

William Murdoch Primary School

Year 4 Autumn Term Newsletter 2025

Year 4 Staff

Y4.1 - Mr R Panichi (Team Leader)

Y4.2 - Miss R Begum

Y4.3 - Mr J Cooke

Year 4 Support Staff

Mr R Harris

Mrs S Gaddu

Holidays

Half-Term

Thursday 23 October 2025

Return to School

Monday 3 November 2025

End of Term

Friday 19 December 2025

Return to School

Tuesday 6 January 2026

Key Events

Staff Training Days

Monday 1 & Tuesday 2

September 2025

Friday 24 October 2025

Monday 5 January 2026

School Photographs

Tuesday 30 September 2025

Parents' Evening

Wednesday 8 October 2025

Festival Assemblies

Year 4 - Diwali

Thursday 23 October 2025

Year 2 - Guru Nanak's Birthday

Friday 7 November 2025

Year 3 - Christmas

Friday 19 December 2025

Nursery - Nativity

Tuesday 9 December 2025

Nursery AM at 9.00am

Nursery PM at 2.15pm

Year 4 Good Work Assemblies

Friday 3 October 2025 at 9.00am

Friday 28 November 2025 at 9.00am

Welcome

Welcome to the new academic year at William Murdoch Primary School. In order to strengthen the home/school partnership, this newsletter aims to inform you of the topics being covered by your child this term and of any special events taking place.

Maths

Place Value - 4-digit numbers

Addition & Subtraction

Multiplication & Division

Measures - area

English

Revising simple and compound sentences.

Writing compound sentences with a semi-colon.

Writing sentences with subordinating conjunctions (before, after, even though, because, when, although).

Understanding differences between main and subordinate clauses.

Science

The Human Body

Classification of Plants & Animals

Geography

Spatial Sense

Mediterranean Europe

History

Life in Ancient Rome

The Roman Empire

Art

Light

Space

Modern Foreign Language

Latin

Trips

Buddhist Temple

TBC

PHSE

Being Me in My World

Celebrating Difference

RE

Buddhism

PE

Tag Rugby

Volleyball (Please ensure your child has appropriate sportswear)

Y4.1 - Wednesday and Thursday

Y4.2 - Thursday and Friday

Y4.3 - Thursday and Friday

Computing

Debugging

Coding

Programming Skills

Internet Safety

Project Topic for this Term

Ancient Egypt

Homework

English, Spellings, Maths and Science homework will be given out between Monday and Thursday depending on the class timetable.

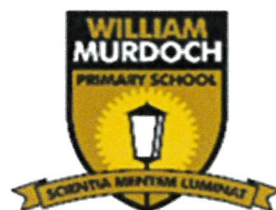
Homework related to Knowledge Organisers will be posted on Class Dojo on Fridays.

Children should be reading 20 minutes daily to an adult. Comments should then be left in their reading journals.

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