

### Physical Development this Half Term

PE will take place on Tuesday afternoons for Year 4. Children will be learning Hockey skills this half term. Please ensure children continue to wear their Nine Acres PE kits (suitable to the changing weather) in to school on **Tuesdays** and bring a filled water bottle.

### PSHE this Half Term

In PSHE we will continue to learn about healthy relationships with a particular focus on friendships. Children will be taught how to recognise if someone isn't being a true, caring friend and how to spot signs of an unhealthy relationship. We will complete the learning with a focus on extending children's knowledge about money.

### How can you help at home?

**Reading** - Please read at home with your child at least 3 times a week. Please remember to log all reads on the BoomReader app.

**Maths** - Children must continue to learn all their times tables facts up to 12. Useful websites are [timestables.co.uk](http://timestables.co.uk) and 'Hit the button'.

**Homework** - Will be given out on Fridays and children are expected to return them the following Friday. Please use a pencil or black pen to complete the homework.

## Dates for your Diary

### NOVEMBER 2025

**Mon 3rd Nov 2025** - First day of Autumn Term 2025.

**Mon 17th & Wed 19th Nov 2025** - Parents' Evening.

**Thurs 20th Nov 2025** - Year 4 Mayflower Theatre Visit.

**Thurs 27th Nov 2025** - Years 3 & 4 Cinema Visit.

### DECEMBER 2025

**Fri 5th Dec 2025** - Christmas Mufti for Fayre Donations.

**Fri 12th Dec 2025** - Helping Hands Christmas Fayre.

**Thurs 18th Dec 2025** - Christmas Dinner Day.

**Fri 19th Dec 2025** - Christmas Jumper Day.

**Fri 19th Dec 2025** - Early closing at 1.00pm.

**Mon 22nd Dec - Fri 2nd Jan 2026** - Christmas Holidays.

**Fri 5th Jan 2026** - First Day of Spring Term.



Mrs Lowe



Miss Bekesi



Miss Pitts



Mrs Hewison

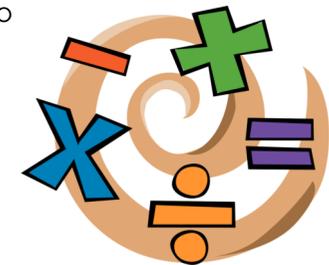
**Year 4  
Team  
Autumn  
Term 2  
2025**

**Dear Families,**

Welcome back to Autumn term 2! We are so proud of the children for settling in quickly and becoming passionate learners! It's a joy to see them all make progress every day. This could not happen without all of your support at home, so thank you.

It's going to a busy half term but learning remains the focus. Please ensure children read at least three times a week and that they continue to learn all their times tables facts.

**With thanks,  
The Year 4 Team**



**'Striving for Excellence'**

**YEAR 4 KNOWLEDGE ORGANISER**



# Year 4 Knowledge Organiser - Autumn Term 2 2025

## Art

Pupils will be exploring the artwork of the war artist, Elizabeth Butler, who lived on the Isle of Wight in the Victorian era. As she was not permitted to attend real battles, her work is remarkably painted from memory. Children will be linking her work to the story of War Horse, and using powerful imagery to create their own stage sets. Your contributions of shoe boxes for this task would be very much appreciated!



## Geography

In Geography we are going to learn about the weather and its features.



They will learn to measure speed of wind, rainfall, temperature and even cloud coverage. Children will become weather watchers and learn how to apply their knowledge during field work.



## Music

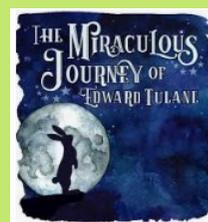
In Autumn term 2 we will learn all there is to know about drumming. Children will learn about the different types of percussion instruments, different styles of drumming, explore different rhythms and beats and create their own compositions. They will use the Garageband app, so encourage your children to show you what they have learned.



## Our English this half term!

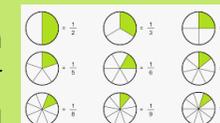
Our book this half term is 'The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane'. Edward Tulane, a cold-hearted and proud toy rabbit, loves only himself until he is separated from the little girl who adores him and travels across the country, acquiring new owners and listening to their hopes, dreams, and histories. We will follow him on his journeys and write his next adventure.

**This term's exciting book!**



## Our Maths this half term!

After securing their multiplication and division, children will apply their knowledge and skills when working with area and perimeter, and then moving onto fractions of shapes, amounts and numbers.



Keep practising those times table using the following website:  
[www.timestables.co.uk](http://www.timestables.co.uk)