

BISHOP CORNISH CHURCH OF ENGLAND V.A. PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Welcome to Year 4

Dear Children and Parents

We hope you have all had a wonderful summer and feel refreshed and ready for the new school year ahead. We are really looking forward to teaching your children and watching them flourish throughout the year. Mrs Edwards will be teaching Year 4 from Monday to Wednesday and Mrs Nile will take over for Thursday and Friday. Mrs Nicholson and Mrs Legg are our Teaching Assistants and will be helping and supporting your children, individually and in group activities.

We will be studying The Romans this term for our topic - their culture, achievements and how they influenced and changed our country. Look out for Roman soldiers, Latin commands and Roman shields!

PE will be on Tuesdays and Fridays, so please ensure that named PE kit, including trainers, are in school on these days. As the cold weather approaches, please ensure your child has a warm jumper and jogging bottoms/leggings. Spanish will continue this year on a Wednesday morning with Mrs Garner.

Homework will be set on a Friday and should be given in by the following Thursday when it will be marked collectively. There will usually be two pieces of homework to complete: Maths, English and/or topic. In addition, a spelling log book will be brought home weekly where tricky spellings have been highlighted – please support your child to master these words. There is no official weekly spelling test, however there will be revision assessments throughout the term. Daily reading at home is also encouraged. Every Monday your child will have a times tables test.

We will always be available after school if you wish to call in for a quick chat. If you require a longer discussion with us, feel free to phone to arrange an appointment. You are always welcome.

Working together, we feel sure your child will have a successful and happy time in Year 4 and we look forward to meeting you at parents' evening at the beginning of October where we will both be present.

Best wishes

Andrea Edwards and Emma Nile