

# Year 4

## News

Flourish at Hatfeild



### Welcome to Summer Term

Well we are now in our final term of Year 4 and have a lot to look forward to! We have our residential visit for those children going straight after half term. We also have our sports day, Multiplication Check and a class visit to both London Guildhall and Hampton Court Palace to look forward to too!

As always, please ensure your child comes to school dressed appropriately for the weather with a water bottle, sun hat and sun cream.

### Upcoming Events

- 23/04/26 - Imago - Class photos
- 05/05/26 - Book Fair Week
- 19/05/26 - Class 4J to Guildhall
- 20/05/26 - Years 3 and 4 Sports Day
- 22/05/26 - 4C to London Guildhall
- 25/05/26 - 29/05/26 - Half Term
- 01/06/26 - Multiplication Check Week
- 03/06/26 - Yr 4 Stubbington
- 12/06/26 - Open afternoon 2pm
- 18/06/26 - Hampton Court Palace visit
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### Times Tables

After half term, we have our year 4 Multiplication Check. This check will cover all the times tables at random up to 12x12.

Children have been practising these daily in class, but to further prepare them, please ensure you are practising these at home. There are links on Google Classroom and please continue to use the school subscription for Times Table Rockstars. There are also fun activities and a practise multiplication checker on [www.timestables.co.uk](http://www.timestables.co.uk)



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## English

This term we will be reading a diary of a Roman slave girl and using this to write our own diary in a similar style. We will be using co-ordinating conjunctions effectively and commas following fronted adverbials. We will also be furthering our understanding of inverted commas, not just to document speech but to move a story forward. After half term we will be looking at explanation texts and discussion linked to our topic to give an opinion.



## Maths

In maths this term, we will be revisiting fractions and strengthening our understanding of decimals. We will be continuing to learn our times tables ready for our multiplication check in June and looking at division, specifically the bus stop method!

Identify the decimal shown in this model

Ones Period			Decimals	
Hundreds	Tens	Ones	Tenths	Hundredths
			6	2

.01  
 $\frac{1}{100}$   
1 hundredth

.62  
 $\frac{62}{100}$   
62 hundredths

## Topic

This half-term we will be learning about the Romans and recognising some of their great inventions. We will be answering questions such as why we think they spread their Empire so far and what it would have been like to be in the Roman Army. After the half term we will be learning about the Tudors, forming an opinion on the reign of Henry VIII and looking at the reformation on the monasteries.

## Guided Reading

The 2 books we will be reading this term are 'The Girl Who Stole an Elephant' by Nizrana Farook and after half term, 'Diver's Daughter' by Patrice Lawrence. The children will be provided with a copy to share with their partner however you may wish to purchase your own copy to cement that love of reading.

