Autumn Term in 4W
Welcome Back to Handford Hall!

Dear Parents, Carers and Class members of 4W,
It has been great to welcome all the children back to school this week. I am very excited to share our learning for this term and look forward to a great year ahead!

English and Maths
In **English** topics will fantasy, reports, poetic language, traditional tales and fables
In **Maths** will be focusing on place value of four digit numbers, mental and written methods for addition, subtraction, multiplication and division, measures and data.

Our other topics this term:
- **Our IPC topic is Explorers and Adventurers**
- **Science: Properties of materials, Living Things and their Habitats**
- **RE: Will be continue to be taught through whole days focused on specific world religions.**
- **PE: Ball games, Gymnastics and Dance**

PE kit: Our days for PE are Monday's and Thursday's. Children must have their PE kit in school on these days. There may be other days when we choose to do PE, so it is important that PE kits stay in school every day. For outdoor PE the children will need dark coloured tracksuit trousers and a jumper for when the weather is colder. In year 4 **trainers** are preferred choice of footwear as they are suitable for all weathers rather than plimsolls.

Breaks times and lunchtimes: This term year 4 will be using the playground for play times and lunchtimes. As before, the children will be eating lunch in their classrooms.

Homework:
Spellings: They will have spellings given to them on **Mondays** and then tested on **Friday**
Learning Logs: They will be sent home on **Friday** and returned by the following **Thursday**
Times Table Rock Stars and Mathletics: Online times table programme accessed through https:// ttrockstars.com/login and https://login.mathletics.com/ . Your child will have their log in details inside their reading record.

How to support your child?
- Ensure your child is reading their reading books at home and discuss these with them. **Please ensure you sign your child's record book when you read with them at home each night**
- Discuss learning logs tasks
- Ensure your child knows their times tables. Children need to know all times tables in year 4
- Help your child to learn their spellings

Trips: We hope to arrange some exciting trips for this term and will be in touch with details shortly.

School Uniform: We take pride in our appearance! Please remember to ensure that your child comes to school every day wearing correct uniform. This includes black trousers or skirts and navy jumper or cardigan. Grey jumpers are not part of our school uniform. Leggings must not be worn and all children need suitable black schools, not trainers.
All children need school book bags and small PE bags no rucksacks.
All children must bring a named water bottle to school every day. If you or your child has any questions throughout the term, please speak to myself on the playground.

Yours sincerely,
Miss M Worley

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PE Kit

Outdoor PE Kit