



Our Year 4 Classroom News

Spring Term Information

Welcome message

Hello and a big thank you to all of our Year 4 children and parents! With such a busy Autumn term, we hope you have a good holiday and include some well deserved rest. We are very proud of the children's positive attitude to their learning and we are looking forward to what is sure to be another fun-filled term in January 2022.

Our Spring term topic is 'Veni Vidi Vici'. We will be exploring the Roman Empire and its Impact on Britain. For this theme, we will be dressing up for the Launch Day.

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English and Maths

In English, we will be writing newspaper reports, exploring the genre of non-fiction writing and performing poems that we have read and love.

In Maths, we will be focusing on multiplication and division, fractions, as well as measures (learning about area).

For the **Wider Curriculum**, please see the attached overview.



Things to remember

PE

Outdoor PE sessions will be now be on Wednesdays. This is a change from last term. The children need to come into school in their kit and stay in it for the whole day.

Covent Garden = Monday and Wednesday

Angel = Monday and Wednesday

Knightsbridge = Wednesday and Thursday

Homework:

- Each **Friday** the children will be set a reading journal task which will be due in on **Tuesday**.
- The children are also given spellings fortnightly and times tables (Times Tables Rockstars) weekly to learn at home and they will be quizzed on **Fridays**.
- The children are expected to read for at least 20 minutes each day and record this in their reading record (at the back of reading journals)
- This term we will also be sending a Topic homework which will be linked to the wider curriculum. We will send a letter with more information later.

Important Dates

4th Jan	INSET day
5th Jan	Children back to school
7th Jan	Launch Day - Veni, Vidi, Vici
Wb 10th Jan	Parent conferences
3rd Feb	Angel Class Assembly
8th Feb	Safer Internet Day
3rd March	World Book Day
23-25th March	Windmill Hill Residential Trip