



YEAR FOUR



This week...

We have been busy with our first test week of the year. The children have all had a very positive approach to these and have worked hard to focus and do their best. Well done to them all!

We have also been learning to use formal column methods to add and subtract in Maths. In English, we have been writing a diary from the point of view of Boudicca, Queen of the Iceni Tribe. In Topic, we have been learning about the legacy of the Romans on our lives in Britain today.

Last week...

Thank you to everyone who joined us for our first family café of the year! We hope that you enjoyed the poetry and craft activities and the opportunity to work alongside your children in school. It was lovely to see so many parents and family members in our classrooms. These days are so special for the children and ourselves.



Next Week ...

Will be our final week of this half-term. Your children have settled in brilliantly to year 4 and deserve a lovely week of fun and enjoyment with you!

We look forward to meeting you at our parents evenings on Wednesday (in school) and Thursday (online). Please do sign up at www.derehamjunior.schoolcloud.co.uk if you haven't already done so.

In the new half-term Thursday afternoon arrangements:

Babbage and Seacole—Swimming.

Please ensure that swimwear and a named towel in a bag is brought to school in the morning.

Parks and Malorie—outdoor P.E. Children come to school dressed in warm outdoor P.E kits. Please see the uniform policy for further details of what the children should wear.

Homework Each Week

The following must be completed each week:

1. Minimum of 2 x 10/15 min sessions on TT Rockstars/ Numbots
2. Minimum of 2 x 10/15 min sessions on Spelling Shed
3. Minimum of 3 x 15 min reading sessions—diaries MUST be signed