



Welcome to Year 4

2018-2019

Mr Tibbs

Year 4

Year Four is the year when your child will really begin to mature and start to become more independent.

- Creative curriculum which is driven by our children.
- The curriculum encourages the children to be life long learners, independent and develop their thinking skills.
- High quality, fascinating texts are at the centre which will encourage reading and writing.
- Enrichment curriculum which includes trips, after school activities and opportunities to experience a different educational setting at Oakleigh.

Attendance and Behaviour

- Children need to be in school everyday. If they feel unwell in the morning they can come to school and if they are too unwell to be in school we will send them home.
- Behaviour needs to be exemplary as the children are moving towards the top end of the school. Our school promotes the value of respect. The children should respect their peers and all adults that they work with during the year.

Uniform Expectations

- Our school uniform has a dress code of school blue with navy, black, white or grey. Order at the office.
- **Winter**
- -school sweatshirt
- -black or grey trousers
- - grey or black skirt
- -white shirt or polo shirt
- **Summer**
- - school polo shirt or plain white polo shirt
- - black or grey shorts
- - summer dress in blue and white check

PE kit

- Children must bring PE kit in every week.
- - black shorts/joggers
- - school T-shirt
- - plimsoles



The Curriculum

- Maths
- English - spellings, grammar, handwriting.
- Science
- Computing– To include coding
- History and Geography
- RE
- PSHE
- Art & Design and Technology
- PE - games, gymnastics, dance (APB)
- Music

Homework

- Usually consists of an English task, a maths task/mental maths, reading and weekly spellings.
- Given out on Friday to be handed in the following Wednesday.
- Reading – Children have Reading Records, please write a comment after reading with your child.

How you can help

- Listen to your child read and talk about the story to support comprehension skills.
- Read stories to them – they need to hear story language.
- Practise counting and writing numbers. Talk about money when you're out shopping.
- Practise telling the time at home and when out shopping.
- Check their book bag everyday for notices.

- Our students are expected to bring home their books and book records every evening and return it the following morning. We would like the children to read for 20 minutes every night to increase their reading stamina and love of reading.
- Times Tables are the basis of most Mathematics and we would encourage our students to practise all their times tables at home to increase their speed and accuracy. They **MUST** know all of their times tables by the time they leave Year 4.

Parents evening

- Wednesday 18th October 6-8pm
- Thursday 19th October 4-6:30pm

- Booking appointments – After school

Any Questions?



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