

Welcome to Year 3/4 Red!



Autumn 1 Newsletter

Who teaches in our class?

Mrs Allington and Mrs Fowler are the class teachers. Mrs Allington teaches us on a Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Mrs Fowler teaches on a Thursday and Friday. For the afternoons marked on the timetable in green, Madame Ramsden teaches us.

On Tuesday afternoon, Mr. Mulholland, Miss McGarry & Madame Ramsden teach us.

Please don't forget to label all belongings with your child's name!

We will soon be voting on our **School Council Representative**, so consider if you would like to stand and prepare a short speech.

How can you help at home?

Reading: Please listen to your child read 3 times a week and sign in your child's planner to let me know you have done this. I check this on a Wednesday, during our weekly library session, where children will also have the opportunity to change their book.

Spellings: Spellings are set **online** each week by your child's spelling teacher. Children should practise their 10 spellings using the games then complete the test only when ready. Accessed by logging in to: <https://www.edshed.com/en-gb/login/school>

Maths: Year 4's have their official multiplication check in June, so there will be a meeting in early 2027 for you to find out more about this. Your child may not have their class teacher for maths as we mix up for this subject. Maths homework will be set weekly, alternating between times table rockstars practice and an online MyMaths task. Log ins for both of these are in children's planners and children will be told their task in maths lessons each Friday.

Weekly Timetable:

Year 3/4 Red				Timetable				Autumn 2026			
	8:45	9:00 - 9:30	9:30 - 10:25	10:25	10:40	11:40	12:00	12:50	2:10	2:30	3:00
Monday		ERIC	Literacy		Maths	Class reader		Computing	BREAK	PSHE	
Tuesday	Register & Morning Work	KS2 Assembly OTB / Singing	Literacy	BREAKE	Maths	ERIC		PPA French - RE - PE (T. Sports)			
Wednesday		Library	Literacy	AKT	Maths	Class reader	LUNCH	Science		PE 2.20-3.20	End of Day
Thursday		ERIC	Literacy	IME	Maths	Class reader		Art/DT	BREAK	Music / Newsround	
Friday		ERIC	Literacy SPaG		Maths Chromebooks	Topic		Topic		Whole School Assembly	
										Class Reader	

What will I need to bring?

PE Kits are needed on **Tuesday & Wednesday**.

Bring a full **water bottle** to school each day. **Planners** should be brought every day. You may bring a **pencil case**, but all resources are provided so you don't need it!

Please do not bring fidgets into school unless this concentration aid is specified on your child's support plan or an agreement has been made with the class teacher for your child.

Maths: Y3 - Understanding place value in numbers up to 3-digit numbers, addition and subtraction, times tables.

Y4 - Understanding place value in numbers up to 10, 000, addition subtraction, times tables.



English: Non-chronological reports about animals, writing diaries as ancient Egyptians. Our class text is The Butterfly Lion.

French: Introductions and simple phrases

Music: Singing Egyptian songs, Composing...

sing up

RE: The importance of the Bible and other sacred texts.

PSHE: Dreams and Aspirations - Being Me!



Wider Curriculum:

Look out for information about Year 4 swimming next half term!

Topic: Amazing Egyptians

Science: Living things & their habitats... classifying, sporting and identifying animals based on their characteristics.



Bookshelf

History and Geography: where, when and how did the Ancient Egyptians live?

Art & DT: creating Egyptian sarcophagus, death masks, hieroglyphic printing (cartouche)

Computing: eSafety, Connecting Computers (networks and systems)

PE: dribbling techniques to beat opponents and create opportunities.



Super Start: Life-size Sarcophaguses

Marvellous Middle: Pharaoh-nomenal Quiz

Fabulous Finish: Dress up as an Egyptian Day on Tues 9th Dec 2026 - more details to follow!

