## The Team

Mr Quinn

4C Teacher & Achievement Leader



Miss Pascarella

4l Teacher



**Teaching Assistants** 



Ms Morus

4C Teacher

Ms Jonjo

4l Teacher

### **Expectations at SMAB**

- Gates open at 8:40am 8:50 min class so we can maximise learning time.
- Correct uniform Yellow, green or white/black hairbands.
   No cycling shorts or leggings on PE Day
- Earrings studs not hoops.
- Money we are using Parent Pay so call or speak to the office if you have an issue.

## Reading

- <u>20 minutes every day</u> independently or ideally with a family member.
- Remember you can complete AR quizzes at home via the link on your child's class page on Microsoft Teams.
- Weekly comments in their Reading Record could be:
  - What they enjoyed;
  - Challenging words;
  - Prediction of what might happen next;
  - Something they have learnt from their book;
- Reading should be fun and we have a list of books perfect for Year 4 pupils.
- Listening to other people read is also great for developing comprehension and understanding of new vocabulary.

# PE in Year 4 Children should come to school wearing their P.E kits

■ 4C —Wednesday &Thursday

■ 4I – Monday & Wednesday

- Trainers are advised for support and comfort.
- Please ensure PE kit is cleaned regularly.

## **Multiplication and Division facts**

- By the end of Year 4, all pupils need to know up to their 12 times tables.
- It is extremely important that the children learn their multiplication facts by and be able to recall them rapidly.
- In June, pupils will take a Government initiated times table test.
- Going on TT RockStars daily as well as Freckle weekly.
   Test your children at home to improgrammed.



## **Home learning**

- A new home learning grid has be given out online and stuck in their home learning books. Upload one task per week onto teams, send on dojo or hand your book to your teacher
- Reading at least 5 times a week for at least 20 minutes.
- Complete your weekly Freckle task (this is a priority).
- If you don't have a device at home please speak to a member of the team to see if the school can support you with one.

## **Handwriting**

- At SMAB, we encourage children to write using the cursive style of handwriting.
- There is a link on our website in order to help support your child.
- A letter will be handed out to you with login details.

#### **Benefits:**

- Overtime, pupils will write faster.
- Helps with spelling.
- Legible important in school progression.



## **Year 4 Topics**

Virtually all of our learning is linked into our various topics.

This means that we can consolidate knowledge through multiple subjects.

Autumn 1	Autumn 2
7 Weeks	7 Weeks
The Roman	The Roman
Republic	Empire
The Rhine &	Population
the Mediterranean	
Respect	Resilience
Getting to Know You	Anti-Bullying
Community	Maths Week
RE Day	Nativity

## **Trips**

- We are aiming to organise at least two trips related to the children's topic each term
- We also plan to organise trips within the local area as part of our topic and fieldwork.
- 28<sup>th</sup> November we will be going to visit an interactive nativity gallery in Enfield Town.
- 9<sup>th</sup> 10<sup>th</sup> May will be an overnight camping stay in Kent. This is optional and will cost £125 which you can pay in monthly instalments. It will involve:

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## **Keeping in touch**

- Using ClassDojo is the best way of letting us know of any issues or if you have any questions.
- We will share some images every so often of what's going on in our classrooms.

- SMAB has a YouTube channel so please subscribe for regular video updates.
- Twitter and Instagram!





# Finally...

■ Thank you very much for taking the time to join us today and for your ongoing support.

■ We will be here for the next five minutes or so if you have any questions you would like to ask.