

WELCOME TO YEAR 4

Hazel Class

Mrs. Atkinson

(Mon, Tues and Wed)

Mrs Duysak

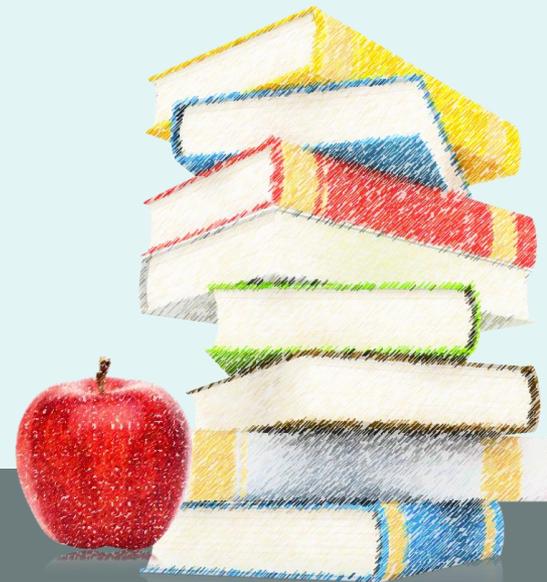
(Thurs & Fri)

Mrs Dalziel, Mrs Wan, Mrs Cox

Beech Class

Mr Hurrell

Mrs Duke
Mrs McKenzie,
Mrs Blake



YEAR 4

Curriculum

Details on website

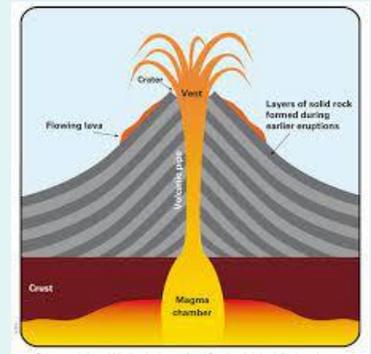
Our topics this year include:

Ancient Egypt



The Romans

Italy



Volcanoes and Earthquakes

The Rainforest

States of Matter

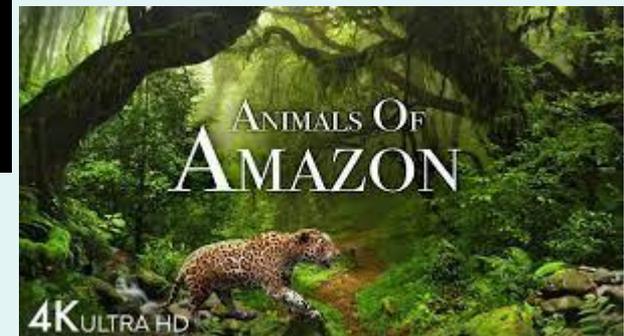
Electricity



Sound

Digestion

Habitats and food chains



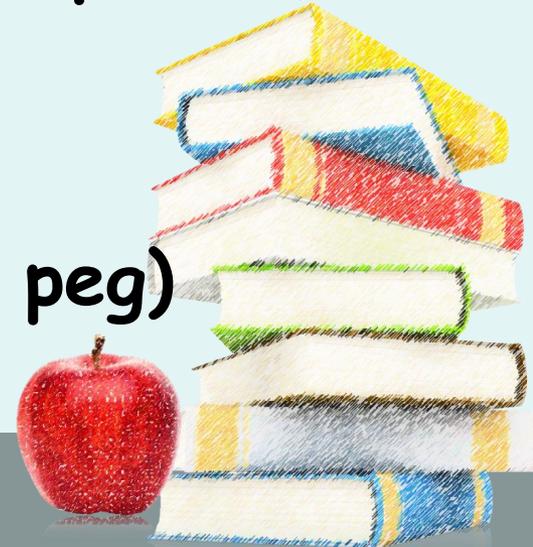
Uniform

- PLEASE MAKE SURE
- EVERYTHING IS NAMED.



Please bring a:

- named waterproof coat everyday
- Named water bottle (only water please)
- Named fruit
- No jewellery
- Black shoes (trainers in bag on peg)



PE - Kit etc.



- PE is on Monday (Beech) Tuesday (Hazel) and Thursday
- Please come into school in PE kit and school shoes.
- Trainers to be kept in school in PE bag on peg.



- Children should not wear earrings (except silver and gold studs) and will need to remove them if they have them. Please do this at home rather than children having to take them in and out at school.
- All items must be named.

