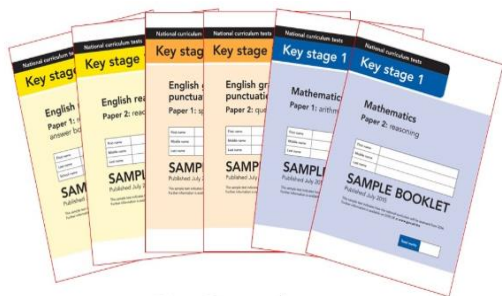


National Curriculum



Reading

We encourage all children to read at home every day. Please ensure that your child is being read with or independently reading at home to develop their language skills.

Reading records can now be completed by your child each day. All reading records have question prompts to aid them in completing the comments section. Please choose 1 question to answer each day.

For further information on the reading records, please see the class teacher.



Home learning

Children are expected to complete their homework. It will be given out on a Friday and is due in on a Wednesday.

Encourage children to take their time to complete homework neatly.

PE

4H - Tuesday

4F - Monday

All children are expected to bring in their PE kits on or before the day stated above. For PE, children are expected to wear a white t-shirt and blue jogging bottoms or shorts. Lucas Vale PE kits are available for purchase at:
Whitehall Clothiers
244A Lewisham High Street
Lewisham
London
SE13 6JU

Please remember to label all clothing.

Important Dates

Year 4 Safer Internet workshop

Tuesday 1st February 2020

Half term:

Monday 17th February - 21st February 2020

Year 4 class assemblies

4F - Monday 10th February 2020

4H - Monday 27th February 2020

Parents evening

Wednesday 4th & Thursday 5th March 2020

Attendance

It is very important that your child comes to school every day and on time. If your child is ill, please inform the main reception.

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China

Class Teachers:

Mr Hayward

Mr Fakouri

English

We will be reading 'The Firework Maker's Daughter' story by Phillip Pullman. This is a journey story with various plot twists. The children will be using this as a stimulus to write their own story with an alternative ending. The children will also be writing a set of instructions based upon our Science topic. We will be writing an instructional text to help create a light circuit.

Geography

We will be learning about China this term. The children will be discovering its physical geography and how physical and human features interact. We will be gaining a greater understanding of China's population density and how this has changed over time. The children will investigate China's relationship with the world and focus on what is produced in different areas of the country. We will develop an insight to China's sustainable development and how the country will develop in

Mathematics

We will recap the four operations in mental math's. The children will focus on the relationship between fractions, decimals and percentages in a variety of different contexts. We will also develop a greater understanding of area and how this is calculated using squares and formulas.

China Year Five - Spring term

PE

In PE Dance will be a focus. The children will develop transition skills and create a series of movements which will result in a routine. We will display a routine in front of the class And ask for constructive feedback.

Science

In Science we will be investigating Electricity and its role in everyday society. The children will investigate how electricity is created and learn about non - renewable and renewable energy. We will learn how to identify electrical appliances and types of electricity they use. The children will create circuits and explain how they work.

RE

We will investigate Shabbat and gain a greater understanding of how this holy day is celebrated by the Jewish people. The children will learn how, when and why Shabbat is celebrated. We will investigate the purpose of the Havdalah ceremony and why it is important in the Jewish religion.