



# Year 4 Newsletter

Autumn 1

September 2020

## Hello and welcome to Year 4!

In the classroom this year the teacher is Mr Toubanks and Mrs Wilde supported by Mrs McRae and Mrs Millington.

The school gates open at **8:35am**, with the children ready for a **8:45am** start. Mr Toubanks would especially love to win the attendance awards this year, so see you bright and early!



And we are...(checking latest news sites), yep, we are back and open!

Woohoo! Despite still living in interesting times, we are ready for some level of normality!

This half term we are catching up on some of our lost learning from Summer term!

In English, we will be exploring stories with



flawed characters. Who wants a perfect hero? Certainly not me, everyone has good and not so good elements to their personality, and they are the most interesting characters! We will also explore the lost art of diary writing!

In Science we will explore the shadowy world of...well, shadows and light actually, discovering how light behaves, how we use its properties to help us and learn about the biggest light in the sky; the Sun!

Our history/geography is combining into one project this half term, and we



are discovering the history of Manchester and our very own home, Partington!

The school day and classroom layout may be different, but wow, it is good to be back and welcome you all back to school!

Things maybe slightly different than you remember, but we will still have fun learning and growing!

## Things to remember

### Homework:

Given out: Friday

Due in: Wednesday

PE kit: - red shorts, white t shirt and black pumps

4CT PE = MONDAY AND THURSDAY

4CW PE = THURSDAY AND FRIDAY

Spelling Test every week—don't forget to practice!

### Reading books -

Remember our expectation is 3 reads a week!

Please bring book bags in regularly so your child can swap their books!

### Important Dates:

**Friday 23rd October - Finish for October half term**

**Don't forget we are always looking for excuses to put you on Bronze, Silver or Gold!**