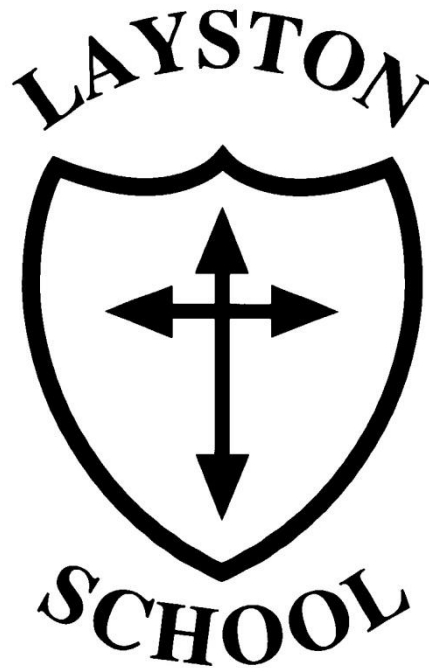


Welcome back to Layston!



A guide for Year 4

Mr Strahan

July 2020



It won't be long now until I'll be saying: **"Welcome back, Year 4"** because you will be Year 4s in September! Can you believe it? Top of the school!

I can't tell you too much just yet because, as you might have noticed, things are a bit different at the moment. We will send out more information before September when things have been finalised.

However, I can tell you that:

- You will be Year 4s.
- You will be in the Year 4 classroom.
- You will be taught by Mr Strahan... again (lucky you!).
- Mrs Scarrott will also be supporting and teaching you.
- You will have forest school on Fridays (if possible, it would be helpful to bring your own waterproofs along with your wellies and forest school uniform).
- You will have PE.
- You will have recorder lessons (you will need your own recorder).
- We will have a lovely year 😊

For parents:

We are obviously aware that your child has missed over a term in school. Please do not worry though. Your child will not be thrown in at the deep end in September! Initially, we will get an idea of where everyone is, and then look to secure key Year 3 learning that was either missed or needs revising. Only when the children are ready will we move on to the Year 4 curriculum content.

I will be discussing your child's strengths and needs with Miss Moss prior to September. Luckily, I already know a great deal about them. After all, this time 12 months ago they were sitting in my class!

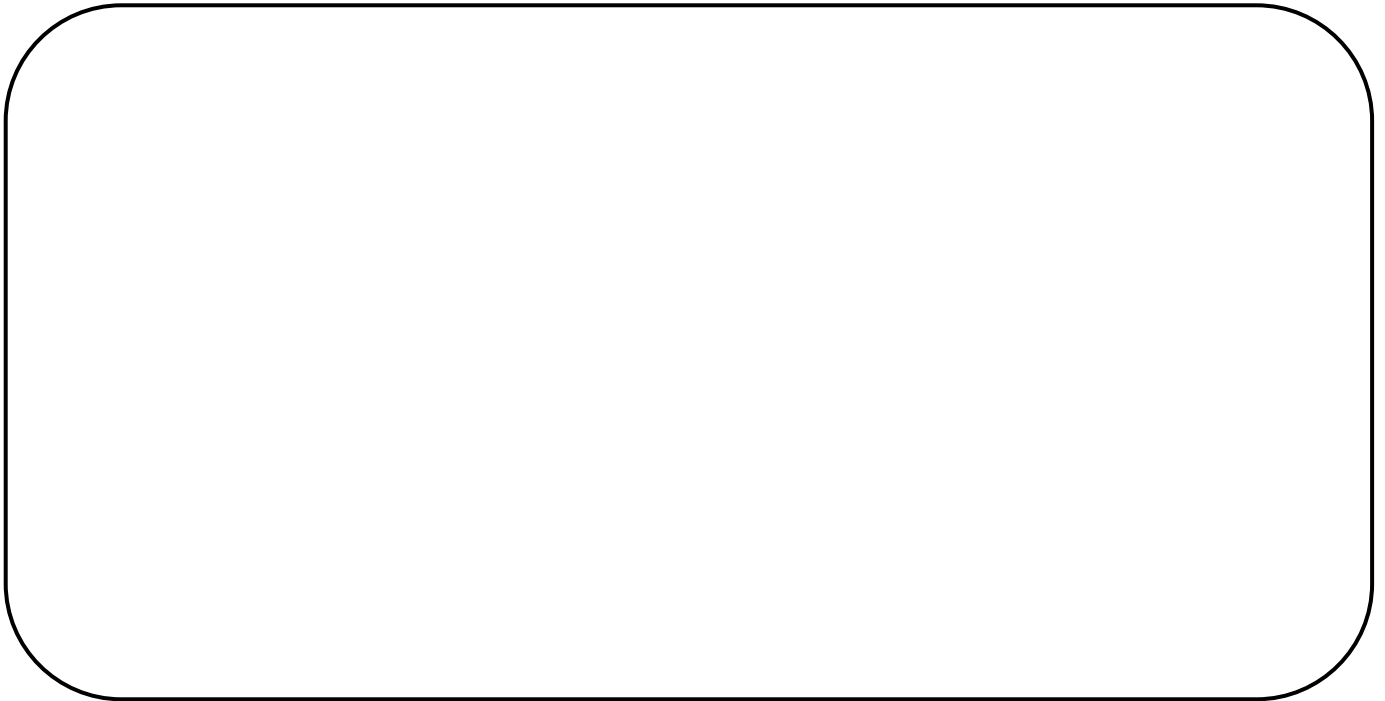
As in previous years, a booklet will be sent out to parents at the start of each term, letting you know what learning we have planned.

