



# Uphall



## Year 4 Summer Second Term 2024 Newsletter

### Our Year 4 team



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Remember – you don't need to wait until Parents' Evenings to talk to your child's class teacher. Messages or information can be shared when you collect your child. If you need a longer conversation, please make an appointment.

### Reminders

- Please ensure ALL of your child's clothing are labelled with their name. It is your child's responsibility to keep their belongings safe.
- Remember school starts at 8:55 am – don't be late!! Pupils may bring a bottle of water to drink during the day.
- Please make sure your child is wearing the correct uniform for this term.
- Pupils will be having outdoor PE lessons on Mondays. Please make sure they wear their P.E. kits on PE days. In addition, 4Sh and 4Kh will have indoor PE on Thursdays, 4Ra on Wednesdays and 4Ro on Mondays.
- Jewellery must not be worn at school except for stud earrings which must be removed or covered with plasters for P.E.

Dear Parents / Carers,

Welcome back! We hope that you and your children had a restful break.

The children have settled back into their learning activities and are motivated and actively engaged in their lessons. It is hard to believe that they are now coming to the end of their time in Year 4. You will be pleased to know that the children have made remarkable progress in all areas of learning: curricular, co-curricular and extra-curricular.

This is a very important half-term for the children; they will take the Multiplication Table Check on Monday, 10<sup>th</sup> June, and we are sure they will do well. Children will also be consolidating and extending the learning covered in Year 4, so that firm foundations are laid, ready for their transition into Year 5.



### English

This term, we will continue reading the book, 'The Anglo-Saxon Boy'. We will be exploring the text and opportunities within it for creative writing. This half-term, children will learn how to write a narrative based on the style of the author, Tony Bradman.



### Maths

**Time, Shapes, Statistics and Position and Direction-** Children will learn how to tell the time on both analogue and digital clocks. In Statistics, we will be looking at presenting and interpreting data. Children will learn about shapes.



### Geography

Children will learn about Coasts. They will learn about erosion and Deposition and the landforms formed because of erosion and deposition. Children will also learn about types of sea defences and look at how our coasts have changed over time.



## Reading

We will continue reading the book 'Anglo Saxon Boys' by Tony Bradman. In our Reciprocal Reading sessions, we will be retrieving information, making inferences from the text, using context clues to infer the meaning of words and making predictions.



## Science

States of Matter- Children will consolidate their knowledge about states of matter.

They will observe that some materials change state when they are heated or cooled, identify the part played by evaporation and condensation in the water cycle.

## Homework

We appreciate your support in your child's homework. We request that you support their wider learning too. Examples of this support could include: asking questions regarding mental maths strategies - money calculations when shopping, weighing ingredients when cooking, time questions using clocks etc.



Please only keep your child at home if s/he is very unwell. If s/he just has a mild cough or a blocked nose your child should attend.

Please remember, every day consists of 8 lessons which your child is missing if they are not in school. They will very quickly fall behind

## Dates for Diary



**Multiplication Tables Check- Monday, 10<sup>th</sup> June 2024**

**Cinema Trip- Wednesday, 12<sup>th</sup> June**

**Geography Fieldwork Trip - Thursday, 11<sup>th</sup> July 2024**

**Summer Holidays- Wed, 24<sup>th</sup> July- Tuesday, 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2024**

### Year 4 Multiplication Tables Check information for Parents and Carers

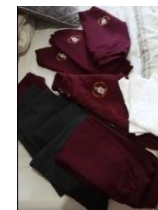
Children in Year 4 at Uphall will sit the Multiplication Tables Check on Monday, 10<sup>th</sup> June 2024. In order to prepare our Year4 pupils for this test, all pupils will continue to be tested on their multiplication tables every week. Please help and support your children learn their 2-12 multiplication tables. As informed earlier, it is an online, on-screen digital assessment, meaning the children will take the test on a desktop computer, laptop or tablet at school.



## Family Time Tips!



## Uphall Uniform



Available to buy, every other Thursday after school in the Sports Hall