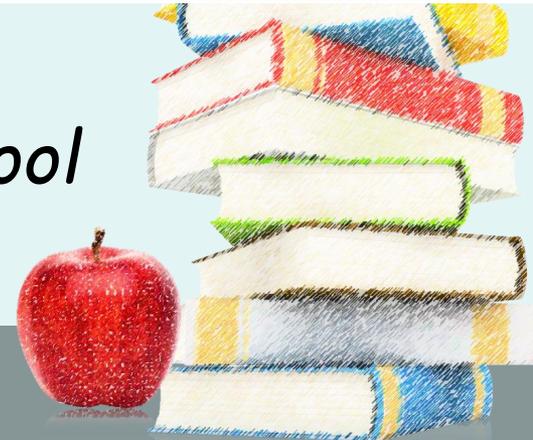


Please can the children bring a small pencil case.

- blue Berol-type or Stabilo Handwriting pen.
- pencils
- 15cm ruler or foldable 30cm ruler
- rubber
- pencil sharpener
- coloured pencils
- glue stick
- non-permanent whiteboard pen
- small scissors
- highlighters (optional)
- ***Please ensure all items are named.***

All items available at cost from the school stationery shop, every lunchtime.

Please order via Scopay



Working together

- Home learning

Please also see separate Home Learning Summary



READING

- Reading in School - Reading at Home.
- Children can borrow books from School or read books from home.
- Please make sure they have their current reading book with them every day.
- Please encourage your child to read 5 times a week and at least twice a week with an adult and to complete their Reading Records.
- Remember to 'sign/comment on' the Reading Record when you have read with your child.

Return the reading record every day.

Each Friday, Team points will be given out (5TPs) for handing this in with each day completed and a parent comment.

Useful websites:

- School Reading List - recommended books for Y4
- WHSmith top 10
- Love Reading 4 kids
- Amazon - recommended for you



Accelerated Reader

What is it?

- Accelerated Reader (AR) enables us to match reading books to children's reading ability and helps teachers to assess, manage and monitor reading.

How does it work?

- Children from years 3 - 6 have been assessed in school using Accelerated Reader. Each child has a colour banded book.

How can you check if a book from is on AR?

- Parents can visit <http://www.arbookfind.co.uk> to search all of the available books with AR quizzes.
- If it's not there, then children can still read the book, but we encourage them to also have a book from school that is colour matched to their ability.

Quizzing

- When your child has finished reading their book, they can take a quiz online at home. This is a really useful way of seeing what they have learnt. Quizzes are best taken **within 24 hours of finishing the book.**
- They can earn badges for the number of words read - bronze 100k, silver 500k and gold 1 million +



How to log in

Renaissance
See Every Student.

St Paul's CofE (Aided) Primary School

Student Log In

[I'm not a student](#)

Username Please fill in this field.

Password Forgot Password?

Log In

Login details
are in the
back of
children's
reading
records

IMPORTANT 😊

We have a microsite with Accelerated Reader so *the only* way to log on is via this link: <https://global-zone61.renaissance-go.com/welcomeportal/6712704>

- Click on 'Accelerated Reader'

Renaissance



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Home

Practice



Accelerated Reader

Star Assessments

English



Star Early Literacy



Star Reading

Assignments

Showing

All Assignments

From

Everyone



No assignments at this time

- Enter the book title

REINFORCE

Accelerated Reader

Search for Books, Articles, or Quizzes

Enter a Title, Author, Quiz Number, or Keyword

Search

Help me find a book

- Click on 'Take Quiz'

Fox

Book

By Matthew Sweeney

Gerard is affected by the usual disadvantages when he moves to a new city and starts a new school. ...

ATOS Level **4.9**

Lexia® Level **770**

Interest Level **MY**

Points **4.0**

Quiz **206374 EN**

Language **English**

Take Quiz

Spelling Homework



- Spelling Homework in KS1 and 2 will be set **weekly** using Spelling Shed. This will allow children to learn spellings via a series of fun, interactive games.
- Login details are also in children's reading records.
- Weekly assignments will be set relating to the spelling pattern or phonics children are learning about.

Spelling Shed is part of Ed Shed

Click on School username tab



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Create Account

Sign In

+ Create Account

Sign In

QR Sign In

Global Username / Email **School Username**



Only use this form if you are a pupil with a school # on your login slip.

