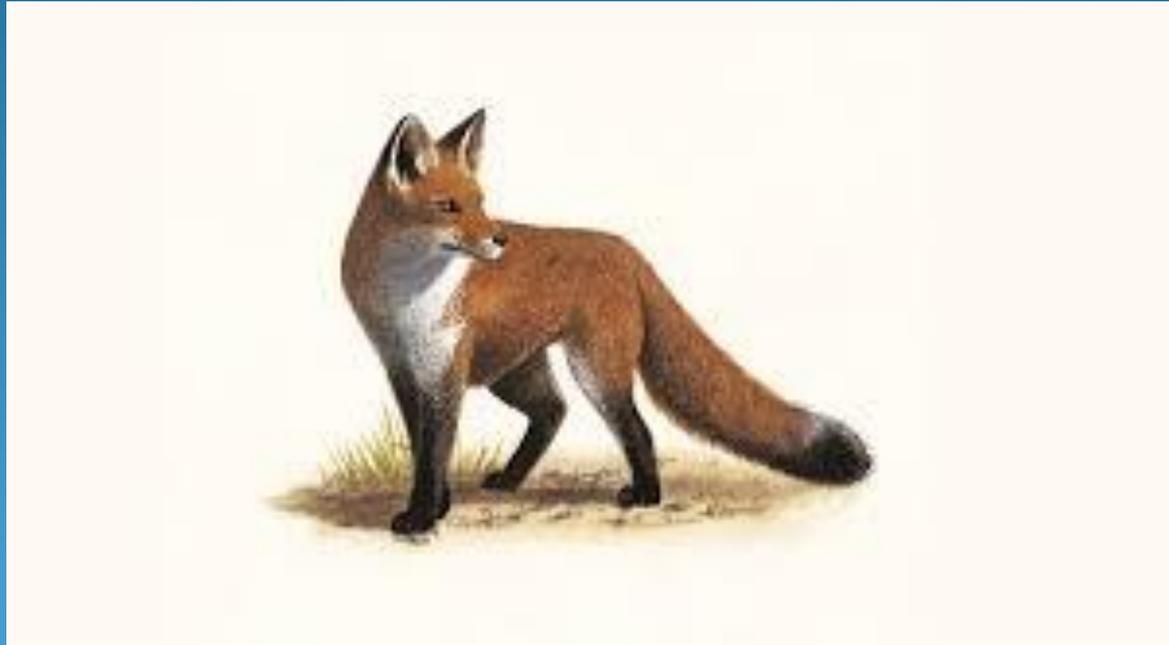


Welcome to Year 4



The Foxes Team



Mrs Shepherd



Mr Porter



Mrs Hassan



Mrs Spragg



Mrs Willingale

Key weekly information

- Tuesday am and all day Friday – Mr Porter will be teaching the class
- Monday, Tuesday pm, Wednesday and Thursday– Mrs Shepherd will be teaching the class
- PE will usually be on a **Thursday** and **Friday**. Please make sure you come into school in appropriate PE kit (e.g. joggers in colder weather and shorts in the summer).

Key weekly information

Year 4 – Autumn 1 - Week 2

Time	Monday 9th Sept SH - AM	Tuesday 10th Sept PPA - SS (JP AM, CS PM) SH & CS - AM - CS & CW - PM	Wednesday 11th Sept SH - AM CS - PM	Thursday 12th Sept SH - AM	Friday 13th Sept SH - AM
8:30- 9:00	Word of the Day/Writing	Times Tables	Word of the Day/Writing	Times Tables	Home learning
9:00 -9:20	Spelling (9.00 - 9.20)	Collective Worship	Collective Worship In class	Collective Worship	Collective Worship
9:20-10.20	English	Handwriting (9.20 - 9.35)	Spelling (9.20 - 9.35)	Handwriting (9.20 - 9.35)	Spelling (9.20 - 9.35)
		English	English	PE - Hall	English
10.20 - 10.40	Collective Worship	Reading	Reading		
10:40 - 11.00	Play SS & SLT	Play CS & SU	Play SH & CN	Play SH & SR	Play SU & GM
11.00 - 11.15	Reading	Reading	Reading	Reading	Reading
11:15 -12:15	99 Club Maths	Maths	Maths	Maths	Maths
12:15- 1:15	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch
1.15 - 1.35	D.E.A.R	D.E.A.R	D.E.A.R	D.E.A.R	Spelling Test 1.15 - 1.30
1:35 - 2.35	Art/DT	Science/Computing	History/Geography	English	PE
2.35 - 3.15			Music	R.E.	Spanish

Key Classroom information

- All children can have a pencil case in school - please help them to make sure they have an appropriate range of items.
- They still need a reading book and their planner in school every day.
- The curriculum IS challenging - they will find things hard but we will help them to tackle challenges with confidence.
- Please send in an art shirt or apron! This can live in their lockers.

New in Year Four...

- **Multiplication Tables Check (MTC)**. This is a statutory check that takes place in June. Children will complete the check on tablets, having 6 seconds to answer each times table question. There are 25 questions.
- Reading is a HUGE part of year four - we believe that the more often children read the wider their vocabulary will be and the greater their understanding of life will be.

