

September 2026

Dear Parents /Carers,

Welcome back to school! I hope you have had a great summer, and are having a wonderful start to the new academic year comfortably.

It has been lovely to meet everyone, and the children are settling well into the routines and rhythms of year 4.

Below is a table showing the areas of study that we will be covering this term.

Year 4	
English	<u>Power of Reading Texts:</u> Leon and the Place Between <u>Writing Outcomes:</u> 1. Portal Narrative 2. Persuasive Report
Mathematics	- Place Value - Addition and Subtraction
Science	Sound
Computing	Internet
RE	How did the belief in God affect the actions of people in the Old Testament?
Geography/History	Anglo Saxons
PE	- Team sports with Footy4fun coaches - Gymnastics
DT/Art	Drawing
PSHE	Cycle Safety unit of work (not practical cycling skills)
Music	Singing in parts: loops and layers
French	Presenting Myself with Madame Sandra

Dates to remember:

10th/11th September - Class Welcome Session 3:30-4pm

14/21/28th September - Emotional Regulation workshops with Jess from MIND

15th September - Clubs begin

29th September - School Nurse bedwetting session for parents 9AM - small hall

Wed 30th September - 9am UNDERSTANDING MENTAL HEALTH & EMOTIONAL WELLBEING with MIND

9th October - Flu Vaccinations

Wed 21st October - 9am SLEEP ROUTINES & SELF-CARE with MIND - hall

26th – 30th October Half Term

Please check the calendar on the website and the newsletter as events are added regularly.

Other useful information:

- ❖ PE lessons will take place on **Monday and Thursday afternoons**. Children may wear black trainers for outside activities. For Gym and Dance they may

choose to wear plimsolls or take part barefoot. On these days the children can come to school in their PE kits and remain in them for the day. If your child is unable to participate in PE for a medical reason, a note must be provided.

- ❖ There will be a whole class French lesson on **Thursday**, taught by Madame Sandra.
- ❖ Homework will be sent home on **Fridays** and returned on a **Wednesday via Atom Learning**.
- ❖ **Spellings** will be sent home on **Fridays**, and tested on **Thursdays**. The list of the words they need to learn will be on **Google classrooms**.
- ❖ The children all need to know their times tables up to 12x12 by the end of year 4, so please ensure you set aside time for your child to practise these, preferably **at least 5 times per week for at least 10 minutes each time**. They will also have online access to **times table rockstars**. I will be sending out further details of these and their log ins.
- ❖ Year 4 children are also expected to read daily for pleasure, and this should be recorded in their green reading log. **I recommend at least 10-15 minutes of reading per day**.

If you require any additional information or have any queries/concerns please come and see me or email **teacher@allsaintsce.lbhf.sch.uk**

Kind Regards,

Miss Charlotte Ell

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