

# Autumn Term 1 2025

## Class 4 Home Learning

There are 3 areas of homework to complete each week:

1. **Reading:** You should read for 20 minutes on at least 4 days each week. The expectation is that you will record these 4 days, when you have read at home, in your Reading Record and hand this in each Monday. Your Reading Record will be returned back to you on the same day. When you read, think about what you have read, collect examples of rich vocabulary and discuss your book with an adult regularly. Vary the authors, genres and text types you select and strive to read from the Reading Rocket selection often.
2. **Maths:** You should log on to **Times Tables Rock Stars and Numbots** at home at least 3 times each week to practise your tables and arithmetic skills.
3. You need to choose either an **English or a maths activity** to complete in your homework book and hand this in on **Monday**. Try to choose from each section over the half-term. Books will be returned to you each **Thursday**.

Trying your very best, being organised with homework and meeting these expectations will result in house points, stickers or certificates and, of course, you will be learning, practising key skills and becoming an independent learner.

### English Activities:

- Write about something you did in the holidays. Try to use adjectives in your sentences and make sure you use capital letters and full stops.
- Write a diary entry from the point of view of one of the characters from The Incredible Book Eating Boy or from a book of your choice.
- Write a book review of an interesting book you have recently read. Remember to include a brief synopsis of the plot and characters and what you liked/ disliked
- Digestive System challenge. Try and find where some of these body parts are and what they do.

esophagus, abdomen, bile, gut, stomach, appendix, duodenum, ileum, epiglottis, gall bladder, jejunum, intestines, liver, pancreas, salivary glands, metabolism, enzyme and orifice

- Research one of the World's mountains or mountain ranges. Create a non-chronological report all about it. Try to include facts like the height and location in the world.

### Maths Activities:

- Choose 2 three digit numbers and 6 four digit numbers and use the > and < signs to compare them. Eg: 325 > 127  
**If you find this tricky try with 2 digit numbers first.**
- Write 5 Addition and 5 subtraction number sentences using Roman Numerals. Eg: XXII + XXV = XLVII
- How many ways can you make 450? Try and find as many different ways as you can! Eg: 120 + 180 + 150 = 450  
**If you find this tricky try making 100.**
- Find 11 post it notes or squares of paper. Write a multiple of 1000 on each one starting with 0 all the way up to 10,000. Create a number line using your post its. Now count up in 1000s and back again, Use the number line to help you.
- Roll the dice 4 times. What is the highest 4 digit number you can make? What is the lowest 4 digit number you can make? Can you make an odd number? Can you make an even number? If not why not? (Repeat this activity several times). **If you find this tricky try it with 2 digit numbers or 3 digit numbers first.**
- Challenge: Use the digit cards below once to make each statement correct. Can you find 3 ways? Can you write your own and give it to a family member to solve?

4	1	3	2					
2		7		<		9		5

**Spelling:**

Below are the Year 3 and 4 Common Exception words. Have a look through with an adult and highlight any that you don't feel confident with. We will continue to work on these through the year. By the end of year 4, you should be able to spell these all confidently.

## Year 3 and 4 Common Exception Words

<b>Aa</b>	breath	consider	enough	group	island	natural	popular	<b>Rr</b>	surprise
accident	breathe	continue	exercise	guard	<b>Kk</b>	naughty	position	recent	<b>Tt</b>
accidentally	build	<b>Dd</b>	experience	guide	knowledge	notice	possess	regular	therefore
actual	busy	decide	extreme	<b>Hh</b>	<b>Ll</b>	<b>Oo</b>	possession	reign	though
actually	business	describe	<b>Ff</b>	heard	learn	occasion	possible	remember	thought
address	<b>Cc</b>	different	famous	heart	length	occasionally	potatoes	<b>Ss</b>	through
although	calendar	difficult	favourite	height	library	often	pressure	sentence	<b>Vv</b>
answer	caught	disappear	February	history	<b>Mm</b>	opposite	probably	separate	various
appear	centre	<b>Ee</b>	forward	<b>Ii</b>	material	ordinary	promise	special	<b>Ww</b>
arrive	century	early	forwards	imagine	medicine	<b>Pp</b>	purpose	straight	weight
<b>Bb</b>	certain	earth	fruit	increase	mention	particular	<b>Qq</b>	strange	woman
believe	circle	eight	<b>Gg</b>	important	minute	peculiar	quarter	strength	women
bicycle	complete	eighth	grammar	interest	<b>Nn</b>	perhaps	question	suppose	