School (search by name, id or postcode)

RH4 2HS

St Paul's Primary School, RH4 2HS

#126261

Enter school postcode RH4 2HS

Password

Your password

Sign In

Enter school username and password

Click on assignments



Assignments 0

Games set for you.

[View >](#)

Challenges

Challenge others to play.

[View >](#)

Leagues

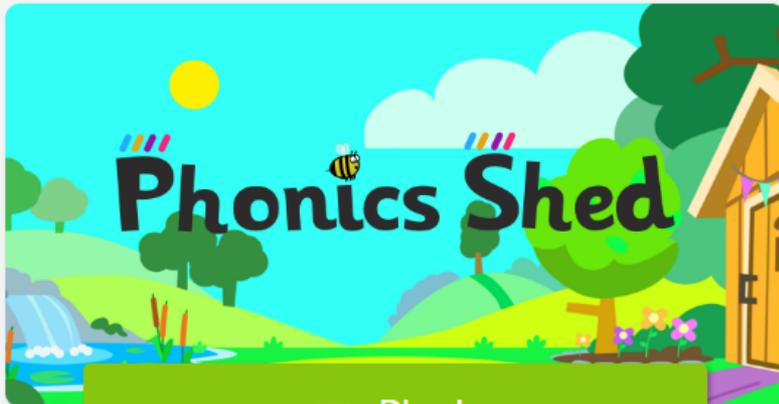
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[Join](#)



 Play!

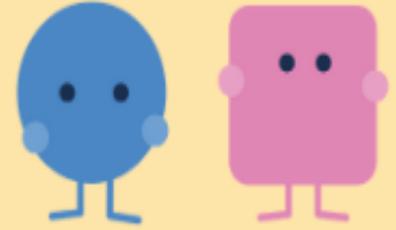


 Play!

Maths Homework

- Maths homework will be set weekly on My Maths.
- Children should also practise their timetables weekly.

My Maths



- Log in at mymaths.co.uk
- Our school log in details are:
School username: stpauls20
School password: rectangle67

