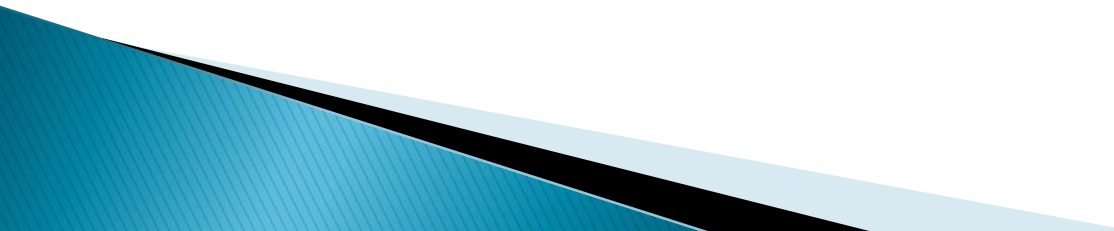


# **St Bernard's RC Primary**

**Class Information**

**Year 4**

# Staff in Y4

- ▶ Miss Copley – Teacher
  - ▶ Mrs Maguire – TA
  - ▶ Mr Fenton PE – Monday afternoon
  - ▶ Mr Pinches PE – Tuesday morning
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# Newsletters

- ▶ There will be a half termly newsletter to give you more information on what is happening each half term.

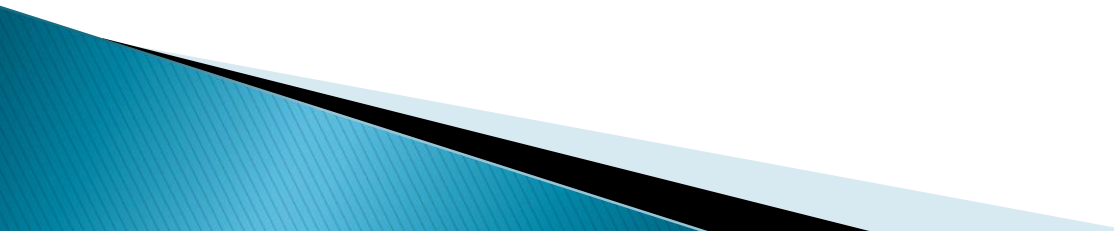
# Routines

- ▶ PE days – Monday and Tuesday.

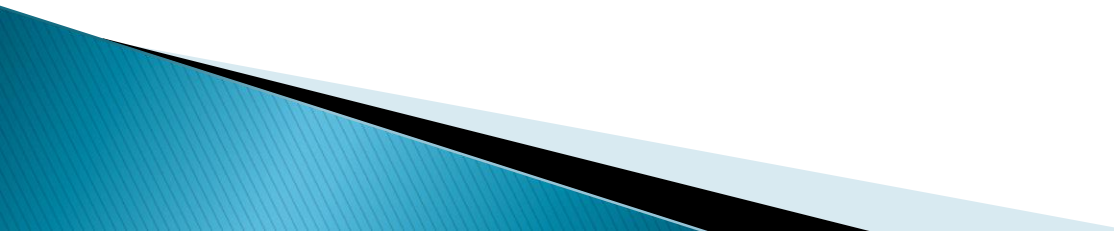
## Inside PE

- ▶ School PE kit to be worn.
- ▶ PE pumps needed for inside.

## Outside PE

- ▶ Trainers can be worn outside.
  - ▶ In colder weather when outside track suits can be worn.
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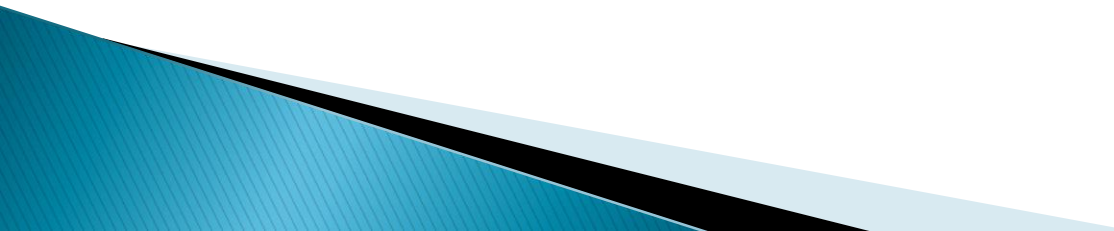
# Homework

- ▶ Homework – handed out on a Thursday, due in on a Monday.
  - ▶ Reading and times table practise expected daily.
  - ▶ Homework will be topic based. There will also be other maths and SPAG exercises sent home.
  - ▶ There will also be online homework set at times via Spag.com and Spelling Shed.
  - ▶ It is not expected that your child spends hours on a piece that they are struggling with. No more than 1 hour is expected.
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# Expectations

- ▶ That the 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 10 time tables are known at the beginning of Year 4. That times tables up to  $12 \times 12$  will be known by the end of Year 4. That there is a quick recall and that the inverse is known too.
- ▶ Daily reading practise – words unknown to looked up in a dictionary. These could even be recorded in their reading record.
- ▶ That a basic strategy will be learnt for each of the 4 operations in maths.
- ▶ That editing of work takes place effectively.

