

Year 4 Welcome Meeting



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Who is Who?

Mr Rundle – team leader & Paulet Class teacher

Mrs Candy Shore – Nelson Class teacher

Mrs Beeney – Wellington Class teacher

Teaching assistants: Mrs Bond, Ms Axford, Mrs Rudman



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Year 4 Topics

How Savage were the Saxons?

Vikings: Raiders or Traders?

The who, what, where and how of Old Basing

A Visit Around Europe... Different countries, different lives?

Invention or accident: you choose.

2000 Years BC – Where would you rather be?

Trips/ Enrichment



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Oxenwood Education Centre visit to school

Viking Day

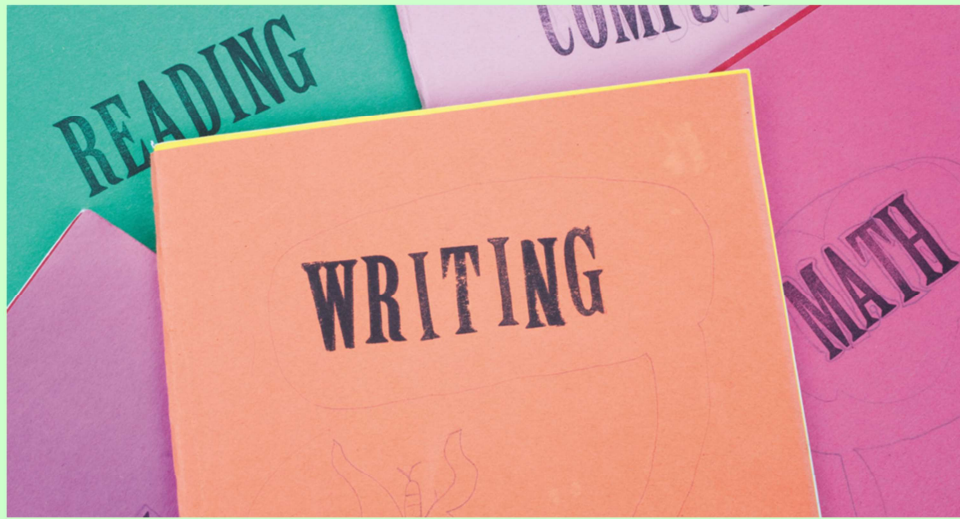
Old Basing Walk

Life in a French marketplace

Ancient Egyptian Drama Day

Music Workshop?

A trip to Laverstoke Park

**AS Reading:**

- Individual reading practise with an adult
- Group/ paired practice
- Reading skills lessons

Writing:

- Spelling lessons
- Handwriting lessons
- 'Daily 5' (individual punctuation and grammar)
- Writing lessons including grammar and punctuation
- Opportunities to publish with real audience and purpose

Maths:

- Daily maths lessons
- 'Daily 5' (maths fluency)
- Individual times table practice
- NB. June 2024 Y4 times tables test
- <https://www.theschoolrun.com/new-primary-school-times-tables-tests-explained>



Home Learning



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One piece of homework will be set by Friday (across variety of curriculum areas)

10 spellings a week, there will be a test on a Friday, every other week – fed back to parents

It will be related to an activity covered in school during that week or as preparation for the following week.

Homework will usually be set by Friday and will be due in the following Wednesday.


Homework will be set on Google Classroom

In addition, children are expected to read regularly at home (aiming for five times a week) and practise their times tables regularly.

Skills Revision

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_____ needs to practise
the following and have this returned by _____:

 Parents signature _____

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Parent Helpers will need to hold a valid DBS check.

Parents to accompany church visits (When we are able to visit)

P.E. kit to be worn every Tuesday and Friday

Earrings need to be taken out or tape needs to be brought in.

Reading records and books daily

No jewellery – wristbands and bracelets and anklets etc

No fiddle toys allowed, we provide if we think they need it



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Do you know what your child is up to online? Build the relationships now of trust and sharing ready for the storms ahead!

CEOPS - <https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk> and aiming to have an e-safety training session coming up



Useful Websites on the Internet

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Useful websites

Education City

Times Table Rock Star

Hit the Button (times tables)

St Mary's website

Think U Know



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Any problems, contact us

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Thank you for your time and we really look forward to working alongside you this year!