



Meet The Teacher
September 2026
Welcome to Year 4 !



Who's Who in Year 4 ?



Mr Burrow
4B Class Teacher



Miss Jeffery
4J Class Teacher



Mrs Lewis
PPA Teacher



Miss Jackson
Teaching Assistant



Miss Nelson
Teaching Assistant

Miss Ranns
Teaching Assistant (1:1)

What makes this Year special?



Residential:

In Year 4, we go on a one night residential to Borwick Hall. We usually leave school on a Thursday morning and return to school for the end of the day on Friday. More details will be released in due course. We need 36 children for the trip to go ahead but there is a maximum capacity of 48 children. It has been a very successful trip and we would love for it to continue.

Other than Borwick Hall, we endeavour to go on various visits over the course of the year linking to our foundation subjects.

Residential trip to Borwick Hall



A Typical day in Year 4



4B Timetable 26-27

M	T	W	T	F
8.40-8:50 Daily Readers	8.40-8:50 Daily Readers	8.40-8:50 Daily Readers	8.40-8:50 Daily Readers and X tables on Chromebooks	8.40-8:50 Daily Readers
8.50Register				
9:00-9:20 Handwriting	9:00 – 9.20 Values Assembly	9.00 – 9.20 Singing Assembly	9:00-9:20 Handwriting	9.00-9.20 Celebration Assembly
9:20-10:20 Maths	9:20-10:20 Maths	9:20-10:20 Maths	9:20-10:20 Maths	9.20-10:20 Maths
10:20-10:35 Spelling	10:20-10:35 Spelling	10:20-10:35 Spelling	10:20-10:35 Spelling	10:20-10:35 Spelling
10.35Playtime				
11:00-12:00 English	11:00-12:00 English	11:00-12:00 English	11:00-12:00 English	11:00-12:00 English
12:00-12:10 Read to children	12:00-12:10 Read to children	12:00-12:10 Read to children	12:00-12:10 Read to children	12:00-12:10 Read to children
12:10Lunchtime				
12.55Registration				
13.00-14:00 History	13.00-15:05 Swimming	13:00-13:45 TB PPA Spanish (CL)	13.00-13:30 PSHE	13.00-14:05 PE
14:05-15:05 Art/DT	15.05-15:15 Whole class reading	13:45-14:15 Music	13:30-15:00 Science	14:05-15:05 Computing
15:05-15:15 Whole class reading		14:20-15:00 RE/Whole class reading	15:05-15:15 Whole class reading	15:05-15:15 Whole class reading
15:20Home time				

4J Timetable 26-27

M	T	W	T	F
8.40-8:50	8.40-8:50	8.40-8:50	8.40-8:50	8.40-8:50
Daily Readers	Daily Readers	Daily Readers	Daily Readers and X tables on Chromebooks	Daily Readers
8.50 Register				
9:00-9:20 Handwriting	9:00 – 9.20 Values Assembly	9.00 – 9.20 Singing Assembly	9:00-9:20 Handwriting	9.00-9.20 Celebration Assembly
9:20-10:20	9:20-10:20	9:30-12:10	9:20-10:20	9.20-10:20
Maths	Maths	EJ PPA	Maths	Maths
10:20-10:35	10:20-10:35	CL teaching:	10:20-10:35	10:20-10:35
Spelling	Spelling	Spanish Music RE	Spelling	Spelling
10.35 Playtime				
11:00-12:00	11:00-12:00	EJ PPA	11:00-12:00	11:00-12:00
English	English	CL teaching:	English	English
12:00-12:10	12:00-12:10	Spanish Music RE	12:00-12:10	12:00-12:10
Read to children	Read to children		Read to children	Read to children
12:10 Lunchtime				
12.55 Registration				
13.00-14:00	13.00-15:05	13.00-14:00	13.00-13:30	13.00-14:05
History	Swimming	English	PSHE	PE
14:05-15:05	15:05-15:15	14:05-15:05	13:30-15:00	14:05-15:05
Art/DT	Whole class reading	Maths	Science	Computing
15:05-15:15		15:05-15:15	15:05-15:15	15:05-15:15
Whole class reading		Whole class reading	Whole class reading	Whole class reading
15:20 Home time				

Tuesday- Swimming day

Friday- PE

Please send your child into school in their PE kit. Any earrings need to be removed before school.



Year 4's page on the Website

On this page you will find an overview of topics that we will be covering throughout the year along with other relevant information for your child's year group.

Year 4

4B

Class Teacher:

- Mr Burrow

4J

Class Teacher

- Miss Jeffery

PE Days

Friday and Swimming on Tuesday (Autumn term)

<https://www.dallasroad.lancs.sch.uk/Year-4/>



School Facebook Page

Keep an eye on for our latest news



<https://www.facebook.com/dallasroadprimary/>



Attendance Matters

Every Day Counts!

