

Year 4



Dear Parents and Carers,

It's been a busy week in Year 4 and we have been really impressed with the resilience and effort that the children showed with their assessments, despite the heat - well done to all of them!

English

We have been re-writing the story of Beowulf and Grendel this week in our modelled writing sessions, looking at using techniques to create suspense and devices to show our reader changes in time and place. We have seen some amazing writing!

Maths

This week we have been revisiting the short division method, focusing on exchanging and remainders.

Foundation Subjects

We have been continuing our Anglo-Saxons topic in history, linking our knowledge of oral storytelling traditions to our English learning. We have also been working on the skill of observing over time in science - this week we wrote our conclusion to our states of matter investigation and discussed fair testing.

Notices & Reminders

Next week we will be starting our Year 4 RSE lessons during PSHE. The first lesson will be focusing on labelling body parts using the correct scientific terminology and talking about human and animal reproduction.

Please ensure that children bring a refillable water bottle to school everyday. Suncream should be applied before school and you may want to send in a **named** sun hat too.

Next week, children will be completing their multiplication tables check. A good resource for practising at home is <https://www.timestables.co.uk/multiplication-tables-check/>.

Diamond Work Award

Chestnut: Hayden and Ruby **Larch:** Leo and Mustsafa **Yew:** Isha and Oliver
