EXPECTATIONS MEETING 2025

Year 4

The Year 4 Team

- 4M – Miss Mohammed
- 4B – Mrs Booth
- -Mrs Bateman – Teaching Assistant
- Mrs Hussain - Teaching Assistant
- Mrs Bridge and Miss Townsend – HLTA (PPA Cover)



At Thornton Primary School, we are all encouraged to work together, to **believe** in ourselve
develop life skills which enable us to **achieve** our dreams and aspirations and **succeed** as



Throughout the school the TRAIN title will be displayed in classrooms and on displays and walls

Our Values

Believe, Achieve, Succeed

- **T- Teamwork**
- **R – Respect**
- **A – Achievement**
- **I – Initiative**
- **N – Nurturing**

We link our assemblies to or train values and as well as British values. This is also part of our character development.

The School Day

- The school day starts at 8:45 am.
- All children arrive via the glass door and leave via their classroom exit door.
- Mornings – Daily Reading, Maths, English and spellings
- Afternoons – other curriculum subjects
- School finishes at 3:15pm.

Children will then take part in a morning activity. This will be based around maths.



The morning will include a reading session , Maths and English.



Children will go to lunch at 12:15 until 1pm.



Afternoon sessions will include topic based work.

Example Timetable

Day	8:45-9:10	9:10 –9.30	9.30-10.25		BREAK	10.40-11.45	11.45-12.15	LUNCH TIME	1.00 - 1.15	1.15 - 2.15	2.15-3.10	
Mon	Morning Maths	Assembly Intervention Groups	**Maths**			**English**	**Spelling**		Fluency Bee	**PSHE**	**Science**	**CLASS STORY TIME**
Tues	Morning Maths **TT Rockstars**	Reading Fluency	**Maths**			**English**	**PPA Music**		Fluency Bee	**PPA PE**	**PPA Computing**	
Wed	Morning Maths **TT Rockstars**	Reading Fluency	**Arithmetic**	**Violins 9:40**		**English**	**Spelling**		Reading Time	**RE**	**French**	**Singing Assembly**
Thurs	Morning Maths **TT Rockstars**	Reading Fluency	**Maths**			**English**	**Spelling**		Fluency Bee	**History/Geography**	MTC Practice	**CLASS STORY TIME**
Fri	Morning Maths	Assembly Intervention groups	**Maths**			**English**	**Spelling**		Fluency Bee	**Art/DT**	MTC Practice Wellbeing Time 3-3:15	
	TT Rockstars x3 weekly Lightning Squad interventions PM Additional MTC Practice/Fluency Bee to replace topic when appropriate.											

Playtimes

- Children will play in the big playground
- They will have a timetabled day for the mugger Footballs/ toys are not allowed in school
- Children can bring a healthy snack or fruit. Crisps, chocolates are not allowed. Toast can be purchased through Parentpay.
- Children should have a water bottle with them every day.