At Dallas Road, we want every child to thrive, achieve and enjoy learning.

Good attendance helps children:

- Build friendships and feel part of the school community.
- Grow in confidence and independence.
- Keep up with learning.
- Develop positive routines for the future.

How Parents Can Help

- Ensure your child arrives on time every day.
- Report absences to the school office as soon as possible.
- Avoid taking holidays during term time.

A lot of our
interventions
are at the start
of the day
(From 8:50)
Please be
prompt!



Keeping Children Safe

Safeguarding at Dallas Road

Safeguarding is everyone's responsibility. We are committed to ensuring all children are:

- Safe
- Happy
- Healthy
- Ready to learn

Key Safeguarding Contacts

Safeguarding Leads

Mr Newton (Headteacher)

Mrs Fairclough (Deputy Headteacher)

Mrs Long (Pupil Support Manager)

Project Evolve e-safety- Friday

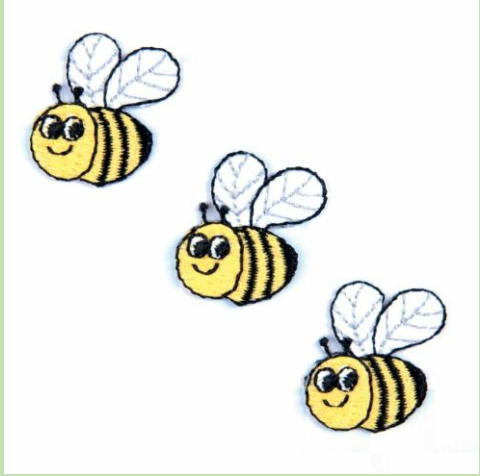
How We Support Children

- Pastoral care
- Attendance support
- Online safety
- Mental health and wellbeing
- Partnership with families

If You Have a Concern

If you are concerned about a child's safety or wellbeing, please speak to any member of staff immediately.

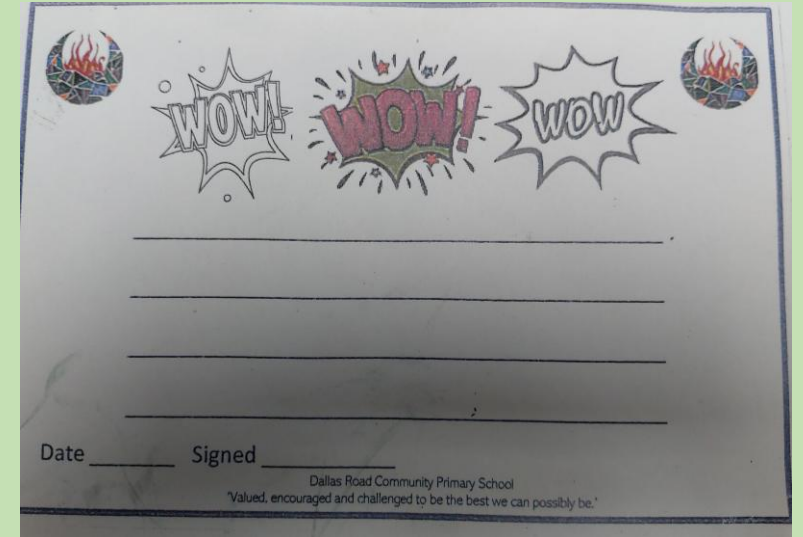
Behaviour - The Three B's



Be considerate

Be determined

Be the best you can be



School Values

Wow Cards!

Recognition Boards!

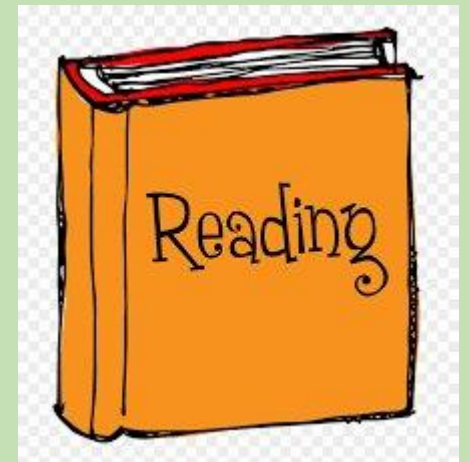
Reading in Year 4



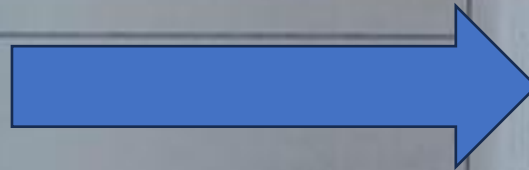
Learning to read is one of the most important developmental achievements in a child's life. It sets the stage for later school and life success.

Parents can play a key role in supporting the development of children's early language skills and can contribute towards a love of reading.

