



Year 4 curriculum information

PE /Sports news

PE for year 4 is every **Wednesday** so please ensure your child has the correct PE kit on ready to take part in Basketball.

Curriculum focus

Geography: Our focus for this half term is Barcelona, we will be using our mapping skills to locate where the city is in the world.

DT: Levers and linkages, we will be creating different items with moving parts.

RE: Eucharist—Giving and Receiving

Science: Animals including Humans

Lenten Giving

During Lent the school we be raising money to support the much needed aid efforts in Turkey and Syria. Year 4 will take part in a sponsored dodgeball tournament.

Homework :

Every Monday children are given two sets of homework, a maths sheet and spellings which will need to be learnt by Friday.

Reading

Reading is a huge focus in year 4 and reading every night is a guaranteed way to improve word recognition and comprehension skills. Please ensure your child reads to an adult regularly and makes a note in their home reading journal.

Multiplication tables check

Reminder, in June Year 4 will be completing statutory testing to assess their fluency in recalling times tables.

<https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/multiplication-tables-check>

Please follow our year group

Twitter page **@oli_year4** and also check out our curriculum map for the rest of the year on our school website at <https://oliprimary.co.uk/year-4/>



Mrs Sergeants Desk Spring 2023

Staff news

Mrs Thomas who works in year 3 and breakfast club, will be leaving us on 10th March to begin a new career supporting adults in the community. We wish her all the best in the future and we thank her for all of her work with the children over the last 13 years in school.

E safety parent and child work-shops ✨

On **Wednesday 8th March at 9.15am**, parents are invited to come into their child's class. You will be able to work with your child and their class to explore how to keep themselves safe when online or when using social media.

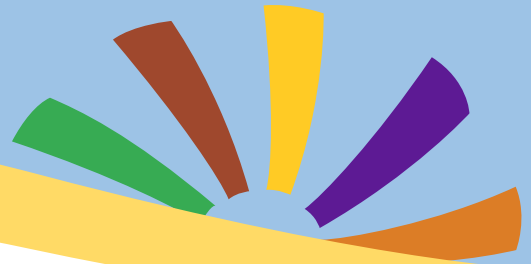
I know this is a concern for many parents so we look forward to working together to keep our children safe online.

Mothers day celebrations. Date for your diary

On Monday 20th March we will be inviting mums, nans, aunties into school to celebrate mothers day with the children . More information will follow

Spring term parents evening - Monday 3rd April

Parents will be able to book to see their child's teacher to discuss their progress so far this year. Information will follow through our school APP nearer the time.



Attendance Newsletter

Spring 2023

Welcome to our Attendance Newsletter, we wanted to share with you all our achievements and thank you for your continual support as we focus on aiming for 100% attendance every day!

Who's Who?

Our attendance team are made up of ✨

Mrs Partington—Designated Attendance Lead & Deputy Headteacher

Mrs Finnigan—Learning Mentor

Miss H Chute — Administration Assistant

Mrs Foulkes — Educational Welfare Officer

Mrs Beattie & Mrs Howarth - Governors responsible for attendance

School Council—children elected by their class to represent their class

Whole School Attendance

94.1% on 23/2/23

Our school target **97%**

The local authority are monitoring attendance across all schools in the city.

In September 2021 we were ranked **96** out of **118** primary schools.

Due to all your hard work and commitment we are now ranked

45!

Thank you

Class attendance from 1st September to 24th February

2 Year Old Room - 87.4%

Nursery AM - 94.8%

Nursery PM -86.6%

Miss Davies -91.9%

Mrs Stalker -94.15

Mrs Bowcock -94.1%

Mrs Bradley -93.6%

Mrs Rimmer -93.3%

Mrs Garrity -92.4%

Miss Hughes -93.3%

Miss Gallagher -95.3%

Mrs Brown/Mrs Partington -95.2%

Mrs Fairclough -95.5%

Mrs Thoroughgood -94.8%

Mrs Bird -96.5%

Mr Cotton -92.7%

Mrs Coulson -93.9%

OLI Attendance Yr1-6 94.1%

City Attendance Yr1-6 93.8%

National Attendance Yr1-6 93.7%

