



Aycliffe Village Primary School

Great oaks from tiny acorns grow

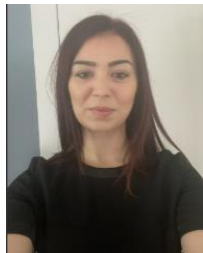
Silver Birch Class

Spring 2023 Newsletter



Mrs J Garlick Class Teacher

What an amazing start to the Spring Term we have had. I can't wait to see what exciting things we get up to!



Mrs E Mawson PPA Cover Teacher

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Welcome to the Spring Term in **Silver Birch Class**. I am delighted to be working with your children, they have began the new year with a brilliant start.

We have had a great start to the term and have already learnt so much!

In Maths, we have been focusing on multiplication and division. We have this week be learning all about multiplying and dividing numbers by 10 and 100. It would be great if the children could spend 5 minutes a day on TTRockstars to further improve their confidence with their times tables.

In English, we have been writing a range of fantastic genres including letters, stories and descriptions. The children have been working hard to use fronted adverbials and noun phrases in their writing and have produced some incredible stories.

During the next half-term in History, we will be learning all about the Romans. The children will be completing lots of research using a wide range of sources.

Mrs Mawson will be teaching the children on a Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday afternoon this half-term. In this time, the children will be learning about Music, French, PE, Computing, History and RE.

Things to Remember:

On **Wednesday and Thursday** every child in Year 4 will participate in a **PE lesson** and will need a PE kit (white t-shirt, navy blue shorts or jogging bottoms and plimsolls/trainers) for both the indoor and outdoor environment. PE kits should be brought into school and it would be great if PE kits could be left in school - we will send it home every half term to be checked and washed.

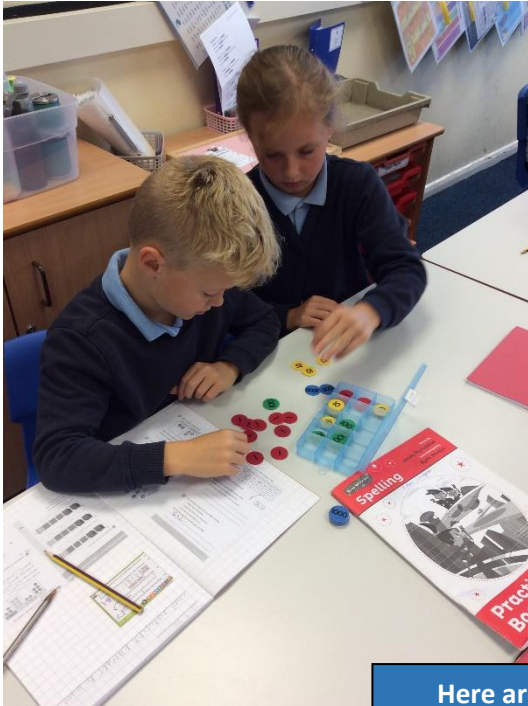
Each child will be given two reading books per week. One book is a book band book and the other is a book to enjoy. Homework will be sent home on a Friday; please can this be returned by the following Thursday.

Dates for the diary:

WB Monday 6th February: Internet Safety Awareness Week; all children will be completing some work around internet safety.

Thursday 9th and Friday 10th February: Adam Bushnell the author will be visiting us in school to deliver some inspiring writing sessions.

Thursday 9th March: School trip to Segedunum Roman Fort.



Here are some photos of our fabulous practical Mathematics work from the last half term!