Please aim to listen to your child read for a short time **every day**.



Date	Book title and page number	Parent/Teacher/Pupil Comments
4.9.25.	The Works	I thought the poem was funny! Mr McNulty Simpson.



Date	Book title and page number	Parent/Teacher/Pupil Comments

Words to learn	_____	_____	_____
eerie	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____

Read for a bead

Sign the book every time you read.

What books are great?!

www.thereaderteacher.com/year4

Your child can read these books and/or you can read these books to your child





Assessment Information

In Year 4, we have the multiplication check which is a statutory assessment.

It is **essential** that your child practises their multiplication tables at home to build on their learning in school. We will be having weekly tests to monitor scores.

Assessment



- Multiplication check in the summer term.
- Children are expected to be able to rapidly recall all times tables up to 12x12



Assessment

- The children have 6 seconds to answer the question.
- There are 25 questions.
- The assessment is completed using a computer program.
- The test will be in June.

Free trial of spellingframe for schools - [click here for further details.](#)

Multiplication Tables Check

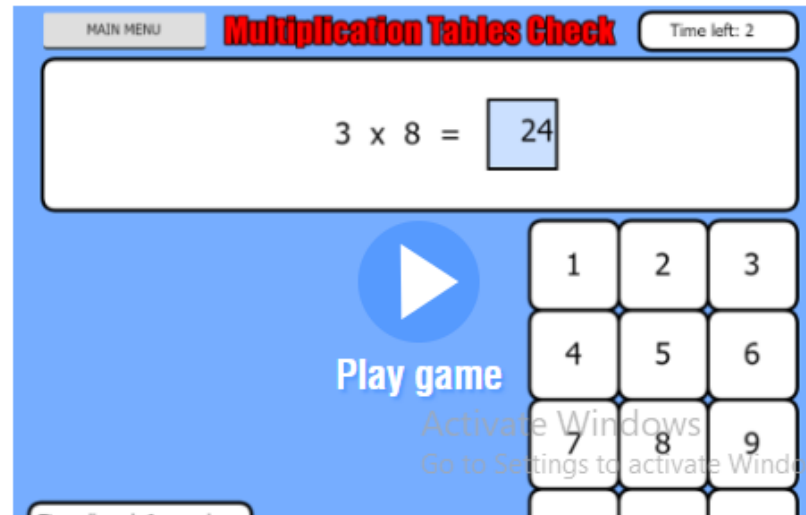
This activity exactly mirrors the 'Multiplication Tables Check' that will be given to children at the end of Year 4. They are tested on their multiplication tables up to 12 x 12. There are twenty-five questions and children have six seconds to answer each question and three seconds between questions. The questions are generated randomly using the same rules as the 'Multiplication Tables Check' (see below).

Results can be downloaded and printed at the end of the test.

A similar activity which tests recall of [number bonds](#) can be found [here](#).

For more multiplication games [click here](#).

Multiplication Table	Minimum number of items in each	Maximum number of items in each



<https://mathsframe.co.uk/en/resources/resource/477/Multiplication-Tables-Check>

How can I help with the times tables?

Super Movers: Times Tables Collection

• Ages 5-7



2 Times Table



The 4 Times Table



The 5 Times Table



The 10 Times Table



Times tables will be tested every Friday

Date	Times tables the children will be tested on
Friday 18th September 2026	2x
Friday 25th September 2026	4x
Friday 2nd October 2026	3x
Friday 9th October 2026	6x
Friday 16th October 2026	2x and 4x
Friday 23rd October 2026	3x, 4x, 6x
Half Term	
Friday 6th November 2026	3x and 6x
Friday 13th November 2026	8x
Friday 20th November 2026	4x and 8x
Friday 27th November 2026	3x and 6x
Friday 4th December 2026	9x
Friday 11th December 2026	8x
Friday 18th December 2026	9x

Children will have 6 seconds to input their answer.

Resources to help:

- Times table rockstars
- Google "Maths Frame multiplication tables check"
- Google "bbc bitesize times tables"
- Put the times tables you are learning that week in a visible place
- YouTube- times tables songs.

Top tip: Practise little and often



Home Learning

Weekly spellings – Home on Wednesday and check on the following Tuesday

Daily reading

Timestable Rockstars/Numbots – logins shared and also stuck in reading records



What children can bring into school

- Bag
- Reading record- daily
- Full water bottle- named
- Books and reading record
- Healthy snack for playtime- fruit or vegetables



No toys or trading cards

No food for birthdays



Uniform

Navy Sweatshirts or Cardigan with (school logo optional)	Navy Blue (Not PE hoodies)
Trousers, skirts or shorts	Grey, Black or Navy
Polo shirt, short or long sleeved shirt/blouse	White or Blue
Summer School Dress	Blue
Footwear	Flat black shoes or black trainers



Make-Up/Nails/Earrings/Hair

Make up must not be worn.

