

### Diary Dates

28 Feb 2019 – Talent Contest Finals for Y3/4  
 4 Mar 2019 – Class Photographs  
 5 Mar 2019 – Talent Contest Winners Performance to KS2  
 6 Mar 2019 – Talent Contest Winners Performance to FS/KS1  
 7 Mar 2019 - World Book Day  
 8 Mar 2019 – Talent Contest Winners Performance to Parents  
 11-15 Mar 2019 – Y4 Assessment Week  
 14 Mar 2019 – PTFA Meeting at 1930  
 29 Mar 2019 – PTFA Spring Disco  
 2 + 4 Apr 2019 – Y3/4 Parent Consultation Evenings  
 3 Apr 2019 – Decorated Easter Hat Parade  
 5 Apr 2019 – End of Spring Term 2  
 23 Apr 2019 – Start of Summer Term 1



### Play Performance Dates

This term we will be performing our play 'Roald Dahl's Cinderella' which will be split into individual classes. The time for the performances is 6pm and the dates are:

Y4B— Thursday 28th March  
 Y4P— Monday 1st April  
 Y4L— Wednesday 3rd April

We look forward to performing these to everyone!

### French Day

During this term we will be holding a French Day where we will be learning about the days of the week, colours, French history as well as Art. It'll be a great time to explore a new language and culture.



## CURRICULUM OFFER



### YEAR 4

### SPRING 2 2019



### THE POWER OF READING

#### 'I was a rat' - Phillip Pullman



'I was a rat' follows the story of Roger, a small boy, who turns up on the doorstep of Joan and Bob's house in the middle of the night! A strange boy with even stranger tales about life as... a RAT! An alternative title to the book is the 'Scarlet Slipper' narrative about Princess Aurelia— a story similar to Cinderella which is our play this term!

We will be using this fantastic book to aid writing diary entries and persuasive writing.

### SPORTS

This term in our P.E sessions we will be focusing our PE sessions on gymnastics, dance. 4L will be finishing swimming sessions this term on a Monday afternoon., then 4P will start their swimming on the 11th March.

29th March Quick Sticks Hockey 4,5,6 (Grantham)

**MUSIC** – Practising and performing the songs for our play.

**ART** – Creating pop up portraying characters from our play using our DT skills to select suitable materials.

**PSHE— Relationships**

**ICT—** E-safety (cyberbullying).

### Science Week w/c 11th March

#### Thinking Scientifically!



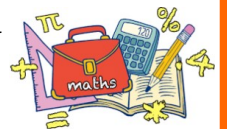
This term we'll be continuing to look at how to approach different situations scientifically and use our skills as scientists to solve them. Children may bring in science experiments or demonstrations to our **Year 4 Science Fair**.

If any parent has a **STEM-based job** and would be willing to come and talk to the children please contact your child's teacher.

### Maths: Decimals, time and money

Our focus in Maths will be on using existing skills to master decimals and money, while also learning new skills to understand time.

Daily, we will still be practising our mental maths especially times tables (both as multiples and divisions) to help us become great mathematicians and apply it to Arithmetic.



### Year 4 Online Times Table Practice

This year the government have introduced an online times table assessment for Year 4 children (more information will follow about this). They will only have 6 seconds to answer each question!

This term we will continue **Times Table Rockstars** as homework and during weekly ICT lesson. **Who will be the champions?**

