

Wingrove Primary School

What we are covering this term:

In English, we will be reading and studying *The Magician's Nephew* by C.S. Lewis. The majority of our English work will be linked to this novel. Extended writing will include newspaper reports and diaries.

In Maths, we will finish learning about decimals and cover the topics: money, shape, statistics and time.

In Creative Curriculum, we will be doing lots of work which links to our theme, Ancient Egypt. We will be studying living things and their habitats in science, rivers and the water cycle in geography and the Ancient Egyptians in history.



Term Dates:

Monday 17th April – Friday 21st July

Half Term:

Monday 29th May– Friday 2nd June

Bank Holidays:

Monday 1st May and Monday 8th May

Termly Trip:

TBC

End of Year Trip:

Tuesday 18th July, Tynemouth Beach

Staff in Year 4

The members of our teaching team are:

Phase Leader:	Ms West
Class teachers:	Mrs Large Ms McCarthy
Support staff:	Mrs Leadbitter Mrs Begum
P.E. Teachers:	John Rutter and Ryan Bailey

Organisation

Children are allowed to enter school from 8.45am and must be in their classroom by 8.55am.

Lunch Time: 12.00pm until 1.00pm

Home Time: 3.15pm when children are led to the yard by their teacher.

P.E. Day: Friday

P.E. Kit Needed: T-shirt, black shorts, black tracksuit and trainers. Children should not wear jewellery. Wingrove P.E. T-shirts and hoodies are available to purchase from the office.

Forest School: Friday

Children are allowed to come to school in their forest school clothing: they must wear wellingtons, tracksuit bottoms and a sweatshirt/hoodie, hat, scarf and gloves

Uniform: all children are expected to wear a white shirt or polo shirt; grey, black or navy trousers or skirt and tights; a red or blue Wingrove sweatshirt and plain black school shoes. Headscarves, if worn, should be shoulder length and either plain black, blue or red. Selected items can be purchased from the school office.

Seven Golden Promises

- We treat people and all living things with care and understanding
- We keep our hands and feet to ourselves
- We speak with kindness, as calling names can upset or hurt others
- We take good care of our own belongings and those of others
- We look after our school and equipment to keep it clean, tidy and safe
- We welcome difference and promote lasting friendships
- We can stand up in support of someone who needs a friend.

Homework

Frequent reading for pleasure and understanding is an essential homework and has long-term benefits such as expanding vocabulary, enhancing comprehension, developing imagination and thus improving ideas for writing in school.

Weekly spellings are uploaded to Seesaw each Monday for a test in school the following Friday. Any other homework will also be uploaded to Seesaw.

Maths skills and times table knowledge should also be practised and consolidated using Mathematics and Times Tables Rockstars. The children's passwords from previous years should still work. If you require another copy of these passwords, please ask the class teacher.

The children also have log in details for Education City, where they can practise English, Maths, Science and Computing.