

**Important Dates**

**22.04.25** – School closed (Bank Holiday)

**23.04.25** – Start of term

**02.05.25** – May Day Parade

**05.05.25** – School closed (Bank Holiday)

**15.05.25** - CENSUS Day

**16.05.25 -** Art and DT showcase

**23.05.25** – End of half term

**04.06.25** – School re-opens

**02.06.25 – 13.06.25 –** Year 4 Multiplication Check

**18.07.25** – End of Summer term

**Family Breakfast**

**29.4.25 –** French

Dates for Family Breakfast in Summer 2 to be confirmed.

**Our Year 4 trip**

Our Year 4 trip is in the process of being organised and more information will be sent out W/C 28th April so look out for your letter! We will be visiting Malham Cove and will also be completing some field work whilst we are there!

**PE**

Our PE is on a Thursday. Please come to school dressed in your full kit: black jogging bottoms and hoody top with a house colour t-shirt. Make sure that your water bottle is brought in and full especially on PE days.

**Reading**

At Clayton Village, we want all children to be readers and it is a value we encourage. Not only for academics but more for joy and escapism from the everyday world.

Children in Year 4 should read at **least 3 times a week.** They do not need to read aloud to an adult but you are encouraged to ask your child questions about what they have read. We will have a weekly timetabled ‘Book Talk’ session where children and staff can share and recommend their favourite books. We will also have a daily DEAR (drop everything and read) session where children can enjoy their reading book.

We will be visiting the library fortnightly so your child will have another opportunity to select a book.

**Water Bottles**

Children are encouraged to bring water bottles to school as it is important that we are hydrated so we can work and be focused fully. Children are not to bring water bottles with spray functions on them.

These will be stored by the sink and children will be encouraged to drink these at playtime and lunchtime. If a child requires a drink during a lesson, it is the teacher’s discretion to find a suitable time.

**Year 4 Multiplication Check**

Year 4 will be completing the statutory Year 4 Multiplication check between Monday 2nd June – Friday 13th June. Attendance of children is crucial during this time period.

**Mr Devanney & Miss Corriette**

Year 4- Greta Thunberg

Welcome back after the Easter Break and our last term in Year 4!

It’s a busy one, so please keep a note of the important dates.

**Summer Curriculum**

In Summer term, we are going to be focusing on Ancient Greece. We will be looking at how the Ancient Greeks influenced western civilization.

In Science, we will be focusing on electricity and sound. In electricity, we will be looking at the components of a simple circuit then recognising conductors and insulators. In sound, we will be looking at how sound travels and finding patterns between the volume of a sound and the strength of the vibrations that produced it.

In Geography, we will be answering the enquiry question ‘What attracts tourists to China?’. We will be looking at where China is in the world and the human/ physical features of the country.

Our Summer term medium term plan will be shared on the website so you can have a look at what we are covering in all of the other subjects.