

Year 4 Newsletter - Spring 2024

Year 4 children and staff are looking forward to an exciting, busy and successful new year. This newsletter is to keep parents/carers informed of some key events and information.

PE Kit

All pupils must have their PE kit in school every **Thursday** for their NUF lesson with Scott Appleby. White tshirts and black shorts/jogging trousers

Swimming

It is very exciting that Year 4 are being given swimming lessons in this spring term.

Children will need to bring their swim-wear to school for the lessons every **Friday** afternoon.



Topic

Our topic for the first half-term in 2023 will be the Volcanoes. As a part of this learning, we will be looking to arrange an educational visit. Please check your child's bags for letters about trips and other information.

Maths – Year 4 Multiplication Tables Check

The multiplication tables check (MTC) is statutory for all year 4 pupils in England.

The purpose of the MTC is to determine whether pupils can recall their times tables fluently, which is essential for future success in mathematics. It will help schools to identify pupils who have not yet mastered their times tables, so that additional support can be provided. The online test will take place on one day between Monday 3rd June and Friday I 4th June 2024. Please ensure that your child is accessing the online homework that will help them to become completely

fluent in their multiplication tables.

Arrival and Collection

Year 4 pupils are asked to arrive at school at 8.30am. The register will close at 8.50am. After this time, children must be taken to the school office to be registered. Collection is at 3.15pm. Please be prompt for the collection of your child as staff often have meetings to attend after school.