



# Meet the Teacher



Welcome to  
Topaz Class

Year 4 – Miss Marriott



# Introductions

- **Class Teacher:** Miss Marriott
- **PPA Cover:** Miss Ashton (Tuesday)
- **Teaching Assistants:** Mrs Rawson, Miss Ashton



# First day

- **Important dates:**

Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> September – Inset Day

Friday 5<sup>th</sup> September – First day in Year 4.

- **What to bring:**

A small school bag or book bag that can either hang on their peg or go in their tray.

A named water bottle.

Their Year 4 Summer Homework booklet (to receive some merits!).



# PE Kit

Indoor:



Outdoor:





A red t shirt, black shorts, joggers or leggings and a black sports type hoodie/jacket.

All should be picture free except for the school logo where applicable.



# Learning Overview

- This is a broad overview of the learning this year.
- Each half term, we will provide more details about our learning on the Class Webpage.
- Including Year 4 specific activities such as swimming, violin and residential.

 <b>Dovedale Primary School</b> <b>LTP Y4</b> 						
Long Term Overview 2025-2026						
Subject	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
History/ Geography	Changes to Britain from the Stone Age to the Iron Age (History focus)	Global Warming (Geography focus)	North and South America (Geography focus)	The Roman Empire and its impact on Britain (History focus)	The Roman Empire and its impact on Britain (History focus)	Fieldwork (Geography focus)
Science	Living things and habitats (food chains, classifications)	Animals including humans (digestion, teeth)	Materials - states of matter (water cycle)	Materials - states of matter (solid, liquid, gas)	Sound	Electricity
Art/DT	Drawing - buildings	Stitching	Marbling - cold water paste	Screen Printing	Hygiene - bread making	Electrical systems
Music <i>*Focus taken from the Charanga scheme of work MMC.</i>	How Does Music Bring Us Together?	How Does Music Connect Us with The Past?	How Does Music Make Improve Our World?	How Does Music Teach Us About Our Community?	How Does Music Shape Our Way of Life?	How Does Music Connect Us with The Environment?
RE <i>*Units of learning in line with the Derbyshire Agreed Syllabus 2020.</i>	What does it mean to be a Christian in Britain today? (Part 2)	What does it mean to be a Hindu in Britain today? (Part 2)	Why are festivals important to religious communities?	Why is Jesus inspiring to some people?	What can we learn from religions about deciding what is right and wrong?	Why do some people think that life is a journey and what significant experiences mark this?
PSCHE <i>*Following the PSHE matters and Christopher Winter scheme of work.</i>	Being Me	Drug Education	Changes	Money Matters	Growing Up	Being Safe
MFL <i>*Use of Language Angels to support units of work and basic Spanish pronunciation.</i>	Classroom objects/ stationary	Time - days, dates, numbers/ Christmas	Animals - hair/ eyes/ descriptions	Time	Clothes/ human body	Consolidating
PE <i>*Focus taken from TLG.</i>	Tag Rugby Gymnastics	Hockey Dance	Netball Rhythmic Gymnastics	Tennis Dance	Athletics Rounders	Football Cricket
Computing <i>*Focus taken from teachcomputing.org</i>	Computing Systems and Networks  The Internet	Creating Media  Audio Editing	Programming  A Repetition in Shapes	Data Information  Data Logging	Creating Media  Photo Editing	Programming  Repetition in Games



# Class Page

DOVEDALE PRIMARY SCHOOL  
AIMING HIGH TOGETHER

ABOUT US    KEY INFO    NEWS & EVENTS    PARENTS    CHILDREN    GOVERNORS

after the May holiday. Well done !

