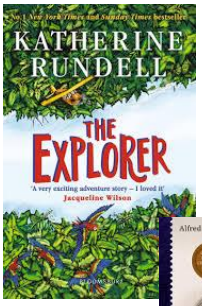
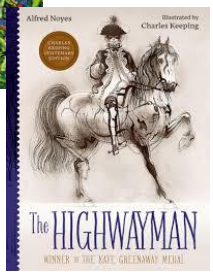
Class 4 Autumn 1

Newsletter

Our class texts...





Key Learning this term...

I have been so looking forward to working with Class 4 this year! I hope you all had a wonderful summer and are raring to got learning once more!
This term, St Giles will be reflecting on the value of Compassion in classrooms and in Collective worship.
Literacy: We will be debating and writing a balanced argument about whether we should be able to tell the Brazilian government how best to tackle rainforest deforestation; writing a newspaper and an information text. All of our work will relate to our class book: "The Explorer" by Katherine Rundell. We will also be studying The Highwayman by Alfred Noyes for this term's poetry focus.
Maths: We will focus on Place value and then move on to addition and subtraction.
Science: Our topic is 'Forces' this term
Geography: We will be learning about world rivers and building on our knowledge on river features from Y4.
RE: Our area of focus this term is called: "Science and Creation"
DT: In our Design and technology lessons this term we will be designing and making a bridge
Art: This Unit is named: 'I need Space' The children will be focused on drawing techniques.
PE: Will be focused on invasion games – Tag Rugby
Spelling test: We will be giving out weekly spelling lists on Monday and will test on a Friday Morning. Please help your child to learn the spelling words at home.
Homework: Our homework will be set on a Wednesday and then looked at by the class teacher by the following Wednesday.

Dates for the diary...

Wednesday 10th September – meet the teacher evening

Reminders...

Please ensure your child has a water bottle and their book bags in school each day.

PE kits should stay in school until the end of each half term. All PE kits should include a pair of trousers for outdoor sports. PE is on **TUESDAY** afternoons.

All school items should be clearly labelled.

Please make sure you child's planner and book come into school everyday for us to read, change and stamp.

Recommended Read!

Mr Williams recommends:

You can never go wrong with a Roald Dahl book. The Twits is one of our favourites and is a great book to read yourself or share with a grown up before bed time. Roald Dahl day is on the 13th September each year so why not head over to www.roalddahl.com for some fun activities!

Our Theme in Collective Worship is:

Thankfulness