	10
	2	17

Remember you must read every day for 15 minutes. This can be reading a book or practising your phonic or digraphs. Please record this in your Home link book.

#### Spellings

out shout about pound doubt house mound sound cloud

#### English Challenge

None set this week

### Letter and Number Formation nhm bpkk

On a lined page of your homework book, write out each letter 3 times

Please remember: All homework is marked in class with the children and will not have written

Homework is due in on the following Friday

- Weekly
- Maths, SPaG, Reading comprehension. Must be completed neatly in books.
- If children struggle please bring it in before the Friday.
- Values time will be lost if not complete and handed in.

## Listen 2 Me

- Whole class Ukulele lessons taught by Hampshire Music Service.
- Academic year split evenly in to 4 blocks with one class per block.
- Performance to parents at the end. Date to be confirmed and shared.
- Plum class to start 14<sup>th</sup> September.

### Miscellaneous

- Snacks-fruit/healthy (cereal bar, crackers)
- Name all equipment and uniform, including water bottles and snack boxes, dictionaries
- Coats
- Sizes of bags / pencil cases

# And Finally...

- Please contact us if you have any questions, queries or worries or if you want to volunteer your help (especially reading!)
- DT days and trips will pop-up, so please keep an eye out for the letters.
- Thank you!
- Questions