# Welcome to the Year 4 Parent Presentation

Mr Dunford Mrs Keogh

#### Year 4 Timetable 2023-24

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8:40 - 9:00	Register (HW or FB4)	Register (HW or FB4)	Register – Maths release	Register (Gate Duty)	Register (HW or FB4)
9:00-10:00	9:00 - Assembly	English	English	English	English (spe <mark>lling test)</mark>
	English				Spellings
10:00-10:55	Maths	PE	Guided Reading/ Spellings	Guided Reading	Guided Reading
10:55-11:10	Break-time	Break-time Duty	Break-time	<mark>Break-time</mark>	Break-time
11:10-12:20	Spellings/Library	Maths	Maths	Maths	Maths (arithmetic test)
12:20-1:10	Lunch-time	<mark>Lunch-time</mark>	Lunch-time	<mark>Lunch-time</mark>	Lunch-time
1:10-2:00	Science	History/Geography	Computing	PPA - Art	PSHE
2:00-2:45	Music	French	RE	PPA – Spelling /Handwriting	PE
2:45-3:10		Oracy Assembly	Core Value Assembly	Singing Assembly	Celebration Assembly
3:10-3:20	Home-time- (R4P)	Home-time- (R4P)	Home-time	Home-time- (R4P)	Home-time- (R4P)

### **English**

- ► English is taught in 3-week units
- ▶ Weekly independent writing with a clear focus.
- ► High quality texts
- ► Reading for writing
- ► Reading for pleasure
- ► Performance poetry (by heart)
- ► Writing for fun
- ► Reading and writing aloud to edit
- ► Grammar and spelling focus

### **English**

The high-quality texts that we will be using this year are:

- Escape from Pompeii (historical)
- ► Just So Stories (traditional tales)
- ► Malala's Magic Pencil (fantasy)
- ► Where Zebras Go (poetry)
- ► The Great Kapok Tree (contemporary)
- ► And many more...



Why reading to your child really matters



### Why read with your child at home?



# Reading a book and chatting about it has a positive impact on children's ability to:

- understand words and sentences
- use a wide range of vocabulary
- develop listening comprehension skills





# Why does reading together every day matter?

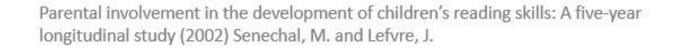


The number of books your child has encountered by the age of six is a positive predictor of their reading ability two years later.

This benefit comes from:

Adults reading to children and children enjoying books simply by looking at them and talking about them.









A love of reading is the biggest indicator of future academic success!

## Reading Raffle Tickets



#### What are we hoping to achieve?

- □ To raise the profile of reading at GPNS.
- □ To increase the number of children who engage with reading outside of school.
- □ To create a 'love of reading' that goes beyond their time at GPNS.

#### How does it work?

- □ Read with your child at least three times a week and record it in their home-link book.
- □ Every Friday, the children who have read at least three times that week will receive a raffle ticket and be entered into a prize draw.
- $lue{}$  At celebration assembly, one raffle ticket will be drawn out and the winning child will receive a brand-new book to keep!

Maths

Number Number Number **Autumn term** Place value Addition and Multiplication and Consolidation Measurement **Area** division A subtraction VIEW VIEW VIEW VIEW Number Measurement Number Number Spring term Multiplication and Length and **Fractions Decimals A** division B perimeter VIEW VIEW VIEW VIEW Number Measurement Measurement Geometry Geometry Summer term Decimals B Money Time Shape Position Consolidation and Statistics direction

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## <u>Maths</u>

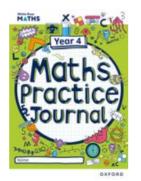
- ► Calculation little and often
- Mastery approach
- Problem solving and reasoning
- ► Weekly Arithmetic Tests
- ►End of unit tests
- ►End of term tests

## Multiplication Tables Check

- >25 questions 6 seconds each.
- All 12 times tables.
- Times Table Rockstars
- Practice!

## WRM Homework books

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## <u>Science</u>

- Changing Sound
- **►** Eating and Digestion
- **▶**Living in Environments
- **▶** Circuits and Conductors
- ► State of matter
- ► Climate Change

## <u>PE</u>

▶PE will be on Tuesdays and Fridays.

► Sports / Gymnastics / Dance.

►Swimming.

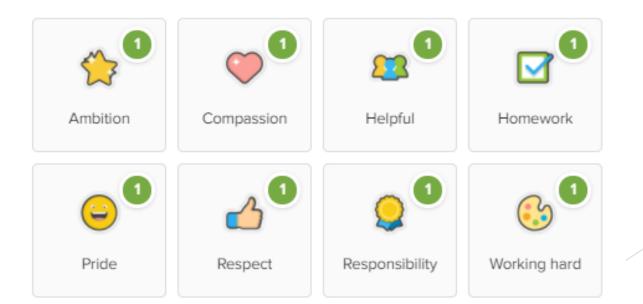
## Homework

The homework grid will be sent out at the beginning of the term. There is a variety of different homework for the children to choose from.

- ▶ 30 minutes of TT Rockstars
- ▶ 20 minutes of reading each day, this needs to be logged in their home-link book
- ► Spellings Spelling Shed
- Friday tests

## Class Dojo

- ▶ Positive behaviour recognition
- Important announcements



## Communication

- Home-link books
- Class Dojo
- Home-time
- School office

Welcome To ...



## Come and enjoy learning in our 55 acre site on your residential, through all the seasons!









### Your Accommodation

Welcome to your home away from home, Wetherdown Lodge!





#### Your Common Room

This is where you will eat your breakfast and lunches and chill out.
Our boot room is where you'll leave all those muddy outdoor shoes.

Top Tip: Bring slippers for indoor comfort!







### Your Rooms

Each room has a sink and a bedside table. All of your bedding and towels are provided.

Top Tip: practise putting on a duvet cover at home ready for your stay!



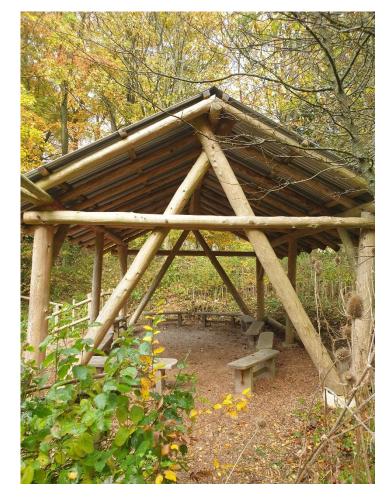






## Your Outdoor Classroom

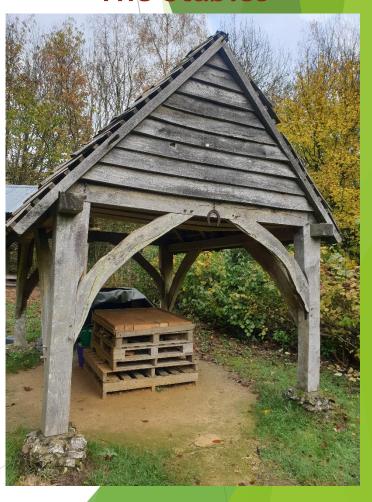
The Pole Barn



The Horseshoe



The **Stables** 



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Top Tip: Bring layers and a waterproof as we learn outside rain or shine!

## Your Choice of Activities



## Your Evening Activities



## Options:

- Storytelling
- Campfire
- Team Building
- Crafts
- Night Sky

### **Trip Details**

- ≥20th -21st February 2024
- >2 full days and overnight stay
- Cost approximately £120