

Year 4 Newsletter

Autumn Term 1 & 2



Excellence From All

Topics this term

- **English:** Dolphins & Sharks, Books by Anne Fine, The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe
- **Maths-** Place Value, Addition and Subtraction, Area, Multiplication
- **History:** Bronze Age to Iron Age
- **Geography:** Mountains, Erosion and Deposition, Earthquakes, Volcanoes
- **Art/D.T:** LS Lowry/Abstract Art Pneumatics/Shell Structures
- **Science:** Space/Rocks & Soil/Plants/Nutrition/Solids, Liquids & Gases
- **PSHE:** Being Me in My World/ Celebrating Difference
- **R.E:** Christianity
- **P.E:** Outdoor Adventure Activities, Tag Games, Invasion Games
- **Computing:** Internet, Media
- **Music:** Ukelele, This Little Light of Mine
- **German:** Numbers / Animals / Days of the Week / Toys / German traditions

Welcome to Year 4!

We hope you have had a restful summer break. We are looking forward to getting back into the routines of school and have lots of interesting activities planned for the children over the next two terms.

Year 4 Staff

Dolphin Class:

Mrs Greening

Shark Class:

Mrs Green

Class TAs:

Mrs Brown

Mrs Marshall

Mrs Pare

We hope you can join us for our Class Assembly!

Dolphin Class: Thursday 26th September 2:30

Shark Class: Thursday 3rd October 2:30



Notices

Water Bottles and Hygiene

Please remember that water bottles need to be taken home every evening and refilled with fresh water before returning them to school the next day. Children can of course refill their bottles in the classroom at school should they need to.

GOOGLE CLASSROOM

If you haven't already, please don't forget to download the Google Classrooms app where you are able to view any work/homework that is posted.

Email Dolphin Class:
greenings@cliffewoods.medway.sch.uk
Email Shark Class:
greenm@cliffewoods.medway.sch.uk

Thank you for your continued support.

*Mrs Greening
and
Mrs Green*

PE will be every Monday & Friday.

Please make sure your child has the correct PE kit at school. The children should have a white t-shirt, dark shorts, a dark tracksuit and trainers in school every day. Children cannot wear earrings for PE lessons so need to be able to remove earrings by themselves before each PE session. Children should be able to tie their own ties and shoelaces, too!



READING

Thank you for supporting your child to read at home. Please remember that children are expected to read 10 min. at least 5 times a week to help improve their reading skills. Please record your child's reading journey in the yellow Reading Record.

PENCIL CASES

Please keep personal pencil cases safely at home. All equipment needed for learning will be provided in school. 😊

Homework

Maths Homework: Monday

Spelling Words: Thursday

Weekly Spelling Test: Thursday

Please encourage your child to use Times Table Rock Stars (TTRS), Sumdog and Spelling Shed to practise throughout the week.