← SCHOOL

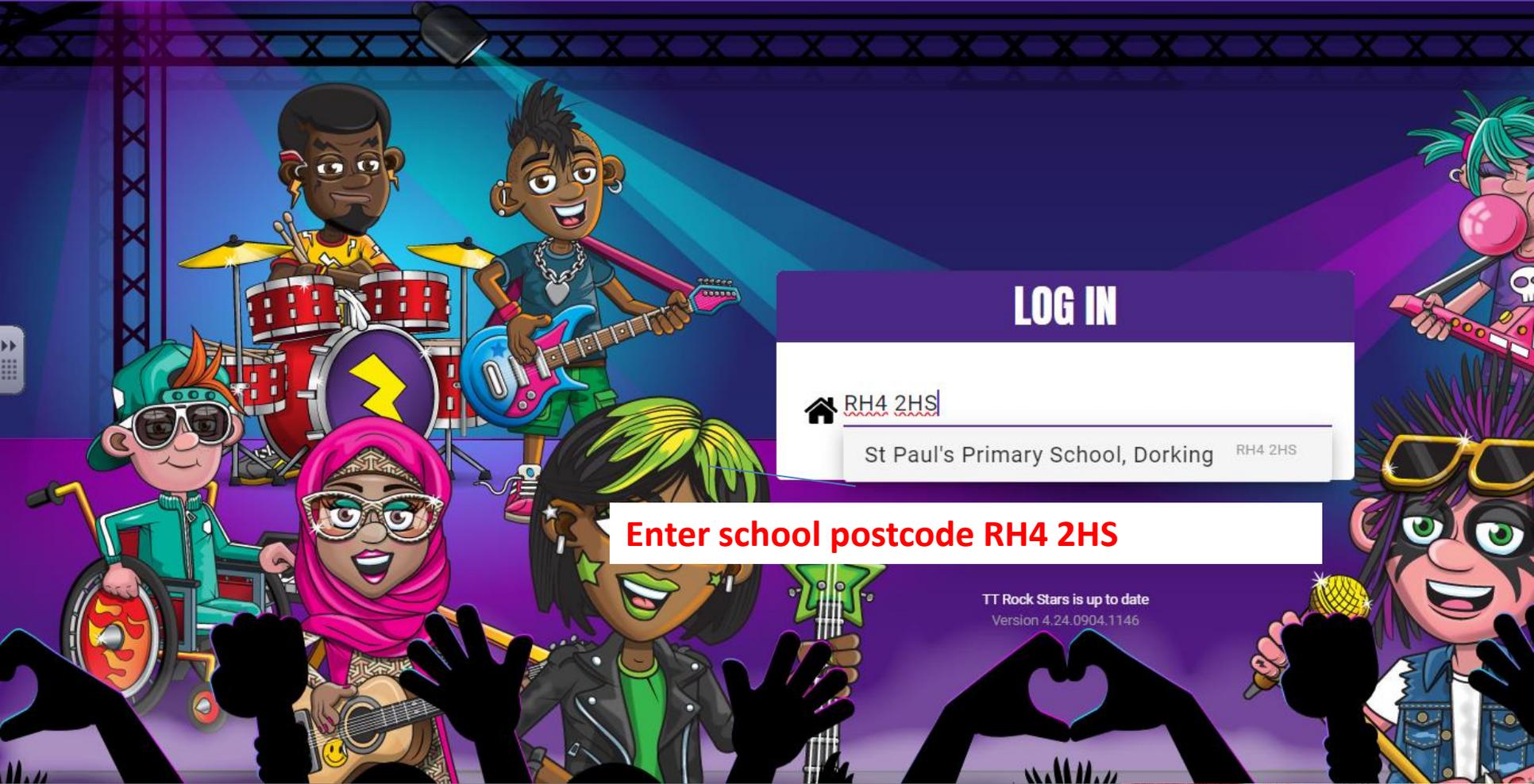


STUDENT

TEACHER

 **WONDE**

 **MYLOGIN**



LOG IN



RH4 2HS

St Paul's Primary School, Dorking RH4 2HS

Enter school postcode RH4 2HS

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Version 4.24.0904.1146





ST PAUL'S PRIMARY SCHOOL, DORKING

Change School

Username*



catdog



PASSWORD

or

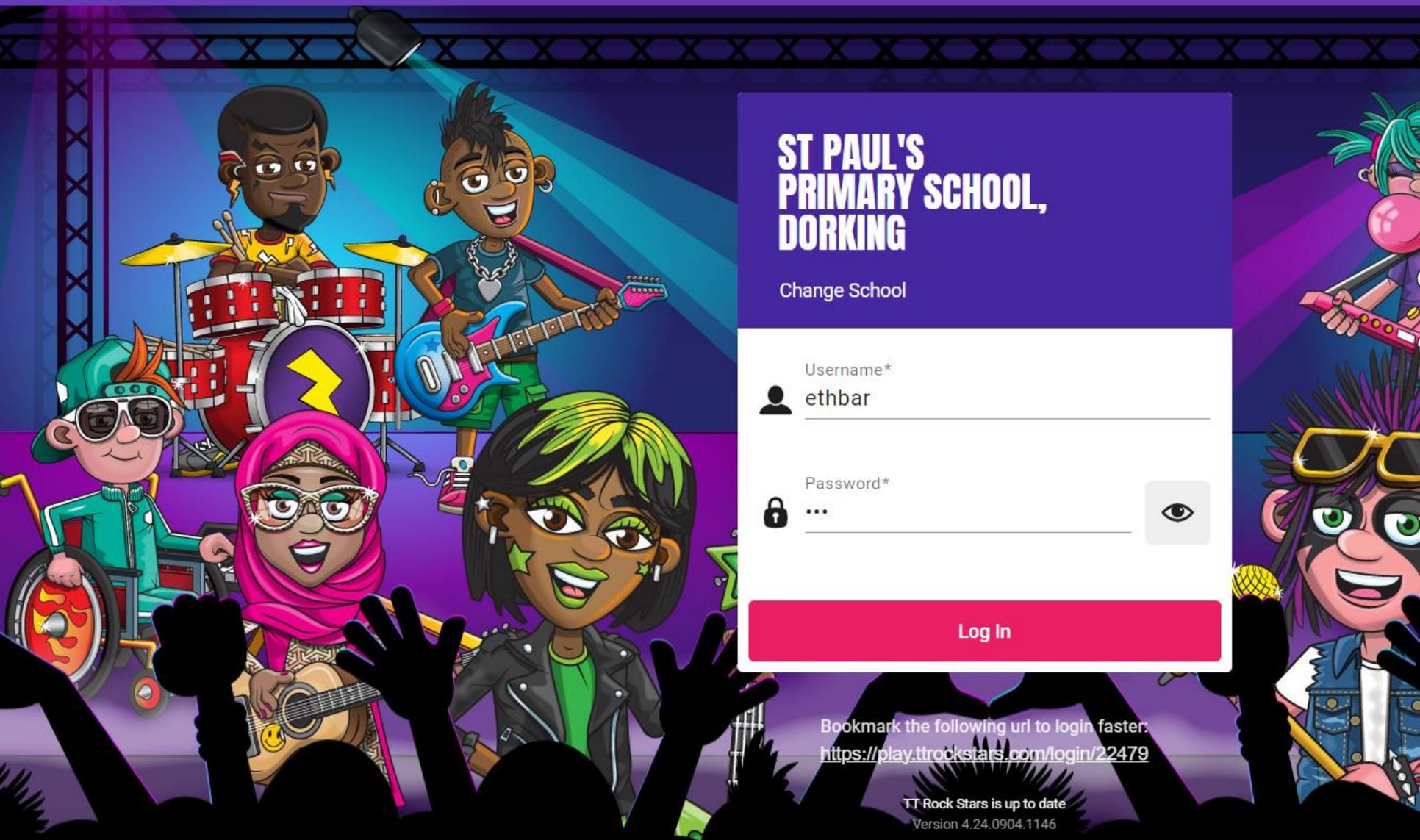


PIN

Log In

Bookmark the following url to login faster:

Click on Password



ST PAUL'S PRIMARY SCHOOL, DORKING

Change School

Username*



ethbar

Password*



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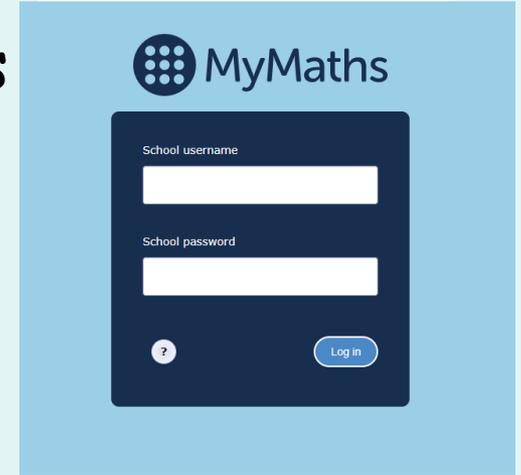


Log In

Bookmark the following url to login faster:
<https://play.ttrockstars.com/login/22479>

Supporting your children at home

- Homework
- Maths homework will be set on **My Maths**
- Please login - usernames and passwords
- in the back of reading diary.



- The children should practise times tables 3 x per week.
- They will be asked to learn a times table for a quiz the following week.
- All Year 4 children in primary schools in England will be tested on all of their times tables up to 12x12 in the Summer term.



Supporting your children in Maths

Ways to practice times tables

- Write them and chant them.
- There are lots of great songs on the Internet.
- Timestables.co.uk
