



HALF TERMLY FOCUS

Y4

Autumn 1 2025

MATHS

Place Value
Addition and Subtraction
Multiplication and Division
Fractions

ENGLISH

Setting description, blog entry, narrative story
Oral - Presenting ideas and writing to the class
Handwriting—improving cursive skills and presentation
Year 4 Age Related Expectations spelling and grammar

FOUNDATION SUBJECTS

Geography

Developing geographical enquiry skills through our topic about settlements and land use. This will include looking at the Isle of Wight and more specifically Ryde, asking what has changed in the local area over time and identifying patterns and reasons for this.

DT

The children will learn about healthy eating and what is needed to make a balanced meal. They will also make a healthy snack.

Music

Learning to play the recorder and listening to baroque music.

SCIENCE

Developing scientific enquiry through learning about living things and their habitats.

Computing

Turning music into code, making a quiz and making an algorithm to instruct on how to make a sandwich.

RE

We will be exploring the meaning of *transformation* in Christianity and Hinduism.

PSHE

A focus on relationships and establishing how to develop a Growth Mind-set.

Ideas to support continued learning at home

Please practice times tables at home in preparation for the Multiplication Tables Check.
Please try to read regularly at home with your child.

Useful websites for times tables:

<https://mathsframe.co.uk/en/resources/resource/477/Multiplication-Tables-Check>

<https://www.timestables.co.uk/>

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/>

Trips/Visits/Events/Routines/ Notes to parents

Residential trip - 25th-27th March 2026

Multiplication Test - June 2026
Children will have to answer 25 times table questions and answer each question in 6 seconds. This test will be online.