

St. Mary's C.E. Primary School ACHIEVING TOGETHER

Welcome to Year 4!

Scarlet and Crimson classes

Year 4 Team

Crimson Class:

Miss Toms - Class Teacher

Mrs Mustafa TA

Miss Evans TA

Miss Wynter TA

Scarlet Class:

Miss Gordon - Class Teacher

Mrs Mustafa TA

Miss Evans TA

Miss Wynter TA

English

Talk for writing:

fictions, non-fiction and poetry
We will explore and write traditional
stories, instructions, explanations,
persuasive writing, news articles, letters,
biographies, poetry

Spelling: year 4 words as well as spelling patterns/rules

Reading

Destination Reader

Whole class exploration of a text with the focus on developing the following reading skills and strategies:

Predicting, Asking questions, Clarifying, Summarising, Inferring, Evaluating, and Making Connections.

Our aim is to enable our children to develop good reading habits, positive learning behaviours and become confident and independent readers.

Guided reading sessions with a focus on further promoting the DR skill/strategy taught that week

• It is very important for your child/children to read every day at home as this will expand their vocabulary and give them the tools to be successful writers.

Maths

- Our ambition is that all pupils become confident and fluent in the fundamentals of mathematics. We use White Rose which you may be familiar with, a practical and interactive approach with a carefully designed spiral progression and an emphasis on a pictorial-abstract approach.
- There is a strong focus on an understanding of mathematical language as well as encouraging children to explain their mathematical thinking through problem solving and reasoning.
- In Maths this term we will be looking at the place value of numbers, addition and subtraction, multiplication and division. We will also cover Fractions, Decimals and Percentages.
- This year we really want everyone to know their tables up to 12's, In addition to this, the children will be assessed daily on their maths skills in lessons. Instant interventions to close gaps will take place in class time.

Autumn Topic Map

Mathematics

Number: Place value-to read, write, order and compare numbers up to 1000.

Rounding numbers to the nearest 10, 100 1nd 1,000.

Addition and subtraction.

Problem solving and reasoning in each area of maths

Multiplication and division.

English

Talk for writing-The Papaya that Spoke

Poetry - Kennings

10 things found in a wizards pocket 10 things found in a teachers tray

Destination Reader

Jumanji-Predicting, Inferring

<u>The Rhine and the Mediterranean</u> (Cross curricular linked with Geography)- Questioning and Making Links.

Religious Education, Christian Values, Spirituality, and British Values

Hinduism

Peace at Christmas

Festivals: Harvest, Remembrance, Advent, Christmas

Science States of Matter- To identify,

investigate and compare, the different states of matter.

Teeth and Digestion- To research the

different groups of teeth and understand the digestion system.

History, The Roman Republic-

How did the Roman

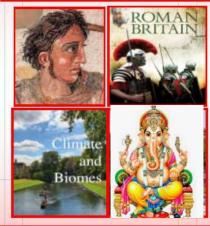
Republic develop and become powerful?

Geography:

Climate and Biomes -

To understand weather patters and biomes in specific regions of the world.

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Computing

E -safety

Logging onto devices

Barefoot Computing

Coding

Design and Technology:

Greek mosaics Flat breads Tzatsiki Roman shields

French

In French, the children will be reviewing the concept of nouns and gender by looking at classroom vocabulary and pets. They will be developing the use of adjectives by working on the 'Brown Bear' story in French and also learning to recognise a greater range of phonics.

RRS, PSHE and Wellbeing

PSHE- Unit 1—: Being me in my world.
Understanding who I am and how I fit into this world.

RRS-Children's Rights
Raising awareness of all ratified
articles.

PE

Net Games

Strike and Field

Football

(Skill Based Only)

Athletics

Music

Weekly music lessons through the Haringey music partnership.

Scarlet-Tues-AM, Violin. Crimson- Wed/AM, trumpet and Trombone.

Art

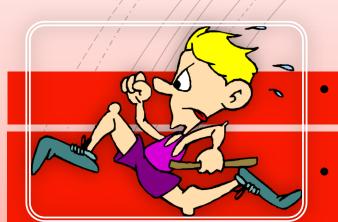
Unit- Change and Continuity.

Narrative painting.

making skills,

using

photography.



Physical Education

Wednesday: PE with PE specialist coach.

Monday + Thursday: Daily mile (no PE kit required)

The children are allocated a house and they wear the supporting colour of their house

Medical: please make sure that your child brings any updated medicines, inhalers or epi pens to school

Music



Scarlett Class: Tuesday AM - learning violin.

Crimson Class: Wednesday AM - Trumpets and Trombones.



Homework is set on a **Friday** and is due back in on **Wednesday**

Homework books will be provided. SPELLINGS

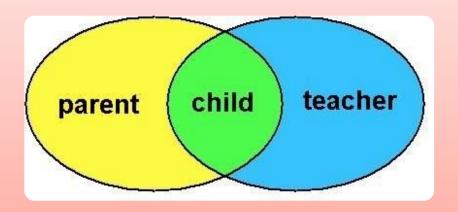
• Spelling list will consist of 5-6 words from the Y4 list as well as up to 10 words with guided spelling pattern and rules.

READING

• Children are expected to read for at least 20 minutes daily at home.

HOME/SCHOOL COMMUNICATION

- We welcome interaction and communication from parents. If you would like to see us about your child/children please feel free to make an appointment with the office. You will also be able to drop your child into their classroom every morning and have a chat with teachers.
- If any parent would like to work with us in class and share your skills and talents, please let us know.







Thank You

Thank you for attending and we look forward to getting to know you all!



There is lots of important information on the school website and also a translation function.

Check it regularly for key dates and news.

https://stmarysn8.co.uk/