<p><b>NOTICEBOARD</b></p> <p>Friday updates 2nd May 2024</p> <p>Friday update 17th April 2024</p> <p>Friday updates 8th March 2024</p> <p><b>Read more</b></p>	<p><b>WELCOME</b></p> <p>Welcome to the website of Dovedale Primary School. We hope the information you find here will give you an insight into our school. If you have any further questions please do not hesitate to contact</p> <p><b>CONTACT US</b></p>	<p>Class Pages</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Phonics</li> <li>School Council</li> <li>Assembly themes and assembly videos</li> <li>Clubs and activities</li> <li>Cool Milk</li> <li>Drumming lessons</li> <li>Forest School</li> <li>P.E. Page</li> <li>Remote learning 2023 2024</li> </ul>	<p><b>UPCOMING DATES</b></p> <p>... Day</p> <p>... / 2024</p> <p>... holiday</p> <p>... 24 at 09:00</p> <p>... holiday</p> <p>... 24 at 00:00</p> <p><b>more</b></p>
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## Autumn Term 1

- **English** – Descriptive Writing, Speech and Narrative Writing
- **Maths** – Place Value, Addition and Subtraction
- **Science** – Living Things and Habitats
- **History** – Changes to Britain from the Stone Age to the Iron Age
- **PSCHE** – Being Me
- **RE** – What does it mean to be a Christian in Britain today?
- **Art** – Drawing (Buildings)
- **Computing** – Computer Systems and Networks
- **PE** – Gymnastics and Tag Rugby
- **Spanish** – Classroom Objects/Stationary
- **Music** – Violin lessons (September till February)



# Homework

- **Reading** – Please read 3 times to an adult at home to receive a merit and be part of the reading raffle draw.
- **Spellings** – These will be set weekly to learn and will be available on Spelling Shed to practice.
- **Times Tables** – We ask the children to be learning their times tables each week. This can be however works best for you including on TT Rockstars.
- **Weekly online task** – This will either be a My Maths task, a Spag.com task or a TT Rockstars battle (3 week cycle).



# Reading Diaries



Add title of book and page number as well as signature.  
x3 a week for stamp in achievements.  
Please add a \* next to your writing.

Please tick if fiction (F), non-fiction (NF) or poetry (P)

WHAT AM I READING AT THE MOMENT?

	F	NF	P
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> September 2022			
Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> September 2022			
Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> September 2022			
Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> September 2022			
Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> September 2022			
Monday 12 <sup>th</sup> September 2022			
Tuesday 13 <sup>th</sup> September 2022			
Wednesday 14 <sup>th</sup> September 2022			
Thursday 15 <sup>th</sup> September 2022			
Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> September 2022			

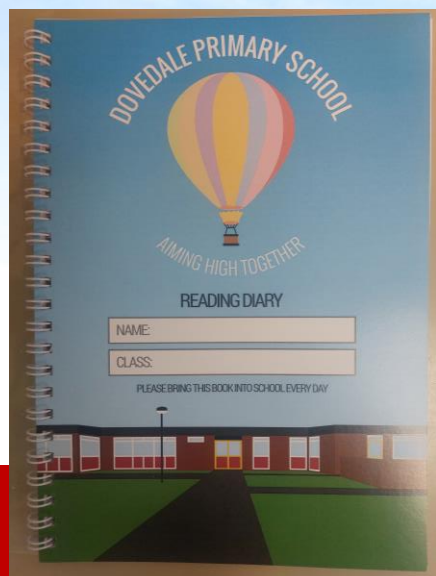
Spelling Score/Homework

★ Achievements ★

Parent Signature

School Signature

Homework slips will be placed here





# Times Tables

- It is really important that the children are learning their times tables.
- In Year 4 the children will take a government set multiplication check in the summer term (June).
- The check is completed on a computer or an iPad in school. The children are given 25 random multiplication questions and they will have 6 seconds to answer each question.
- The TT Rockstars Sound Check mode is very similar to the government check set up.



## Rewards

- Merit Charts and Class Dojo
- Table group winner
- Behaviour Ladder
- House Points
- Star of the Day
- Star of the week – REACH award



# Internet Safety

- Safeguarding including internet safety | Dovedale Primary School
- [www.dovedaleprimaryschool.co.uk/safeguarding-including-internet-safety/](http://www.dovedaleprimaryschool.co.uk/safeguarding-including-internet-safety/)





## Keep in Touch

- **Class Dojo** – Updates, reminders and photos will be uploaded on here.
- **Class Webpage** – Please check our class webpage for information regarding the curriculum, homework, spellings and key dates. I will also complete a class blog to detail the exciting things we get up to as a class!
- **Email** - [cmarriott@dovedale.derbyshire.sch.uk](mailto:cmarriott@dovedale.derbyshire.sch.uk)