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Welcome to Class 4

<u>Class Teachers</u> - Mrs Clarke (Monday & Tuesday) and Mrs Fardon (Wednesday, Thursday & Friday)

Classroom Support - Mr Bolton

Teachers' Planning Time - Mrs Bolton and Mrs Ward

Welcome to Class 4! We are really looking forward to seeing you in our classroom upstairs in September. As the oldest class in the school, you will have lots of opportunities to take on responsibilities throughout school and model our behaviour expectations to our younger children. We already have some exciting trips planned, including our end of year residential! Mrs Fardon has taught the upcoming Year 5s before and is very much looking forward to being their teacher again.

Although we have both taught at Spofforth for a number of years (10 for Mrs Fardon; 6 for Mrs Clarke), the past year has been the first time we have shared a class together and we have really enjoyed it! We are both committed to ensuring that all children feel valued, understood and have the opportunity to showcase their passions in order to bring out their individuality and celebrate their uniqueness. Our relationships with the children are the foundation of our teaching and we strive to help children develop as people, not just as learners. Mrs Fardon lives in York and loves Disney, gardening and singing. Her favourite time in a typical week is whole school singing assembly and she loves teaching English, RE and Art. Mrs Clarke lives locally in Harrogate and enjoys spending with her family, going for walks to explore new places and baking. During school time, Mrs Clarke really enjoys teaching History and Geography and one of her favourite times with the children is spending time listening to what everyone has been up to over the weekend.

We hope that you have a wonderful summer with plenty of rest in preparation for the exciting challenges that Year 5 and 6 bring. If you need to speak to us about anything, please book an appointment.

Thank you in anticipation of your support.

Mrs Fardon & Mrs Clarke

Class 4 Teachers

Topics and Curriculum Coverage Next Year

Each term you will receive a curriculum overview with details of all the coverage for that term More detailed overviews can be found on the school website. If you have any questions/queries about any of the topics then please just ask.

https://follifootandspofforth.co.uk/curriculum-intent-implementation/

Maths, English and Reading will be taught daily in Class 4 and these usually take place during the morning. During the afternoon we will be teaching our foundation subjects which as you know are blocked together.

How you can support your child at home

The children work very hard whilst they are in school and it is important they have time to rest. However, if you would like to support you child at home then daily reading and Times Table Rockstar will help to improve their fluency in times tables and reading.

If you need any support with work/ideas of things to do at home then please ask and I will be happy to help.

Other class routines including PE

PE - P.E lessons will be on a Tuesday and Thursday. Your child will need to wear their full PE kit on these days.