

Beavers Community Primary School

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## Welcome to Year 4

Class	Teacher	Teaching Assistant
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Lavender Class	Ms Rodipe bv_lavender@beavers.hounslow.sch.uk	Miss Storey/Miss Hughes

SEND Teaching Assistants: Miss Sharman, Miss Lisa, Miss Carla, Mrs Bakshi

# **What Happens in Year 4?**

## Start and end of the Day:

All children can enter the school gate/building from **8:30am** onwards as part of our staggered start to the day. All children must be in school by **8:40am** and collected promptly at **3:10pm**. Children will be brought to the playground and parents/carers will then be permitted to enter the playgrounds following the one way system in place. Children will be dismissed once parents/carers have entered the playground and encouraged to keep moving to prevent any congestion. Parents and children must then vacate the playground immediately following the one way system. School staff will be present in both playgrounds to support parents with the new one way system.

If you would like to speak to your child's class teacher, please book an appointment via email.

#### <u> P.E:</u>

All children will participate in P.E. lessons every **Thursday** and **Friday**. Each child needs to arrive at school wearing a full school P.E. kit, consisting of a school logo t-shirt, plain black shorts/plain black tracksuit bottoms and trainers.

From Thursday 16th September, each class will have a term of swimming which will take place every Thursday. The children will need a towel and appropriate swimming kit (shorts, swimming costume etc). Below are the terms when each class will swim:

Autumn Term: Purple Class Spring Term: Lilac Class

Summer Term: Lavender Class

### **Reading Books:**

In Key Stage 2, we are using Accelerated Reader which is designed specifically to support children with targeted reading books. Children will bring home their current targeted book and will read this as part of their homework and bring it back to school each day. Regular reading to an adult or older brother/sister plays an important role in building your child's confidence in reading; it also helps them to access the school's curriculum more easily.

### **Homework:**

As a school, the expectations for homework are as follows:

- Daily reading using their Accelerated Reader book.
- Spelling rules/patterns posted weekly on Google Classroom.
- Number and Time Tables Practice using Times Tables Rock Stars and Numbots.

Your child will be given a login and password for Times Tables Rock Stars and Numbots (same login details) so they can practise their times tables and number skills at home. Each class teacher will monitor their progress each week.

#### **Uniform:**

Please ensure your child has a full school uniform and black shoes or trainers which are completely black. Children will also need a full PE kit and will be required to wear this on their PE days. Please make sure these have your child's name clearly marked on all items of clothing.

### Trips:

If any trips or workshops occur this year, you will receive information about them in good time.

#### **Healthy Snack and Water Bottle:**

Children can bring a piece of fruit to eat during morning break.

A water bottle will be very important for your child. Research has shown that children need water to enable them to learn more effectively. To make this possible, we would like to ask that each child in Year 4 has a water bottle, which will be filled with water and available to drink throughout the school day.

Please provide your child with a bottle that can be refilled with fresh water daily or as required.

### Thank you for your continued support.

The Year 4 Team





