Attendance



School Target

97%







Learning Environment





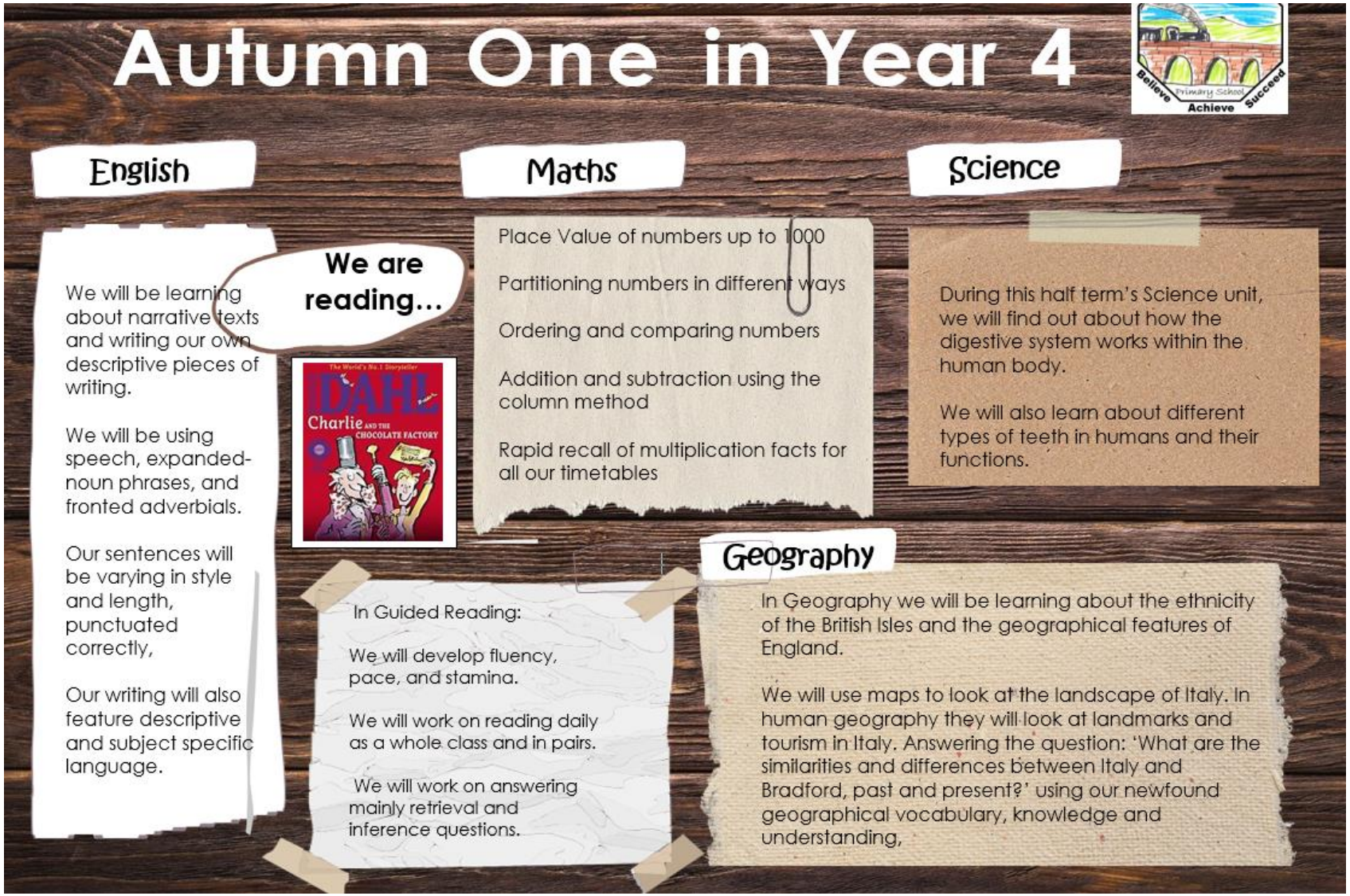


Curriculum - Autumn Term

- History - The Romans
- Geography – From Thornton to Spain
- Science – Digestive System and Teeth
- PSHE – Me and my relationships
- Maths – Place Value of numbers to 10,000

Curriculum Newsletter

- A newsletter will be sent home every half term and also put on the school website.
- It will contain information about the topics the children will be learning about



Curriculum Resources

- Rockstar Maths
- Spelling Shed
- Teams logins
- Oddizzi





School Website

- There is a page with key information on for each year group. This will be updated regularly.
- This can be found under the parents tab

