









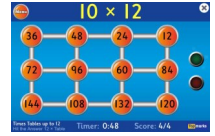



Please scan the QR codes below to access a range of digital resources to support your child's learning at home.

<p>Times Table Rock Stars</p> 	
<p>BBC Bitesize Primary</p> 	
<p>Century</p> 	
<p>Teams</p> 	
<p>Maths Frame</p> 	
<p>Hit the Button</p> 	

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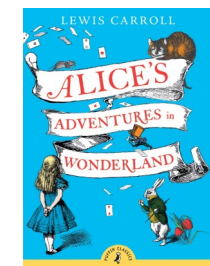
Parent Information Booklet

Autumn 2023

Year 4



	Spring 1	Spring 2
Overarching topic	Blue Abyss	Potions
Maths	Multiplication and Division B Length and perimeter Fractions Decimals A	
Writing	Newspaper reports Non-chronological report Poems	Novel as a theme (Alice in Wonderland)
Reading	The Song of the Dolphin Boy Elizabeth Laird	Alice's Adventures in Wonderland
Science	Living things and their habitats	States of matter
History	N/A	N/A
Geography	Locate cities of the United Kingdom and their physical characteristics	Water Cycle
RE	What does it mean to be a Hindu in Britain Today	Why do Christians call the day Jesus died "Good Friday"?
Computing	Photo editing	Coding and online safety.
Art	World of water colour	World of water colour
PSHCE	How can we manage our feelings?	
French	Going Shopping.	Where in the World
Music	Rhythm.	Pitch.



English Support

Practice the weekly spellings which will be uploaded to Teams. We have spelling test every Friday on the spellings that have been learnt that week.

Year 3/4 Spelling Words

Year 3 and 4 Common Exception Words

Aa	breath	consider	enough	grammar	interest	Nn	perhaps	question	suppose
accident	breathe	continue	exercise	group	island	natural	popular	Rr	surprise
accidentally	build	Dd	experience	guard	Kk	naughty	position	recent	Tt
actual	busy	decide	experiment	guide	knowledge	notice	possess	regular	therefore
actually	business	describe	extreme	Hh	Ll	Oo	possession	reign	thought
address	Cc	different	Ff	heard	learn	occasion	possible	remember	thought
although	calendar	difficult	famous	heart	length	occasionally	potatoes	Ss	through
answer	caught	disappear	favourite	height	library	often	pressure	sentence	Vv
appear	centre	Ee	February	history	Mm	opposite	probably	separate	various
arrive	century	early	forward	Ii	material	ordinary	promise	special	Ww
Bb	certain	earth	forwards	imagine	medicine	Pp	purpose	straight	weight
believe	circle	eight	fruit	increase	mention	particular	Qq	strange	woman
bicycle	complete	eighth	Gg	important	minute	peculiar	quarter	strength	women

Top tips for reading at home with your child

Please encourage your child to read their AR book (and other books that they enjoy) at home. Don't forget to fill out their yellow reading diary as this will earn them prizes! They can then complete their AR quiz at school and change their book.

Encourage your child to use expression when they are reading, especially for the voices of the different characters.

Talk to them or ask them questions about what they have read to see if they have understood the information. Have a go at making some predictions together 'what will happen next?' and 'what makes you think that?'

Discuss the meaning of words. Use a dictionary (can be digitally) or get your child used to exploring the word for themselves. Try discussing alternative words. For example 'big' ask your child another word that means the same like 'huge'.

Sometimes it's a good idea for you to read to your child so they can hear how you read.

Maths Learning Support

Practice their times tables through chanting or quizzing them. Also, giving your child time to access Times Table Rock Stars as we have a tournament each week with the other Year 4 class to see which class can earn the most points.

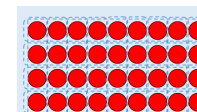
In addition to times tables to help your children with your 4 basic operations you can give them different questions. Here are examples of how they will be learning to work them out in class so the same format is being followed.

Addition: $2,151 + 4,312 = 6,463$

Th	H	T	O
2	1	5	1
+	4	3	1

6	4	6	3

Multiplication and Division:



$$9 \times 4 = 36$$

$$4 \times 9 = 36$$

$$36 \div 4 = 9$$

Subtraction:

$8,229 - 6,145 = 2,084$

Th	H	T	O
8	2	2	9
-	6	1	4

2	0	8	4

x	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
2	2	4	6	8	10	12	14	16	18	20	22	24
3	3	6	9	12	15	18	21	24	27	30	33	36
4	4	8	12	16	20	24	28	32	36	40	44	48
5	5	10	15	20	25	30	35	40	45	50	55	60
6	6	12	18	24	30	36	42	48	54	60	66	72
7	7	14	21	28	35	42	49	56	63	70	77	84
8	8	16	24	32	40	48	56	64	72	80	88	96
9	9	18	27	36	45	54	63	72	81	90	99	108
10	10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100	110	120
11	11	22	33	44	55	66	77	88	99	110	121	132
12	12	24	36	48	60	72	84	96	108	120	132	144

Wider Curriculum

Our topic this half term is 'What's Inside'.

After October half term, we will be studying Native America for 'Road Trip USA'

Maths	Out and About	English
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Can you investigate the different time zones in USA? Can you research the difference in your household electricity costs in the different seasons? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Can you find anything in your local area that shares your beliefs and cultures? Can you try to make a wig wig, or a den, like those in Native America. Visit a local landmark and describe the physical and human features. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Can you research and write a biography of an American President? Read and write a book review about a book written by an American author.
<p>Working with Others</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Can you find and make an exciting American recipe? (this could be burgers, hot dogs, pancakes, pumpkin pie). Can you interview anyone who has visited or lived in the USA to find out similarities and differences to life in England. 	<p>Year 4 Homework Road Trip USA / Electricity</p>	<p>Expressive Arts</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Create your own map of the USA. Can you create a playlist of American songs? Try and include different styles like blues, jazz, hip hop, rock and roll.
<p>Getting Technical</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Design a PowerPoint of some of the famous landmarks in USA? Create a poster or PowerPoint including facts about electricity and electrical circuits. 	<p>Health and Wellbeing</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Can you have a go at some American sports? (Baseball, basketball, hockey). Can you create your calm box of things that help you to relax and feel calm. 	<p>Anything Else....</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Create a fact file about a place you would like to visit in America. Can you create a timeline of the American presidents over the last 20 years?