

# Welcome to Class 4

Hanging Heaton C of E  
J and I School

Parents' Information Session 8<sup>th</sup> Sept 2016

Together Everyone Achieves More

# Format of the school day

- Children will continue to enter school in their classes for registration.
- On most days Literacy and Numeracy will be taught in the morning
- Foundation subjects will mainly be taught in the afternoon.
- Classroom support will be Mrs Langdale, Mrs Pinfield and Mrs Staves.

# Structure of the morning

- 9am – 9.30am. Early morning session to include guided reading, follow on reading activity/comprehension, spelling/grammar, maths skills, problem solving.
- 9.30am – 10.30am Maths
- 10.30am -10.45am Collective Worship
- 10.45am – 11am Playtime.
- 11am – 12:05 Literacy



# Structure of the afternoon

Varies depending on each day but will include:

- PE (Monday afternoon) and Swimming (Tuesday morning) - sessions led by specialists
- Science.
- Art/DT.
- History/Geography.
- ICT.
- PSHCE.
- RE.
- Music. – Mrs Isaacs – music specialist (ukulele)



Work will be undertaken in mixed age classes and differentiated accordingly and be based around a different topic each half term.

# Homework

- Maths and English - Sent out Thursdays – return following Thursday
- Spellings – Tuesdays for test the following Tuesdays
- Children are expected to read regularly – Regular Reader
- As the children are now in Year 4/5, we would like to emphasise the importance of them being responsible for their homework.



# Literacy

Please see information sheet in your pack:-

Speaking and Listening

Reading

Writing



# Numeracy

Please see information sheet in pack:-

Here are some of the things we will be covering in numeracy:

- Place value with decimals up to 3dp,
- ordering decimals,
- rounding numbers,
- times tables and division facts,
- maths investigations,
- decimal calculations,
- inverse operations,
- square numbers,
- prime numbers,
- factors,
- 2D and 3D shape,
- measures conversions,
- averages,
- handling data.



# Target setting

- Your child will have targets set for Maths, Writing, Reading and Attitude to learning each half term.
- These will be agreed with your child following discussion at the start of each half term.
- These will be shared with parents, who will have opportunity to comment on and offer support at home.
- Children and teachers will assess progress each half term and once again share details with parents.





# E-Safety

We take E-Safety very seriously in school and staying digitally safe is covered as part of our PSHCE and ICT curriculum. Children and young people spend a lot of time online – it can be a great way for them to socialise, learn, explore and have fun. But children do also face risks like cyberbullying or seeing content that's inappropriate.

What to be aware of at home:

- Inappropriate content
- Ignoring age restrictions – on websites and games
- Friending or communicating with people they don't know
- Grooming and abuse
- Sharing personal information
- Know what devices can access the internet (phones, tablets, consoles, laptops) and the safety settings on them.
- Talk to your child about what they do online
- Set boundaries

Lots of information available. Ask if we can help.

# Any questions?

- Copies of these slides will be put on the website.
- Half termly information sheets will be produced and made available on the website.



# Thank You

- For taking the time to attend this presentation!
- Anything you wish to discuss, please pop in.

