Dear Parents and Carers.



We hope you have all had

a relaxing half term and children are ready for a new chapter in Year 4!

How Parents/Carers can help at home...

- Continue to encourage your child to and /or listen to your read at least 3x a week
- Encourage your child to practise times tables up to 12x12
- Support and encourage your child to use computers/ technology in a safe and secure way.

Please remember that we are always very happy to see you if you would like to find out more about the learning in Year 4, or talk about any concerns you may have.

Dates for your Diary

Monday 4^{th} and Wednesday 6^{th} March 2019 - Parents' Evening - I have lots of wonderful news to share with you about your children's progress, so please come and see me.

Thursday 7th March 2019 - World Book Day.

Week commencing 11th March 2019 - Science Week.

Thursday 21st March 2019 - Space Camp Overnight Stay.

<u>Tuesday 2nd April 9.00-10.30</u> - Maths Open Morning - Come and have a look and see how we do Maths in Year 4!

Friday 5th April 2019 - Last Day of Term.

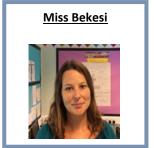
Thank you, Year 4 Team





Nine Acres Primary School Spring Term 2

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Parent Information Leaflet



'Striving for Excellence'

Year 4 - Spring 2 2019 - Theme: I am Warrior! - continued

English

The children will be travelling into the magical world of Narnia this half term with our focus text, 'The Lion, The Witch and The Wardrobe'. This traditional yet fascinating story will inspire

children to learn more about the author and write his biography, write poetry in different styles, to describe a setting effectively and write a holiday destination leaflet advertising Narnia!



RE

Rituals - Paschal Candle
Children will learn about the
importance of rituals, why the
Paschal candle is important in
Judaism, children's
experiences of rituals and their
importance in our lives.

Science - Living things and their habitats

We are going to explore the school grounds in search for living creatures, plants and animals alike. I wonder what we will find! We will learn to recognise that living things can be grouped in a variety of ways, explore and use classification keys to help group, and identify and name a variety of living things in our local and wider environment. If you



We will cover many exciting areas this half term, including decimal numbers with measures and money - perfect opportunity to help children learn in real life context at home. We will continue to use the taught methods to carry out the four operations, and we'll

learn more about digital and analogue time.



Theme - I am Warrior!

Another exciting half term awaits! Have you ever thought about how you may have lived if you were part of the Roman empire? We are continuing to learn all about the Romans and research their way of life and what they did for us. We will place important events on a timeline

and we'll explore England's geography to identify the places they settled in and see what legacy they have left behind. We will also be researching the lives of Roman celebrities - Gladiators!



PE

have any interesting animals,

please let us know!

Please ensure children have their PE kits in school every day. We always have extra opportunities to exercise so its important we are always prepared!