- [KoolKidz Timestables.co.uk](http://KoolKidzTimestables.co.uk)
- Apps - Dorling Kindersley (10 Minutes A Day)
- Times Table Rockstars - Children have a login
- Hit the button
- Maths Frame



In Years 1 to 4 parents can log onto our handwriting scheme using the details below.



Features Videos Key Stages Worksheets News Buy

Login

Desktop

Tablet

Free Trial

Desktop Login

Username: qr8447

Password: home



login

Please select 'desktop or tablet'.
(Tablet is more suitable)

Letter-join Videos and Powerpoint training



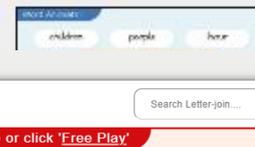
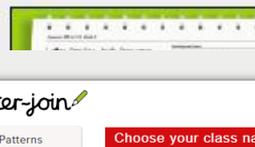
Letter-join overview >



Staff presentation >



Choosing fonts



Then select
the class

The screenshot shows the Letter-join website's class selection page. On the left is a navigation menu with icons and labels: Patterns, Easy letters, Easy words, Harder letters, Harder words, More..., Phonics, Fun, Resources, and Info. The main content area has a search bar at the top right. Below it is a red banner that says "Choose your class name or click 'Free Play'". Underneath the banner is a grid of class name buttons: Free Play, Hawthorn, Willow, Maple, Sycamore, Rowan, Chestnut, Beech, and Hazel. At the bottom of the grid, there is a link that says "Don't see your class? Ask your school to set your Class Name".

