

LOL - School Learning

Dear Parents,

Welcome back! This term will focus on the children's wellbeing as they return to school after a long period of absence. We will also be ensuring that children cover learning they may have missed while school was closed and that they are able to achieve their Year 4 targets.

Our topic this term is Temples, Tombs and Treasures, in which we will be learning about ancient civilisations including the Egyptians and the Sumerians. The children will be "Bright Sparks" this term in science as they learn about electricity.

The Year 4 Team - Miss Taylor (St Gabriel) and Miss Wright (St Michael)

Year 4 Autumn 1 'Temples, Tombs and Treasures'



Maths

- Time Tables
- Place Value
 - Rounding
 - Roman Numerals
 - Counting in 25s
- Addition and subtraction
 - Adding two 3-digit numbers
 - Subtracting two 3-digit numbers

Come and See

- People (family trees)
- Called (confirmation)

PE

- Improving fitness - HIIT
- Daily mile

English

- Grammar revision
- Report writing (non-fiction)
- Poetry
- Limericks

Art/Music

- Still life drawing
- Ancient forms of writing (hieroglyphics)
- Study of tomb paintings
- Rhythm and Pulse

PSHE

- keeping safe

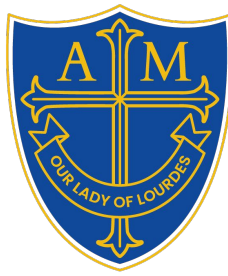
Geography and History

- Locating countries using Google Earth
- Human Geography in Egypt
 - Agriculture
 - Settlements
- Timelines
- Comparison of ancient and modern civilisations
 - Religion
 - Family Life

Science

- Electricity

LOL - Information for Home



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Reading

We are introducing a new reading scheme to KS2, whereby all children will be removed from the Oxford Reading Tree scheme and placed on the Accelerated Reader scheme. The colours are slightly different, so please don't be alarmed if it appears they have regressed. This is a self assessing program, by which the children complete online quizzes to gauge their comprehension of the books. Please read daily with your child. We will be sending books home from school which will be quarantined for 72 hours after returning to school.

Recommended Reads:

Charlotte's Web
Why the Whaler Came
Bill's New Frock
The Firework Maker's Daughter
Deadman's Cove
The Snow-walker's Son
Perry Angel's Suitcase
Voices in the Park
Krindlekrax
The Turbulent Term of Tyke Tiler
Sky Hawk
Journey to the River Sea

Home Learning

The most important homework you can do with your child is to hear them read! Your child will bring home "10 min Maths" Monday-Thursday Reading or Grammar sheets will be given out on a Friday and is due back the following Thursday.

Learning you could try at home:

- Practise your times tables using Numbots or TT Rockstars.
- Find facts about Ancient Egypt.
- Play board games - this will help mental addition
- Count backwards from 100.
- Play on Spelling Shed to improve your spellings.

PE Kit

Our amended temporary uniform policy means that children are able to do PE and the daily mile without needing to change. Please see the [letter](#) on the front page of the website for more information. **Our PE days are Monday and Tuesday.**

Diary Dates September

16th 4W Stay and Pray (recording)
23rd 4T Stay and Pray (recording)

October

5th Non Pupil Day
6th Individual & Sibling Photos
21st KS2 Cross Country 9:30am
23rd Pupil Target Report
26th-30th Half Term Holidays