

## YEAR FOUR



What an excellent start to the school year the Year 4 children have had! They have settled in to our new routines and learning brilliantly. We are very impressed by their positive attitudes towards learning and their keenness to follow our school code:

## 'Be Respectful, Be Safe and Be Ready'!

We are all very proud of them and think that they thoroughly deserve their half-term starting on Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> October.

All children have now had the chance to access their



TTRockstar/Numbot accounts at school. Please do encourage your child to access their account and practice regularly at home!

On their return to school on November 2<sup>nd</sup>, please ensure that your child has a number of layers of clothing with them as we will have our classroom windows open.

On outdoor P.E. days, they should have long joggers/leggings and a school sweatshirt.

(Our P.E. timetable remains the same as the first half-term)

Polite Reminder: Please can children only bring water in their water bottles. Children all need a full bottle of water with them each day. Learning is thirsty work! Wishing you and your families, a safe and enjoyable half-term break! With the end of the half-term comes the end of our first topic about the Romans.

It has been lovely hearing from parents that children are sharing their learning with them and doing more at home with their topic homework activities.

The children have really engaged and worked like historians and the conversations and discussions in classrooms have fantastic! This was especially the case when discussing The Romans vs. The Celts and Boudicca's rebellion!

In our Maths lessons, the children have learnt all about place value and how to count using negative numbers and Roman Numerals.

Over the last 2 weeks of this half-term, they are learning how to use an efficient expanded column method to add and subtract. Check out our Calculations Policy (it can be found on the website) if you want

