# Class 4News



Mrs Richardson and Mrs Peers would like to welcome you and your child to Class 4. We are sure it is going to be a fantastic year!

We had an amazing term before the summer holidays and our children worked hard, especially on the end of year performance, Charlie and the Chocolate Factory, which was enjoyed by all.

This term we welcome our new Year 5 children. We are looking forward to working with them this year!

**Note** that school opens at 8.40 and **lessons start** at **8.45** prompt.

Please ensure you child comes to school in PE kit (plain white t-shirt and navy shorts/joggers) on their designated PE day, which is **Thursday**. This term we will be outdoors for PE when the weather allows, so please ensure they also have a warm fleece or hoodie top to wear.

## A change to our normal PE arrangements:

This term, Class 4 will be going swimming every **Tuesday**, so please ensure they have appropriate swimwear, towel and a swimming cap on these days.

As you are aware, reading is a vital part of your child's education. We would appreciate it if you could sign your child's home reading record weekly.

Don't forget to log on to the Bug Club to access the amazing e-books.

We would also love you to support your child in completing their homework. On the homework sheet, we have included addresses for some websites which may help them with their research.

Many thanks,

Class 4 Team

# Autumn 2024

# **PE Kit Reminder**

Our swimming day is Tuesday.

# Our PE day will be Thursday.

We ask that you send your child into school on this day in sports clothing and appropriate trainers or plimsoles instead of their uniform.



Please ensure that all your child's personal clothing and property is clearly named.

## Uniform

We love all the children to wear school uniform. It gives the children a sense of pride and belonging to the school and it looks wonderful!

- ★ Dark blue sweatshirt, jumper or cardigan.
- ★ Dark blue or grey skirt/pinafore
- ★ Blue, grey or back trousers
- ★ White or blue polo shirt
- ★ Blue gingham dress
- ★ Sensible, black footwear (no trainers)

#### Homework

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Homework will be sent out at the beginning of the half term and will include two tasks. The first a research activity and the second a creative task, both based on the topic. Details of when this should be handed in will be posted on Seesaw.

#### Reading

Reading at home is extremely important! Children should read three times a week and at least one of these sessions must be on Bug Club, where they must answer the comprehension questions too. Children may choose an age-appropriate book from school or home for the other two sessions. We recognise readers who have read more than three times a week in our celebration worship.

#### **Spellings**

We will send a new set of spellings every week for your child to learn based on what they have been doing in school. If you could practise these with your children, we would greatly appreciate it. The children will be tested on these spellings every Thursday.

#### Maths

Children should continue to practise times tables to ensure they are fluent in times table facts up to 12 x, as well as related division facts.