



Stickney Church of England Primary School

“LEARN, ENJOY, ACHIEVE”

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Dear Parents,

Welcome back to the new academic year. I hope you and your family are well and I am really looking forward to teaching your child in year 4. My aim is to ensure that the children experience a smooth and happy transition from home life during lockdown to starting school in Year 4. The curriculum the children will experience will build upon the learning activities from their time in Year 3. We will look carefully at where the children are in terms of their learning in order to move carefully into the year 4 expectations.

We will have three big topics over the year. The topic for Term 1 and 2 is “The Rotten Romans” We will be learning about the Roman invasion and settlement in Great Britain, and how this affected everyday life. We will have a Roman Wow Day in October - date and arrangements to follow. Please see the attached topic web for more details about the curriculum planned for the autumn term,

Year 4 will have PE on a Monday and Thursday afternoon. Please ensure your child comes to school on those days already in their PE kit. PE will be outside so as the weather cools you may like to dress them in tracksuit bottoms rather than shorts, with a school jumper or cardigan. If your child has long hair, please ensure it is tied up for PE.

The children will continue on the Accelerated Reader scheme and they will complete a reading quiz as soon as possible to determine their ZPD code. We will keep the children’s reading books and reading record in a zip up wallet, which they will be able to take home to read too. Once they have read a book they will complete a quiz as normal and

the book will then be stored safely for 48 hours before it's put back onto the bookshelves. They will have 20 minutes every day to read and complete the quizzes in class.

Homework -

- Spellings will be set on a Friday to be tested the following Friday.
- Times tables will be set on an individual basis. There will be online homework activities to practice times tables and the children will have a quiz every Friday.
- MyMaths homework activities will be set weekly for the children to complete.
- Purple Mash activities for English, Science and other curriculum areas will be set regularly.

If you have any questions, or feel you have something to offer in relation to any of the above, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Kind Regards

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Class 4 teacher