



# Primary 4 Newsletter



## September 2020

Welcome back to school and to Primary 4.

The children are settling into their new class and routine very well and it is lovely to have them all back at school.

### Literacy

This term in Talk 4 Writing, the children will be learning the story of Jack and the Beanstalk. This is an imaginative piece of writing with a focus on description.

We have already been working hard on our handwriting and the use of capital letters.

The children have now all been issued with their new login for Bug Club. This was a letter that they put in their bags.

It is very important that the children practise their reading for fluency and I would encourage them to go onto their account at least one a week.

There are also reinforcement maths games on these accounts.

Please let me know if you have any problems with logging on.

### Numeracy

We have started working on Place Value and have been reminding ourselves of all the double numbers. The children have been learning to recognise Roman Numerals and have been using different mental strategies like near doubles to add 2 digit numbers.



### Social Studies

We have welcomed 5 lovely caterpillars to our class to help us to learn about life cycles and how this relates to our seasons.

Our topic is Weather so I have asked the children to be aware of forecasts. We have been learning to place towns on a map of Britain.

We are learning about good hand washing routines.

Our gym days are **Tuesday** and **Thursday**.

This will be outside so the children should come dressed for gym on these days.

Please don't hesitate to get in touch through the office if you have any questions.

Mrs Burchell