



## Year 4 Summer Term

<p>Welcome back after the Easter holiday. We hope that you all had an enjoyable and relaxing time. This first half term we will focus on Geography and Design and Technology, followed by History and Art and Design during the second half of the Summer term.</p>	<p><b>Religious Education</b></p> <p>The children will be learning about Jesus and how some people use him as an inspiration.</p> <p><b>Art</b></p> <p>As artists, we will be studying the natural form. We will be learning about a variety of techniques to create our own artwork.</p>
<p><b>Maths</b></p> <p>In Year 4 this year, we will be developing our understanding of measurement and geometry as well as focusing on times tables rapidly recalling them and using this knowledge to solve problems. During this term, we will be participating in the times tables assessment trial. The four rules of number will be at the heart of our maths learning with more formal written methods being practised alongside worded problems where we will learn to reason mathematically and problem solve.</p>	<p><b>Geography</b></p> <p>As Geographers, children will focus on the human features of the Asian continent.</p> <p><b>Design and Technology</b></p> <p>In D&amp;T the children will be investigating, designing and making a range of healthy dishes.</p> <p><b>P.E</b></p>
<p><b>English</b></p> <p>This term English will focus on a classical fiction unit- The Firework Makers Daughter, followed by letter writing.</p> <p>The children will be encouraged to use a variety of vocabulary, conjunctions, openers and punctuation (VCOP) to enable them to make their writing exciting, ensuring it engages the reader.</p> <p>We will continue to work on spelling, grammar and punctuation skills (SPAG) throughout the year during our daily OMS.</p>	<p>This term there will be a focus on striking and fielding games, learning about a range of hitting and catching skills and team sports.</p> <p><b>History</b></p> <p>Our topic for History will be 'Comparing Vikings and Anglo-Saxons'. We will be enjoying an Anglo-Saxon themed day in school on Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> June.</p> <p><b>Music</b></p> <p>In Music children will explore 'rhythmic patterns' and learn how to create arrangements using a variety of instruments.</p>
<p><b>Science</b></p> <p>In Science the children will continue to develop their understanding of states of matter (solids, liquids and gases) during the first half term. They will continue to develop their investigative skills while using their scientific vocabulary. Lots of exciting and noisy experiments to be planned and undertaken during this topic!</p>	<p><b>Computing</b></p> <p>The children will be developing their skills on a range of programmes. This half term we will be focusing on coding with ongoing learning surrounding internet safety.</p> <p><b>MFL</b></p> <p>In Year 4 the children will continue to learn French. We will be learning all about days, months, numbers, colours and zoo animals.</p>