

# Year 4 Newsletter

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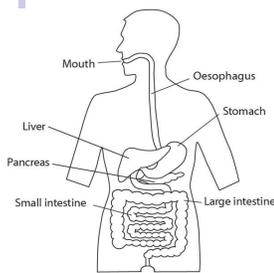


November 2019

## Hello and welcome to the second half term of Year 4!

The school doors open at 8:35am, with the doors closing at 8.45am. If your child arrives after this time, then they must come into school through the office and a late sticker will be put in their reading diary.

As the children have thoroughly settled into year 4; we would like to take the opportunity to let you know about some of the things we will be learning about this half term.



Our work in science will focus upon the human

digestive system. The children will be learning about how food digests, and the organs and processes that are needed for our bodies to be healthy.

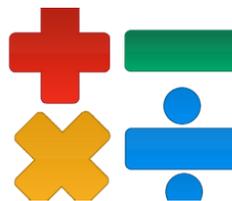
In Geography, the children will learn vital map reading skills and where the UK is located in relation to our Euro-  
pean neighbours. We will also be learning what



seas surround the UK and what major islands are part of the UK.

In English, we will be learning about myths. We have been looking at Theseus and the Minotaur. Children can find this topic difficult, so as always we appreciate your support.

In Maths, we will be focusing on addition and subtraction, and our timetables. We're sure they will be keen to practise at home in preparation for the multiplication check in June!



If you have any questions or queries, please do not hesitate to contact a member of our Year 4 team.

## Things to remember

Homework:

Given out: **Wednesday**

Due in: **Monday**

The class novel that we are reading in Miss Hicks' class is *The Lion the Witch and the Wardrobe*, and in Miss Cahill's class we are reading *Ratburger*.

Spelling Test - **Monday**

Timetables Test - **Thursday**

Reading books -

Remember our target is to read daily! Please bring book bags in regularly so your child can have their books changed. The books are changed on **Monday** and **Friday**.

PE:

PE kits must be left in school for the half term.

Miss Hicks' class - Monday and swimming on a Tuesday. Miss Cahill's class - Friday and swimming on a Tuesday.

## Important information

Most weeks homework will consist of:

1. Reading book—minimum of 3 times a week
2. Spellings
3. English
4. Maths