



Welcome to Year 4

Class Teachers - Mrs Russell and Mrs Bennett

Teaching Assistant- Mrs Matthews

We are looking forward to working with you and your child this year. Mrs Bennett will teach the children on Monday and Tuesday afternoon and Mrs Russell on Tues-Friday. We will update the website regularly with information about our class curriculum, homework and spellings.

P.E. will take place on a **Monday and Wednesday**. On these days, please can your child come dressed in their PE kit with the correct coloured T-shirt for their team. If the weather is cooler, they can wear dark joggers/leggings and their school jumper or cardigan and they can come in their trainers. This is not a non-uniform day and we would like your support with this.

Please ensure your child has a water bottle in school. They will be able to fill up their water bottle as required throughout the school day.

Please listen to your child read as often as possible and return reading books when they have finished reading the book and a new one will be issued. Children will have the opportunity to change their home reader every day (if they have finished reading it) and we also change library books regularly.

Spellings are tested every **Monday**; these key words have been sent home separately.

Times tables are really important and children are expected to know their times tables up to 12 x 12, including division facts by the end of the year. Please practise these with your child as often as possible. There will be a weekly times table test every Wednesday.

Each year group has different knowledge and skills to work on to help your child be the best that they can be, so here are some key things that we focus on in Year 4.

If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to ask either of us when we are on the playground, or you could also arrange an appointment via the office. Bursar@ssmj.lancs.sch.uk or office@ssmj.lancs.sch.uk.

Mrs Russell and Mrs Bennett