

Year 4 – Autumn 2

Welcome

Thank you for the brilliant start to Year 4. We are looking forward to beginning this half term with lots of exciting things happening.

Learning

This half term all of our learning will be based on 'Music in London'. As well as working hard to develop children's English and maths skills we will be learning the following:

Computing - how to present our work on PowerPoint using videos and music to support this.

Music - music in London during different eras and focusing on the composers in London.

Science - sound and how it travels, also how the human ear works.



Uniform

Thank you to everyone for making sure their children are looking very smart and following our school's uniform expectations. Please ensure your child wears their uniform every day. As well as this, please check to ensure all of your child's uniform has their **name** clearly on one of the labels. This is so that we can locate misplaced items for you.

P.E. Kits

P.E. days are on **Tuesday and Friday (4EA) and Friday (4JM)**.

Please make sure your child brings their kit to school every Monday morning and all included items **have their name on the labels**. Please make sure their kit contains navy shorts/jogging bottoms, a plain white t-shirt and a change of suitable shoes.

Homework

We would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone for the brilliant homework we have seen so far and would like to see this continued. We have seen some amazing projects this half term. We would like to remind you that we need to have weekly homework returned by Thursday in homework books. Also, please be sure that your child is reading and completing their reading log daily.

We would also like to remind you that the children receive a weekly spelling test and times tables test and these need to be practised to support their learning.

In addition to our weekly homework, each half term a project will also be set. Our topic homework for this half term is for the children to create a fact file on a London musician of their choice. This work will be due in the week beginning 19th December 2016. If you need any ideas please speak to us.



Dates for your diary

14th November – 4EA trip to Horniman Museum

16th/17th November - Parents' Evening.

18th November – Children in Need

21st November – 4JM trip to Horniman Museum

14th December - Christmas Lunch

14th December – Christmas Jumper Day

15th December - KS2 Christmas Performance (times will be confirmed)

16th December – 4JM class assembly (9:10am start)

16th December - Christmas Fair

20th December – Christmas class party

21st December - Last day of term (2pm finish)