



HALF TERM INFORMATION UPDATE		YEAR 4
<b>ADULTS</b> 4R: Mr Raine 4B: Mr Swire and Mrs Buono <b>Supporting:</b> Mrs Taylor and Mrs Kirby		
<b>Message from the staff:</b> Welcome back to the new school year! We hope you've all had a lovely, relaxing summer and are ready for the year ahead. We are so excited to have all the children back in school. They are settling in really well and working hard already! We will communicate any messages via Seesaw (please make sure you can log in) or by text message (please check we have the correct number for you).		
<b>THIS HALF TERM'S LEARNING</b>		
<b>MATHS:</b> In Maths we will be looking at place value in numbers to 10,000 as well as addition and subtraction. We will spend any remaining time focusing on learning the times tables, before starting area and multiplication & division next half term.	<b>English:</b> This half-term we will be writing based on the amazing picture book 'Journey' by Aaron Becker. It's wordless but the pictures tell an exciting adventure story. <b>Reading:</b> We will be working on our comprehension skills.	
<b>PE:</b> PE is on Monday and Wednesday. This half term they will be working on football skills and mindfulness. Children now come to school in their PE kits on PE days.	<b>PSHE:</b> Our unit this half term is What strengths, skills and interests do we have?	<b>MFL:</b> We will be learning how to say what we can do in Spanish by learning 10 new verbs.
<b>History</b> We will be learning about what the Ancient Greeks did for us	<b>Science</b> We will be learning about teeth and digestion.	<b>Music</b> This half term we will be learning about musical structures.
<b>How parents can help at home:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Read your child's reading book at least 3 times a week. Remember to sign the reading record.</li> <li>• Read stories/books to your child that they wouldn't be able to read to themselves.</li> <li>• Visit Bramley Library. You can borrow up to 20 books! (There are no late charges anymore.)</li> <li>• Help your child learn their spellings. There will be a test every week (unless your child is in a phonics group).</li> <li>• Learn times tables with your child.</li> <li>• Label all uniform and PE kit. Now that the children are getting changed for PE, there is more risk of clothes getting lost.</li> </ul>		
<b>Days/Dates to remember:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>🌍 PE is on Mondays and Wednesdays.</li> <li>🌍 Please ensure children bring their books daily into school so we can read with them in class.</li> <li>🌍 There is a national times tables check for all Year 4 children in June. They will be tested on their knowledge of all the times tables up to the 12 x table.</li> </ul>		