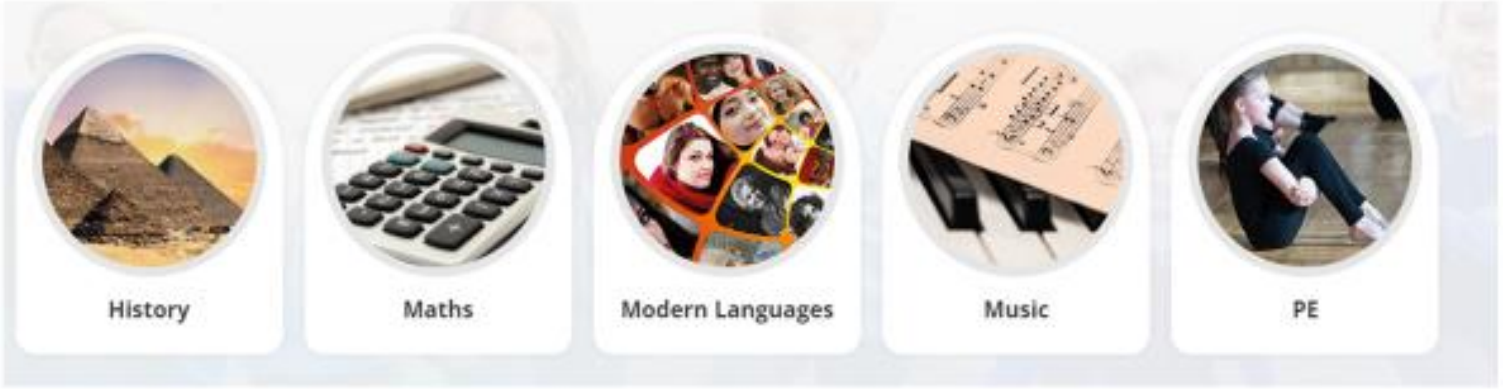




Curriculum Information



The school website also contains information about each curriculum subject.



Behaviour Curriculum

- The first two weeks will include a big focus on getting children to learn key school routines which are part of developing good learning behaviours and attitudes to learning.

Thornton Always

Thornton School Rules

Always be kind & caring We will:	Always show respect We will:	Always try your best We will:
1.Hold doors open for others. 2.Be polite and show good manners. 3.Make sure everyone feels included and valued. 4.Accept responsibility and say sorry.	1. Listen when an adult is talking. 2. Listen to pupils in our class giving ideas and feedback. 3.Give eye contact to the person you are talking to 4.Look after our equipment and share it.	1.Follow instructions -first time, every time. 2.Take part fully in lessons and show resilience. 3.Walk sensibly around our school. 4.Line up sensibly.

Active Listening Rules
Show me Five !



Behaviour Policy- Rewards



We have a positive behaviour policy



Children belong to a house and are rewarded with house points.



We will also send positive postcards home



Weekly assemblies celebrate different achievements linked to our values and phrase that pays for the week.

Behaviour Policy - Consequences

- Severe behaviour will result in an automatic break or lunch time reflection

Stepped Sanctions

- Reminder
- Name in book
- Tick next to name in book and 5 minutes reflection time
- Second tick next to name and 10 minutes reflection
- Third tick next to name 15 minutes reflection

Restorative approach – reflecting and learning

Restorative Questions

1. What has happened?
2. What were you thinking at the time?
3. Who has been affected by the actions?
4. What needs to be done to make things right?
5. How can we do things differently in the future?

There will be different activities linked with different subjects occasionally sent home to be completed by children, but our focus this year will be on times tables and there will be times tables activities sent home each week.

(Times tables check in Year 4)





PE DAYS:
Tuesday

PE Kits



- Plain white T-shirt
- Black/navy shorts
- Plain navy jogging bottoms and sweatshirt (Y1-6)
- Suitable trainers and pumps

Branded clothing and cycling shorts are not part of the approved PE uniform and should not be worn to school. If a student arrives in incorrect kit, a spare PE kit may be provided by the school for them to wear during their lesson.

Water Bottles



- Some cups and bottles have proven to be very large an practical in the classroom.
- Cups with straws and oversized water bottles are often too large for desks, prone to leaks, and at risk of being lost or damaged—causing unnecessary distraction during the school day.
- To address this, we are asking children to bring in a standard-sized water bottle with a sports cap or flip lid (not a straw or open spout).
- This will help: -Reduce classroom disruptions caused by spills or lost items - Support our ongoing efforts to simplify and streamline daily routines
- Reusable water bottles can also be purchased from the school office for £2.00

Visits

- On the 23rd October, Year 4 will be going on a visit to Murton Park (near York) to experience what life was like for the Romans!.





Residential

On Monday 22nd March – Wednesday 24th March 2027 we will be going on our Year 4 residential visit to Whitby. There are a range of activities available…







Any Questions?