If earrings are worn they should be small studs and only one ear-ring in each earlobe. Earrings must be removed for PE. If possible do not wear earrings on PE days.

False nails, both stick on and acrylic, are not permitted.

Long hair should be tied back. Hair styles should be suitable for school.

There may be religious exceptions – please discuss this with us if this affects your child.



PE Uniform

Indoor kit

T-shirt in your child's house colours

Castle - Yellow

Priory - Red,

Ashton - Green

Lune - Blue

black/navy shorts, leggings or tracksuit/jogging bottoms

bare feet



Outdoor kit

T-shirt in your child's house colours

Castle - Yellow

Priory - Red

Ashton - Green

Lune - Blue

black/navy shorts, leggings or tracksuit/jogging bottom

trainers/pumps (but not trainers that have been worn as school shoes)

black/navy jumper or tracksuit top



Uniform



Top Tips:

If earrings are worn, they should be small studs and only one earring in each earlobe.

Earrings must be removed for PE.

Long hair should be tied back.



Swimming



Boys – trunks or tight, short shorts (long baggy shorts are not permitted)

Girls – one piece swimming costume (A bikini/ holiday wear is not permitted)

Swimming hats (school ones available to purchase from the office) for anyone whose hair goes in the eyes when wet.

Goggles (if permission slip completed – see class teacher or office)



Medical Information

- We require an updated medical form every academic year for asthma inhalers .
- For any other medication to be administered in school (short or long-term), a medication form needs to be completed (e.g. Calpol).
- If you require a medication form, they will be available at the end of this session or from the School Office.





Communication

We now use Arbor as our primary means of communication – look out for our messages

We use ParentPay for any payments (e.g. Breakfast Club/Lunches)

When dropping off in the morning you could ask for an adult in the playground to pass a message onto your child's class teacher.

You could call **0152464520** and ask for a message to be passed on to the relevant member of staff.

Emails can be sent to enquiries@dallasroad.lancs.sch.uk and passed on to relevant staff.

You could call **0152464520** and arrange for a telephone conversation with your child's class teacher or arrange an appointment at a mutually convenient time.

Your child's class teacher will usually be in the playground at the end of the day for pick up but please remember long conversations may not be possible at this time.

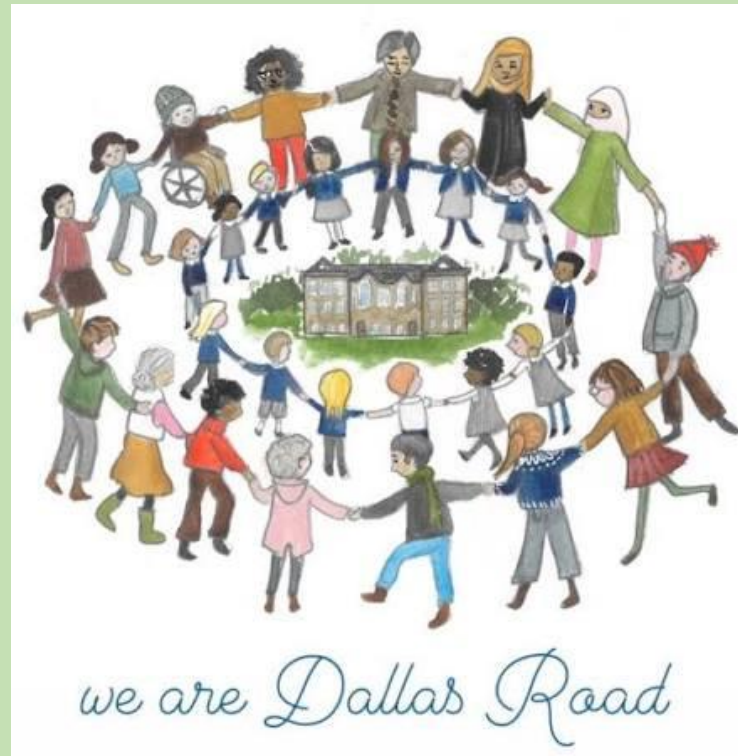


We Are Dallas Road – PTA

This year we will continue to organise discos, bake sales and fairs, all to raise funds for the school. However, we can only do this with your help, as and when you can.

Please can you check you are signed up to your class WhatsApp group so you can stay informed about our activities and how you can help.

Your class rep can add you to the list.



Other staff



Pupil Support Manager
Mrs Long



Headteacher
Mr Newton



Deputy Headteacher
Mrs Fairclough



School Business Manager
Mrs Foster



EYFS and KS1 Lead
Mrs Hudson



KS2 Lead
Mr Cullen



Maths Lead
Mr McNulty Simpson



English Lead
Miss Jeffery



Office Team
Mrs Hughes & Mrs Jones



QUESTIONS

Any Questions?...