



*Learning for Life*

## **Fawbert & Barnard's Primary School**

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Year 4 Summer term

Dear Parents,

During this Summer term your child will be studying the following theme: Our Natural World  
Please see our theme plan for an overview of this theme.

The study plan for the core subjects of English and Maths are outlined below.

### English

To plan and write their own texts to suit a specific audience based on the structures, grammar and vocabulary of texts that they have studied.

To compose and orally rehearse sentences.

To communicate feelings, emotions and opinions when writing.

To evaluate work effectively and make improvements based on this.

To evaluate the work of others and suggest improvements.

To know what a subordinate clause is.

To use a wider range of conjunctions to extend sentences including when, if, because, although.

To know what a complex sentence is and be able to write one.

To listen to and discuss a range of fiction, poetry, plays, non-fiction, reference and text books.

To prepare poems and play scripts to read aloud and perform.

To read with fluency, understanding and expression and for a range of purposes.

To ask questions to improve understanding of a text.

To summarise a text using the key points.

To use etymology and morphology to aid them in reading unfamiliar words and spellings.

To write consistently with neat, legible and joined handwriting.

### Maths

To read, write and compare 4-digit and 5-digit numbers and place on a line.

To read, use and compare negative numbers in the context of temperature.

To use knowledge of factors and reasoning to solve problems.

To multiply and divide numbers by 10 and 100 including decimals (tenths and hundredths).

To learn the 11 and 12 times tables and describe the patterns.

To recognise and write Roman numerals to 100.

To calculate the area and perimeter of rectilinear shapes using multiplication and addition.

To revise 3D shapes and sort shapes according to their faces, vertices and edges.

To compare 2 place decimals in the context of lengths.

To recognise decimal and fraction equivalents.

To add amounts of money in pounds and pence using column addition.

To draw and interpret bar charts and pictograms.

To find non-unit fractions of amounts.

To use coordinates to draw polygons

To help your child with their study, please:

- Encourage your child to read each evening.
- Help your child to learn their times tables off by heart.
- Ensure your child completes their homework each week.

We hope that this information will help you support your child's learning this term. Meanwhile, if you have any further questions, or would like to know more, then please speak to me.

Thank you for your support.

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