In Science, we will focus on Earth and Space and understanding our Solar system.



P.E. will take place for Class 4 on a Tuesday and a Thursday. As this subject is an essential part of our curriculum, please ensure that children come to school, on these days, wearing their PE kit and that it is suitable and appropriate to PE sessions outdoors.

Our topics this term are football and hockey.





Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Primary School



Class 4

Newsletter

Autumn Term 2022-2023

Dear Parents / Carers,

I hope that everyone has a had an excellent summer break with their families. It has been lovely to welcome your children back into school, as your children are starting their learning journey in Year4!

We have lots of exciting things to look forward to this coming year in Class 4. Mrs Pearn is also working with us in Class 4 and her and myself have been super impressed with how well

the children have transitioned back to school and have settled in their new class.

As the weather at this time of year is very changeable, please ensure that children have a coat with them each day and as it get colder a hat, gloves etc.

We are going to use a variety of novels in class this term to try and get as much exposure to exciting vocabulary that we can use in our writing. Some of our texts include River Boy, which is a tantalising story about a girl who goes on an adventure to meet the River Boy. We will also use Amazon River, which is a picture book that gives an interesting insight into the formation of the Amazon River!





Our reading and writing activities will link to the books and will include narrative writing, non-fiction writing (such as reports and instructions) and pieces of poetry.

In History, we will be focusing on where the Ancient Egyptian era sat in relation to other major historical events. The children will begin to learn new key vocabulary to be able to use fluently in their work.

In Geography, we will be learning about the journey of a river, including identifying and describing river characteristics and processes.

In Maths, we will be looking at Place Value, before moving onto addition and subtraction. This will include looking at formal written methods (column method) and practicing our mental addition and subtraction. Finally, we will move onto multiplication and division, including multiplication and division facts.



Through our liturgy and collective worship, we continue to celebrate key events across the liturgical year. These liturgies will take place in class during the week.

Towards the end of this term, we will also begin our preparations for Advent as we ready ourselves to reflect on the coming of Jesus into the world.



Please don't hesitate to speak to me if you have any queries or concerns. I look forward to meeting you all in person at the upcoming Meet the Teacher session. Until then keep an eye on the website and our school Facebook page news and updates.

> Many thanks, Mr. Hubbard