

## Year Four Reminders

### Clothing

From Monday to Thursday, the children should arrive to school in their full school uniform with a warm coat and appropriate school shoes.

Each Friday, the children should arrive to school in their Outdoor Learning clothes and shoes, which you don't mind getting a little muddy!

### Healthy Snack and Water

Please remember that your child's snack must be of a healthy nature and nut free (eg: piece of fruit or a cereal bar). They should also have a re-useable, named water bottle in school every day. No juice please!

### PE Kits

Please ensure that your child has the appropriate, named PE kit in school every day. This should include both an indoor and outdoor kit, with appropriate footwear. PE kits will be sent home at the end of each half term to be washed and returned.

### Medication/Health Care Plans

If there are any changes with medical information, please ensure you contact the school office to update our medical records.

### Personal items

A gentle reminder that all personal items, such as fidgets and toys should be left at home to ensure they don't get lost or damaged.



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## Year Four Spring 2 Newsletter

### Dates for your Diary

House of Manannan- February 26<sup>th</sup> (postponed)

World Book Day- March 5<sup>th</sup>

Science Week- Begins March 6<sup>th</sup>

Year 4 Paramedic Session- March 9<sup>th</sup>

World Maths Day- March 25<sup>th</sup>

Stone Age Day - April 31<sup>st</sup> (more information to follow)

### Year Four Team

Miss Cannell - Zebras Class Teacher

Miss Earl - Jellyfish Class Teacher

Mrs Gleave - Educational Support

Mrs Cowin - Educational Support

Mr Hammil- Educational Support

### Communication

If needed you can get in touch through the school office [OnchanEnquiries@sch.im](mailto:OnchanEnquiries@sch.im) or on the door at the end of the school day.

If you have any questions or queries, we are always happy to help!

## Year Four Learning Information

### Stone Age

Year Four is learning about the prehistoric era to explore the Stone Age. In Literacy, we are diving into the book '**24 Hours in the Stone Age**' to inspire the writing of our own survival adventures. In Art, we are studying **cave drawings** and use natural tones to create our own ancient masterpieces. Throughout our topic lessons, we will explore how early humans lived, what they ate, and how they survived in a changing world through various hands-on activities.

### Home learning

Home learning will continue to be focused on reading, spelling and Mathletics. All the children will be familiar with their class pages and how to access them using their log ins.

**Teams-** We will continue to use Teams to share resources with the children, for use both in the classroom and at home to consolidate learning.

**Reading** - Within class the children take part in a Whole Class Reading approach. We will explore extracts from a range of texts. The children have a reading journal to continue practicing their reading and comprehension skills at home.

**Spellings/Times Tables/Mathletics** - Weekly spellings and times tables practice take place within class. However, it is essential that the children continue to consolidate these at home. As teachers we will be monitoring their achievements on Spelling Shed, Mathletics and TT Rockstars.

### Reading Journal

The children each have a Reading Journal to record when they read and complete challenges in.