

HOLYWELL PRIMARY SCHOOL & NURSERY

Year 4

Summer Term 2

We're looking forward to a busy and exciting Summer Term in Year 4.
Here's what your child will be learning this half term:

Maths

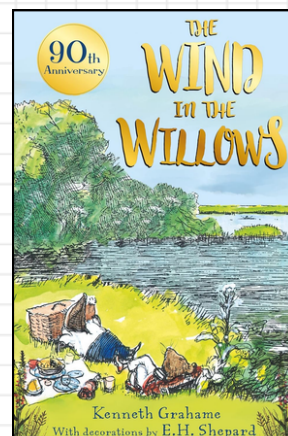
- We will learn about the properties of shapes, including parallel, perpendicular, horizontal and vertical lines.
- We will practise plotting points, describing movement and translations, and exploring position and direction.
- We will learn to read and write Roman numerals to 100 and calculate the perimeter of shapes.

Writing

- We will write stories from other cultures using descriptive language and detailed settings.
- We will write explanatory texts to explain processes clearly and accurately.
- We will continue developing our use of technical vocabulary, sentence structure and punctuation.

Reading

- We will read and explore *The Wind in the Willows*.
- We will learn how themes and context shape meaning within a text.
- We will develop skills in analysing ideas, comparing texts and explaining their impact on the reader.



Across the Curriculum

Computing - We will explore photo editing and programming with repetition in games.

Science - We will investigate sound, including how sounds travel and how pitch and volume can change.



Geography - We will develop our map skills and learn about different regions.

History - We will continue learning about Ancient Egypt.

Design & Technology - We will learn how to make healthy foods using low-cost ingredients and explore how food choices can affect our health.



Root vegetable rasti



Mexican pasties



Chickpea curry

- PSHE & Online Safety - We will learn about medicines, drugs, asking for help and staying safe online.
- RE - We will explore how and why people mark significant events in life.
- Spanish - We will continue developing confidence with Spanish vocabulary and conversation.
- PE - We will develop skills in dodgeball indoors and take part in athletics outdoors.

Home Learning

- Read regularly with your child (ideally daily) and encourage discussion about what they have read.
- Practise times tables (using TTRS) and number facts.
- Complete the weekly spelling task.
- Encourage your child to talk about their learning and share new knowledge.

Enrichment

- Opportunities for practical science, computing and creative projects.
- Outdoor learning and transition activities.
- Creative art and DT experiences linked to our curriculum learning.

Optional Activities

- Practise reading and writing Roman numerals around the home.
- Create a map using symbols and a key.
- Design and label your own Ancient Egyptian artefact or treasure.