



All about my new class in September!

## Meet the Year 4 team!



**Mrs McLoughlin**  
(Teaching Y3JG, Mr Garry's class)



**Miss Knowles**  
(Teaching Y3LC, Mrs Calley's class)



**Mrs Heyes**



**Miss Ward**



**Miss Flaherty**



**Miss Brown**

All of these grown-ups cannot wait to meet you and will be more than happy to help in any way.

Our new classroom will look a little like this:



But it may have slightly different displays  
and decoration.

You will remember that these are some of the things on our playground.



We will put our coats and bags in a big blue box with our names on it, as we did in Year 3.



Our new boxes will be outside our Year 4 classroom.

Here are some of the fun things we will learn about!

## Projects

### 'Discovery'



History: Mayans (250AD - AD900)

Geography: South American study

Throughout this topic, we will learn about who the Mayans were. Using atlases, we will locate and name countries in South America as well as looking at how close South America is to the equator and why this was so important for the growth of Cocoa beans. In Art we will explore Mayan design and have an opportunity to make your own Mayan Mask out of clay.

### 'Power'



History: Romans, Anglo-Saxons and Vikings (55BC - AD1066)

Geography: UK Settlements.

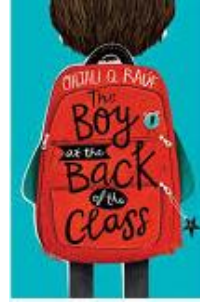
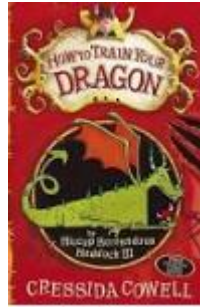
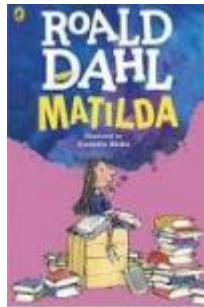
Throughout this topic, we will explore how Britain was invaded by several groups over time. We will learn about the different invaders and how they would have fought fiercely, using hand to hand combat. We will also become archaeologists looking at different objects from the past, to build a picture of how they used to live.

### Science

In year 4 we have some very exciting Science topics including: Electricity, Sound, Living things and their habitats, Animals including Humans and Changing States. These are brilliant topics to put your lab coat on and start investigating!

## Books

We will read some fantastic books together in Year 4. Here are just a few of them:



## Homework



Each Thursday, you will receive spellings to learn for the following week. We also expect you to complete maths homework on Maths Whizz, TTRS or Numbots, and you will be given English home learning too. We award dojos for all completed homework!

At Allanson Street, we always try to 'Be the best that we can be'

We expect you to be the very best you can be at all times. You will receive dojos for showing us examples of our school values: kindness, pride, integrity, respect, aspiration, independence and courage. By doing this you will earn your termly Dojo treat and be in with a chance of winning a seat at the Dojo Café every Friday.



We have so many lovely things to look forward to  
in Year 4!

But we know you may feel a little funny about  
coming back to school in September, and that is  
absolutely OK.

We will spend lots of time sharing our news,  
catching up with our friends and having fun!



We really can't wait to meet you all properly in  
September and look forward to hearing about all  
your time at home.

Love Miss Knowles, Mrs McLoughlin,  
Mrs Heyes, Miss Flaherty, Miss Ward and Miss  
Brown xxx