Year Four Curriculum Information

Here is a brief outline of the areas we will be studying this term. Guidance on homework is also provided. We hope you will find this information useful.

	Text	Fiction	Novel – The Iron Man, Playscripts/ Poetry- Creating	
	Work		Images	
		Non-	Instructional Writing	
<u>Literacy</u>	fiction			
	Sentence Work		Question marks, Commas	
	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,		Noun Phrases, First person/Third person/past/present	
	Word Work		tense - Spelling list Summer Term	
Numeracy	Data and Statistics – Bar Charts, Line Graphs, Pictograms, Mental Strategies and problem solving using all four operations. Time, Converting measurements, Area and Perimeter.			
	measurer	nents, Are	a and Perimeter.	
Science	Sound and grouping / Grouping Living things.			
ICT	Presenting News and Animation			
History	Is it better to be a child now or in the past?			
Geography	Why does the Earth Shake Rattle and Roll?			
Art	Drawing, Painting in the style of Georgia O'Keefe			
Music	Guitars / African Drumming / Singing			
P.E.	Outdoor adventure / Net and Wall games			
R.E.	Are all churches the same? / What is Prayer?			
Technology	Shell Structures – Designing and making a box for a childhood treasure.			
Weekly Homework	 A short piece of Literacy homework will be set each week to be returned by the following Tuesday at the latest. House points will be awarded to those children who bring their homework on time. Numeracy Homework will be provided each week to support activities carried out in the classroom. This may be in the form of worksheets, or it may require children to learn some mental facts. Please continue to help your child to read every night (no more than 12 pages), encouraging the use of expression and asking questions about what has been read. Please continue to sign the reading diary. It is vital that your child has his/her reading book in school every day, as reading activities take place most days. 			
Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any concerns or queries. Thank you for your support. Year 4 Staff				