



Monday 14<sup>th</sup> April, 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope you are having a wonderful Easter break.

The coming half term may be very short, but it is packed with lots of exciting learning opportunities. Please see the topic web for further information about what we will be learning this half term.

As part of our history learning we are planning to visit Goodrich Castle during the first week of Summer 2, (week beginning 28<sup>th</sup> April). More details will follow soon.

### Reading

I am thrilled with the engagement shown on Boom Reader by Year 4 - please keep up the good work! If you are struggling to get your child to read at home, please reach out so that I can support you.



### Maths



As the national times table check is getting nearer, please help your child to regularly engage with the activities set on Times Table Rockstars. We encourage all children to complete at least 10 minutes of TTRS each week. In order to be ready for the times table check in June, the children will need to know all tables facts up to 12x12.

Alongside TTRS, it is important for all children to keep up with their mental addition and subtraction skills. Numbots is designed to do this and so all children are expected to work on completing each stage, up to Diamond.



### PE

This half term we will our PE lessons will be on a Monday afternoon.

Finally, may I take this opportunity to remind you that I am always available for a chat about anything regarding your child's schooling, no matter how big or small. Just contact the office, catch me at the end of school or email me and I will get in touch at the earliest opportunity.

Regards

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Mrs Gemmell and the Year 4 team