

Our Theme

This term we will investigate the chronology of significant monarchs who influenced the political and domestic shape of Britain.

In particular, we will study the life of Henry VIII and Queen Victoria, and establish how their reigns brought about differences in the powers of Britain/England.

English

Throughout the Spring Term, children will be exposed to many different types of genres including: narrative (portal stories), persuasive letter writing and play scripts within both Reading and Writing.



"Off With Her Head!"

Year 4 Spring Term

Values

Knowledge of the World
Impact of historical events and influences

Mathematics

- Round decimal numbers to the nearest whole number
- Convert measure (e.g. pounds to pence, minutes to hours)
- Identify lines of symmetry in 2D shapes
- Describe different triangles and quadrilaterals
- Solve addition and subtraction 2-step problems

As always, there will also be a huge focus on times tables and related division facts.

PSHE

My Money

Diet, physical activity, energy balance and dental health

RE

Inspirational figures

Year 4 Team

Class Teacher 4B: Miss Bates

Class Teacher 4E: Miss Findlay

Year 4 Teaching Assistants:

Mrs Baker, Mr Godwin and Miss Brown

PPA Cover: Ms Chapman

P.E

P.E lessons will take place on a Monday and Friday.

Please ensure that both outdoor and indoor PE kit are

available for your child to keep in school ready for both sessions..



Home Learning

Homework will be set on a Friday, to be returned by the following Friday.

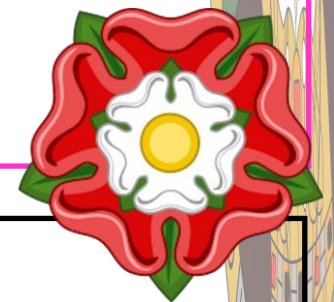
Spellings will be learnt at home and tested in school every Friday.

Times tables will also be tested weekly through Club sheets. Please ensure your child practises these in addition to any weekly homework.

ICT

Digital Data Handler

Design a database for collecting data and use their database to search for information.



Music - Wider Opportunities

Art - Sketch portraits of

Monarchs, replicate the Tudor Rose

D&T - Understand and use mechanical systems (for example using cams and levers)

French- The Body and Sport

Dates for your diary

Whitemoor Lakes Trip

Wednesday 16th - Friday 18th March

Year 4 World Book Day Assembly

Science

Animals including humans:

- identify the different types of teeth in humans and their functions
- construct and interpret a variety of food chains, identify producers, predators and prey.

Electricity

- construct a simple series electrical circuit, identifying and naming its basic parts, including lamps and switches
- recognise common conductors and insulators