

Macaulay Summer Class Newsletter



YEAR 4

Dear Parents / Carers,

Happy Summer term!

Thank you so much for the fantastic turnout at the workshare and for your wonderful contribution towards our Act Of Service. It was a great opportunity for our class to demonstrate their understanding of selfless service.

The fine weather has already begun and we are all looking forward to the Summer term. There will hopefully be plenty of opportunities for learning outdoors and making the most of the sunshine.

As June approaches, I would like to mention the multiplication tables check (MTC), which is statutory for all year 4 pupils and will take place on Monday 1st June. With that in mind, please continue to support your children in learning their times tables. Encourage your child to regularly (at least 3X per week) practise their times tables. Bear in mind that the children have 6 seconds to recall each answer.

This term we will be learning about the Ancient May in History and Rivers in Geography. Our reading matter will be Rainplayer, Journey to River Sea, Varmints and Farther. We will also be looking at Classification and Liquids.

Best wishes,

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Year 4 Teacher



Science
Classification (Sum1)
Liquids (Sum 2)

History
Ancient Maya (Sum 1)

Geography
Rivers (Sum 2)

Please refer to the website for more information on our curriculum, and don't forget to follow the school twitter account for updates and information **@Macaulaycofe**

Reading– Please ensure your child is reading every night (between 10 and 30mins) and recording this in their reading record book. It is vital for their development and learning at school. Please note the page they have read, so we can pick this up where they left off when they read to us at school. Reading at home does not always have to be school books but please record this nevertheless. Please be aware that graphic novels and manga, while entertaining, do not develop children's language skills in the same way as a chapter book.

Homework - Homework will be given out on a Friday and should be returned at the latest by the following Friday morning. Please note that this term, we will be able to complete our homework, with assistance at Friday lunchtime if necessary.

P.E. – Our PE days are Monday (Swimming in Summer 1) and Wednesday. The children should bring their PE kit to school and we will get changed before the lesson. PE kit consists of navy blue Macaulay logo t-shirt, navy blue jogging bottoms or navy blue shorts in cooler weather, and a navy blue sweatshirt or school jumper can also be worn. Please ensure they have a swimming costume/swimming trunks, towel and **swimming cap**. Goggles are optional.

Key dates this term

Year 6 SATs Week - W/C Monday 11th May

Year 4 Mandatory Times Table Check - Tuesday 9th June

Year 4 St Paul's Opera Workshop - 18th and 26th of June



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