You may recall how much I went on about reading in Year 2. Well nothing much has changed, and it remains as important now as it was then! So if you do nothing else over the summer, please continue to read every day with your child and ask them questions about what they have read. From time to time, at the end of a page or chapter, see if they can give you a summary of what has happened.

On the next few pages, I have prepared a few tasks for the children to complete. It would be really helpful if your child could **bring these in completed in September**. If you do not have a printer at home, I can arrange for a printed copy to be collected from the office (please email admin@layston.herts.sch.uk and they will let me know).

Name: _____

Draw a picture of you and your family:



Some maths questions for you to try:

Put these numbers in order from **smallest to largest**:

327 518 279 98 210

Smallest

Largest

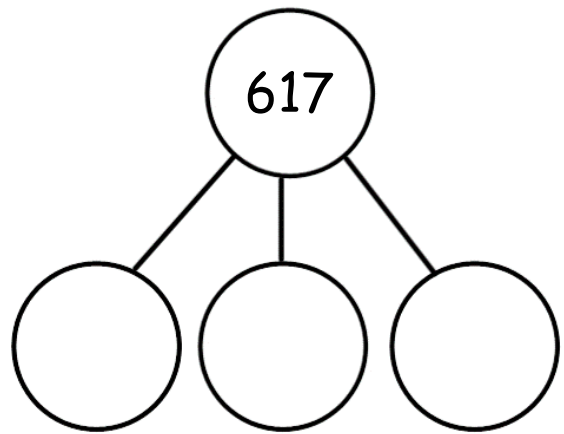
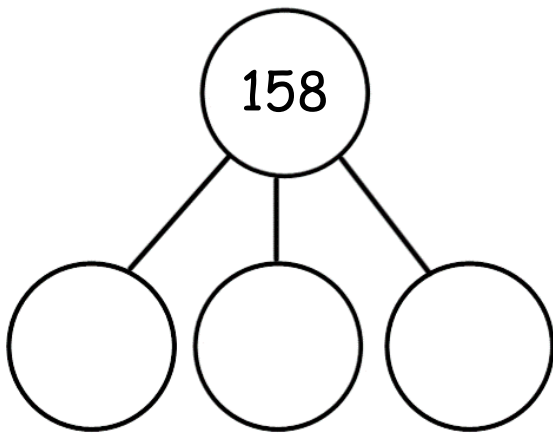
Can you continue any of these sequences?

3, 6, 9, 12, _____, _____, _____, _____, _____, _____, _____

4, 8, 12, 16, _____, _____, _____, _____, _____, _____, _____

100, 200, 300, 400, _____, _____, _____, _____, _____, _____

Can you regroup these into hundreds, tens and ones?



$123 + 4 = \boxed{}$

$6 \times 5 = \boxed{}$

$258 - 5 = \boxed{}$

$7 \times 3 = \boxed{}$

$462 + 20 = \boxed{}$

$50 \div 10 = \boxed{}$

$376 - 30 = \boxed{}$

$15 \div 3 = \boxed{}$

$785 + 100 = \boxed{}$

$\frac{1}{2} \text{ of } 90 = \boxed{}$

$529 - 100 = \boxed{}$

$250 + 99 = \boxed{}$

Independent

Some help

Lots of help



A few questions...



What have you got better at since you left Year 2?

What are you looking forward to in Year 4?

What do you want to get better at?

Is there anything you are worried or not sure about Year 4?

What is the best book you've read in 2020?

Is there anything you would like to ask me?