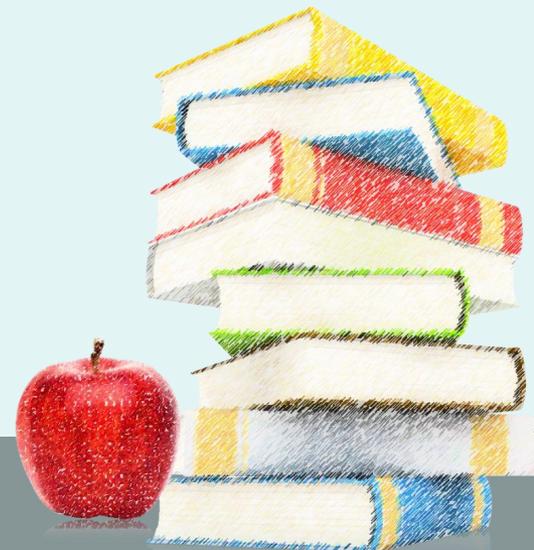
Year 4 homework

<u>Monday</u>	<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Thursday</u>	<u>Friday</u>
Reading	Reading	Reading	Reading	Reading
Times Tables	Times Tables	Times Tables	Times Tables	Times Tables
Spelling due Friday			Times tables quiz	MyMaths Due next Friday



Relationship Education

- RSE (Relationship and Sex Education) for year 4 will be covered within PSHE lessons in the Summer Term.
- A letter will be sent out prior to the start of the teaching for the summer.
- More information is available on our website under 'About Us > Curriculum > RSE Meeting'.



ALLERGIES/ASTHMA

- No nuts/sesame
- No shellfish

Please let us know if your child develops an allergy or has an intolerance.

Allergy medication/epi-pens must be kept up to date, labelled and given into the office.

Inhalers **MUST** be kept up to date, labelled and given into class teachers to keep in class box.



Trips and visits

- Egyptian Day - theatre and workshop in school - Friday 11th October 2024
- Pizza Express - Wednesday 29th January (Hazel)

Wednesday 5th February (Beech)

- Bikeability wb: 17th March 2025
- Visit to Roman Fishbourne Palace - Thursday 20th March 2025
- Tilgate Park Nature Centre - Wednesday 25th June 2025



COMMUNICATION

- Drop an email to the office about appointments or pick ups. info@stpauls-dorking.surrey.sch.uk

About work :

Year4@stpauls-dorking.surrey.sch.uk

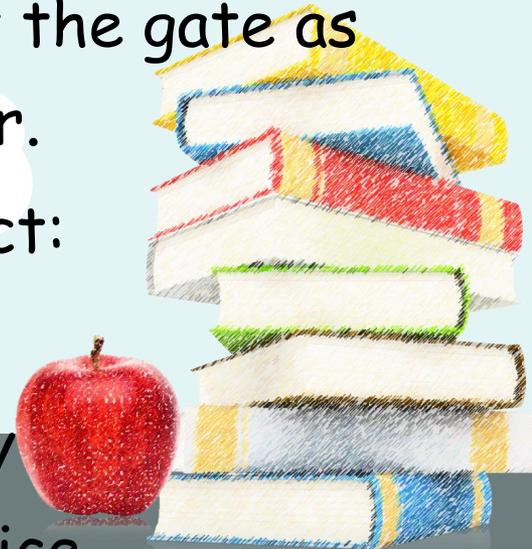
- Parents evening will be in Autumn and Spring terms
- Dates in Newsletter
- You can also give a message to the adult at the gate as they will pass these on to the class teacher.

If the Team is not able to help, please contact:

Mrs McLeod (Phase Leader KS2);

Mrs Bryan (Deputy Headteacher); and finally

Mrs Alden (Headteacher) via the School Office.



WHEELS TO SCHOOL

- Pupils may ride bikes or scooters to school at parents' discretion.
- Please ensure that they wear a helmet and that it is correctly fitted and fastened.
- Children should dismount and enter through the Year 3-4 gate.
- 'Vehicles' should be left in the KS2 bike park (by the 'Star of the Week' entrance).
- Please ensure you speak to your child about taking care in the Lane and StPs Road E as there are lots of young children walking along at drop-off and pick-up time and they are un-predictable and fast!
- Bikes and scooters must not be ridden in School!



And finally...

- Please let us know if there is anything happening in your child's life that may affect their day at school.
- Could we please ask that each child bring in one or two boxes of tissues if possible as we are always desperately in need of these.

Thank you for coming!
Looking forward to a great year.