We also want to make it FUN so will read for pleasure each day during Drop Everything And Read (DEAR). We have our own personal library of books which we share with the children.

New in Year Four...

- **Residential Trip**

We have booked Hindleap Warren in East Sussex for our 2 night residential trip.

Wednesday 15th January - Friday 17th January.

There are two more payments for the trip due at the end of October and November and we will be sending you a letter about these next week.

Home Learning

Reading:

- Please sign your child's planner to show that they are reading for at least 60 minutes a week.
- They receive 2 house points for every 20 minutes that they do.

Spelling:

- Spellings will be sent home on a Friday for their test on the following Wednesday.
- All spellings will also be available in Spelling Shed.

Math:

- A math activity will be set on either Mathematics or stuck in the home learning books.

English:

- A weekly English task will be set, more details about this will follow shortly.

Home Learning

Home Learning -Year 4

Each week you can expect the following home learning:

Subject	Type of Activity	Length it should take	Sent home	Due in
Maths	Mathletics Online game Worksheet Problem solving challenge	20 minutes max	Friday	Wednesday
English	Creative task Grammar activity Planning activity Short piece of writing	30 minutes max	Friday	Wednesday
Spellings	Weekly spellings in planner Games on Spelling Shed		Friday	Wednesday
Reading	1 to 1 reading with a parent/family member Individual reading	20 minutes x 3		
Times Tables	Independent practice Times Table Rockstars	30 minutes max		

Home learning should be completed in your purple home learning book (unless on Mathletics or if an online game is set).

We expect the same standard of work that you produce in the classroom and may ask you to complete it again if we feel you have not produced what we know you are capable of.

If you ever have any questions about home learning, then please contact us.



Curriculum

- Our topics this year are:

Ancient Egyptians

Our Changing World

Rainforest



Curriculum

Our 2024 – 2025 Curriculum Map will be uploaded on to our class web page.

<https://www.lyneschool.com/year-4/>

We will also share links to important websites that we will be using via Marvellous Me.

Reading

We aim to read with every child once a week.

The children are responsible for changing their own books. They can choose books from our reading area in the classroom or bring in a book from home.

We have also asked them to read 3 times a week at home.

Maths

	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10	Week 11	Week 12
Autumn	Number: Place Value				Number: Addition and Subtraction			Measurement: Length and Perimeter	Number: Multiplication and Division			
Spring	Number: Multiplication and Division			Measurement: Area	Number: Fractions				Number: Decimals			Consolidation
Summer	Number: Decimals	Measurement: Money		Measurement: Time	Statistics	Geometry: Properties of Shape		Geometry: Position and Direction		Consolidation		

Time Tables

As previously mentioned, we have the MTC in Year 4 so we put a big emphasis on times tables. Children are given time to practice in class but they do need to be practicing at home as well.

We will be uploading some information onto Google Classroom, including websites and games.

Forest School

Year 4 will continue to have Forest School.

We will communicate about groupings, nearer the time.

Reception = Wednesday
Thursday timetable...

	<u>Aut 1</u>	<u>Aut 2</u>	<u>Spr 1</u>	<u>Spr 2</u>	<u>Sum 1</u>	<u>Sum 2</u>
Week 1	Year 1	Year 3	Year 5	Year 1	Year 4	Year 5
Week 2	Year 1	Year 3	Year 5	Year 1	Year 4	Year 5
Week 3	Year 1	Year 3	Year 5	Year 1	Year 3	Year 5
Week 4	Year 1	Year 4	Year 6	Year 2	Year 3	Year 6
Week 5	Year 2	Year 4	Year 6	Year 2	Year 3	Year 6
Week 6	Year 2	Year 4	Year 6	Year 2	X	Year 6
Week 7	Year 2	Year 4 (added from sum 1)	X	X	X	
	Year 2	X	X	X	X	X

Websites/Apps

We subscribed to some fantastic websites/apps which are a fun way to help your children make progress this year.

We will also be adding more to our Google Classroom page at the beginning of each topic.

Logins

Here are the logins that you will need in Year 4

Times Table Rockstars

Username =
Password

<https://trockstars.com/>



Mathletics

Username =
Password

<https://student.mathletics.com/primary#/launch>



Google Classroom

Username = @gsuite.lyne.surrey.sch.uk
Password =



Spelling Shed

Username =
Password =

<https://www.edshed.com/en-gb/login>

Communication

Our Communications Policy shows you the best way to contact us.

info@lyne.surrey.sch.uk

We will also be using Marvellous Me and ParentMail.

And we will be on the door at home time if ever you need to ask a quick question.

Key Dates

Fri 20th Sept = Jeans for Genes

Thurs 26th Sept = Flu vaccinations

Thurs 10th Oct = Individual school photos

Mon 25th – Fri 29th Nov = Year 4 Bikeability

Thurs 28th Nov – Year 4 Forest School

Finally...

- Keep in touch! We want this to be a happy, fun and successful year for all of the children - please let us know if you have any questions or concerns over the year.