

# Year 4 Raven Newsletter Term 4 (2022/2023)



Our whole school theme this term is Travel.

A lot of our lessons will be based around travel, including how the infrastructure of The Channel Tunnel changed Kent. This will be our History focus. We may have a school trip to Samphire Hoe to learn more about this.

#### Homework:

Year 4 will have homework set at the end of the week to support their in-class learning. Spelling Shed, Doodle Maths, and reading should be practiced every week. These will be set on SeeSaw and the writing task should be completed in their homework books.

Year 4 children have a Multiplication Check to complete at the end of this year set by the Government so extra times table tasks on Doodle Tables and Purple Mash are also available.

We would appreciate your support in this as having a solid grasp of their tables does really help their Maths learning in the following years.





## Spring is on its way!!

Welcome back Ravens. Term 4 brings more sunlight, flowers and the second half of the school year.

This newsletter outlines this term's learning. It should contain all of the information you need for Term 4, however if there is anything you would like to talk to us separately regarding your child, please contact the school office and we will be happy to make an appointment to see you, or speak to a member of staff at the end of the day.

#### Key dates:

Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> Feb-Parent consultations

<u>Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> Feb</u>-Ashford Primary singing workshop day at Highworth School

<u>Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March-</u> World Book day

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March-Red Nose Day

<u>Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March-</u> End of term 4

<u>Monday 15<sup>th</sup> April-</u> Start of term 5

### Who is in Team Ravens?

Miss Holmes will continue to teach Ravens on a Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday and Mrs Thompson continues to work Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. We are very lucky to have some amazing support staff in our class. Over the week, children are supported by Mrs Coleman, Mrs Price, Miss Martin, Mrs Dawkins and Mrs McGrath.

#### Water Bottles:

Please make sure your child brings a water bottle into class. These should be clearly labelled with their name.

#### <u> PE:</u>

In Year 4 we will be continuing with PE every Friday. Please make sure you are wearing the correct PE kit to school every week. This means; your house colour T shirt, black or blue shorts/joggers and a school jumper. PE often takes place outside, therefore children will need appropriate kit for cold weather.



We LOVE reading at Phoenix!! Please encourage your child to read at home daily. There are lots of prizes for improved readers, hitting individual targets, word counts and much more!