# Spellings

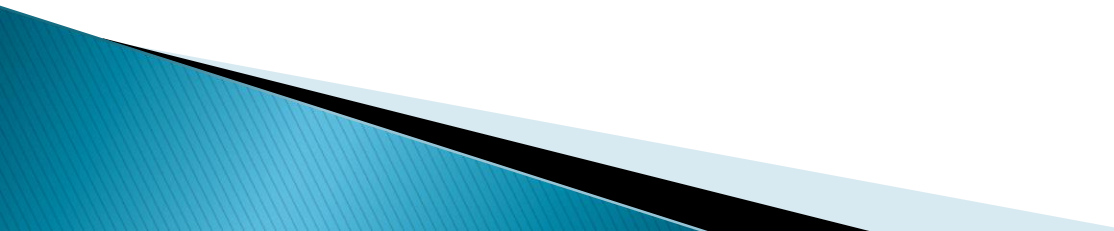
- ▶ The Y3 / Y4 spelling list has been sent home. It is a challenging list. Lots of patterns need to be learnt.
  - ▶ Weekly practise will take place in class.
  - ▶ Spelling corrections needed in their books – 3 times. This form of correction is also expected in Homework books where the word will be underlined and sp written above it.
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# Morning Fix it time

- ▶ Pupils will be expected to look at a previous piece of work and make necessary improvements. This is a valuable exercise and encourages pupils to self edit and improve their work. It is therefore essential that your child is punctual to school in the morning or this time for editing and improving will be lost.



# Behaviour Expectations

- ▶ We have a very comprehensive whole school rewards and sanctions system in school.
  - ▶ The children from Y1 to Y6 fully understand the system.
  - ▶ Teachers are consistent with their approach and use it effectively too.
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# Rewards

- ▶ Rewards include raffle tickets, stickers, house points, prizes and all children from Y1 to Y6 work towards receiving **Golden Time** at the end of the week on a Friday afternoon.
- ▶ Children are encouraged to bring something in from home to play with that is not electrical or extremely valuable.

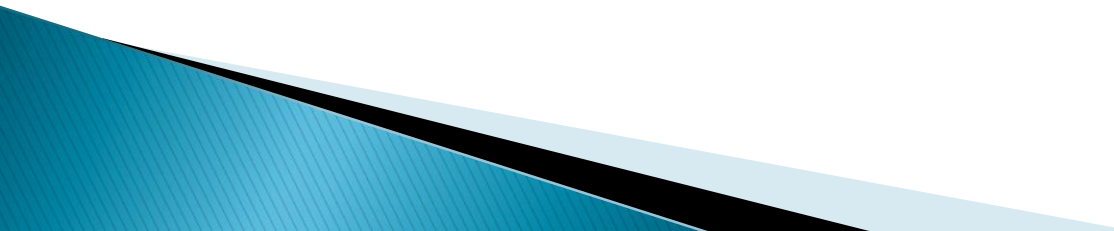
# Sanctions

- ▶ Children who have received a full warning will miss 5 minutes of golden time for every day they receive a full warning. Verbal warnings are issued prior to the full and this is often enough for behaviour choices to change. This is not the same as a full warning and no golden time has been lost at this time.
- ▶ If they receive 3 warnings on one day this results in a blue slip – whereby parents are informed of behaviour choices that a child has made.
- ▶ If behaviour continues to decline after a blue slip has been issued then a child may face being red carded – this means parents are asked to come and pick the child up and return the following day for a meeting with Mrs Doodson. This is very rare – please don't panic!!!

# Assessment

- ▶ Half termly assessments for Reading, Writing, Maths, SPaG.

# Internet Safety

- ▶ Your child has signed up to the internet safety policy we have in school.
  - ▶ The children also take part in age appropriate internet safety lessons.
  - ▶ It is your parental responsibility to ensure that child stays safe whilst at home by setting parental controls on items such as: games stations, TVs, social media sites.
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**Thank you for attending.  
Your support is always  
appreciated.**

Please remember we have an open door policy.  
If you've any questions regarding school please see  
class teacher and not ask at the School Office –  
Office staff are not class based and therefore not the  
best placed to answer your questions.