



YEAR 4

NEWSLETTER

Our newsletter is sent out fortnightly to keep you up to date.

Friday 26th June

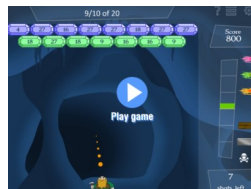
The children have thoroughly enjoyed our Enrichment Week, taking part in a range of exciting activities linked to sports, geography and diversity. They have shown great enthusiasm, curiosity and teamwork throughout the week, embracing new experiences and learning about different cultures and communities. We are also incredibly proud of how well the children performed in their Multiplication Tables Check. They approached the task with confidence and determination, and we look forward to sharing their results with you soon. These results will be included in your child's end-of-year report.

Maths



In Mathematics, the children have developed their skills in interpreting and analysing data presented in a variety of charts and graphs, including bar charts, pictograms and line graphs. They have shown increasing confidence when answering questions about data and drawing conclusions from the information presented. The children have also been learning to find fractions of quantities, using their multiplication and division knowledge to calculate unit and non-unit fractions of amounts. This links directly to the Year 4 curriculum objective of solving problems involving increasingly harder fractions to calculate quantities. As a next step, the children will be applying their knowledge of all four operations—addition, subtraction, multiplication and division—to solve increasingly challenging two-step word problems, developing their reasoning and problem-solving skills.

To support learning at home, children can practise finding fractions of numbers using the Crystal Crash game: Click on the image to play.



Sports Week

Sports Week was kicked off with an exciting assembly delivered by Mr O'Hara. During the assembly, the children took part in a fun balance competition between the different year groups, which created a fantastic sense of teamwork and friendly competition.

The children were also fortunate to receive a visit from the Coastguard team, who delivered an informative session on water safety. They learned about the potential dangers around the coast and open water, as well as the importance of making safe choices and knowing what to do in an emergency.



The first major event of the week was Sports Day, where the children performed extremely well and showcased their determination, resilience and encouragement towards one another. We would like to thank all parents for their support in making the event such a success. A Sports Day photograph will be included in your child's end-of-year booklet.

The children also took part in a high-energy martial arts session. They demonstrated excellent focus, discipline and perseverance while learning a range of new skills and techniques. Click on the image to find out more.

TEMPEST MARTIAL ARTS

Empowering Lives Through Martial Arts

Another highlight of the week was a dance workshop, where the children learned traditional Argentinian dance routines. They embraced the challenge with enthusiasm and developed their confidence, coordination and rhythm throughout the session.



To conclude Sports Week, the children visited Valley Gardens, where they worked alongside Year 8 students from the school to take part in a variety of PE activities. They showed excellent teamwork and cooperation, and thoroughly enjoyed the opportunity to be active while building positive relationships with older students.

Last week activities

We are looking forward to our Year 4 Activities Week, which will take place during the final week of term. The children will have the opportunity to take part in a wide range of exciting activities, including sports challenges, creative workshops, cooking, outdoor adventures, beach activities and much more. These experiences are designed to celebrate the children's hard work throughout the year, as well as their transition as they move on to their next school, and to provide memorable opportunities to learn new skills, work as a team and have fun with their classmates.

Some activities, including Hotpotz and Beach day, require parent helpers to ensure the children can take part safely and make the most of these experiences. Please refer to the diary dates for the relevant dates and times. If you are able to help, we would be very grateful if you could speak to your child's class teacher.

Proud to make a positive impact.

Diary dates

Summer 2

Tuesday 30th June & Wednesday 1st July - Middle School transition days.

Friday 3rd July- Summer Fair

Thursday 9th July- Leavers assembly -2:00pm

Thursday 9th July- Leavers Disco 4:30-5:30

Week beginning Monday 13th July- Y4 activities Week

Tuesday 14th July- Hot Potz 4NM 9:00-12:00

Tuesday 14th July- Hot Potz 4SO 12:30-3:15

Thursday 16th July- Beach day 9:00-2:00

Warm weather

As the sun shines on us this term, just a reminder to ensure all jumpers, cardigans and coats have names inside them. Children often take them off at playtimes and it is very difficult to ensure they go home with the right person if they are not named. Sun cream should be applied before school as we often spend time outdoors as part of our learning. Sending a sun hat with your child is also advised, they can keep it in their drawer during the day so it is always handy for them when we go outside. We appreciate your support with this.

