



Welcome to Years 3 and 4!

Miss Molly Phipps



Adults in the class...

Miss Phipps

- Class teacher (teaching everyday apart from Monday and Thursday afternoons)

Mrs Paterson

- Class teaching assistant every morning

Mrs Gray

- Teaches Monday afternoon

Mrs Walters

- Teaches Thursday afternoon



What to expect in Lower Key Stage 2

Developing reading fluency: children will be reading regularly and develop their understanding and love of texts. They will apply their wide sight vocabulary and use a range of strategies to decode words.

Developing writing skills: Children will continue to work on the spelling patterns they have begun in previous years. There will be more of an emphasis on understanding and learning the spelling rules, as well as attention to prefixes and suffixes. Grammar skills will continue to be at the forefront of writing units.

What to expect in Lower Key Stage 2

- ▶ Developing mathematical skills:
 - ▶ In Class 2, there will be a lot of focus on times tables as they form the foundation for a large majority of the work the children will cover in the year.
 - ▶ Children will be taught using the 'mastery' style whereby children are encouraged to use their understanding of the new conceptions to solve challenges to deepen their understanding.
- ▶ MOT sessions





Homework

Reading



Spelling



TTRS



Rollama



Multiplication Tables Check (Year 4)

- **Monday 3rd June 2024**
- 25 times tables questions
- Designed to assess whether pupils can recall their times tables fluently.
- Speed and accuracy are important.
- TTRS and paper-based times table questions will support children to develop confidence and fluency.
- It is beneficial for children in Year 3 to also be practising their times table as much as possible.

New Curriculum Spelling List Years 3 and 4

accident

accidentally

actual

actually

address

although

answer

appear

arrive

believe

bicycle

breath

breathe

build

busy

business

calendar

caught

centre

century

certain

circle

complete

consider

continue

decide

describe

different

difficult

disappear

early

earth

eight

eighth

enough

exercise

experience

experiment

extreme

famous

favourite

February

forwards

fruit

grammar

group

guard

guide

heard

heart

height

history

imagine

increase

important

interest

island

knowledge

learn

length

library

material

medicine

mention

minute

natural

naughty

notice

occasion

occasionally

often

opposite

ordinary

particular

peculiar

perhaps

popular

position

possess

possession

possible

potatoes

pressure

probably

promise

purpose

quarter

question

recent

regular

reign

remember

sentence

separate

special

straight

strange

strength

suppose

surprise

therefore

though

thought

through

various

weight

woman

women