



The Holt Primary School

Year 4 Newsletter Summer 2026

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Welcome Back!

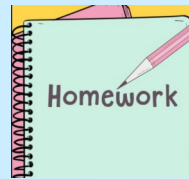
I do hope that you all had a wonderful Easter break. This term, we will be starting a brand new topic all about the Tudors. The children will be exploring this fascinating period in history, learning about famous monarchs such as Henry VIII and Elizabeth I, as well as discovering what life was like for people during Tudor times. We will be looking at important events, daily life, and even some of the dramatic changes that shaped England. It promises to be an exciting and engaging topic, and we look forward to sharing the children's learning with you. During this topic we will also look at the battle of the Roses between the Houses of York and Lancaster.

Later in term 6, we are planning a school trip to Gainsborough Old Hall to enrich the children's learning with a real-life Tudor experience. More information about this exciting visit will follow later in the term.

This is going to be a brilliant unit of work and one I am sure will be enjoyed by all!

Homework information

Homework will continue to consist of reading and timetables rockstars which your child should be able to complete independently within **about 20 minutes.** and If your child ever struggles, please let me know or ask them to come and see me. I am more than happy to clarify anything. Later in the term I will also set another homework project which will be linked to the Tudor topic.



Teaching arrangements

We continue to have Miss Harrison, Mrs Broxholme, Mrs Scarborough and Mrs Warriner working alongside myself in Year 4.

Synergy and the Year 4 team will continue to teach the class for my planning time.

P.E

The class will continue to have Synergy coaching for PE on a Tuesday morning then in term 5 the children will have swimming on a Friday.

PE will be taking place outside this term; please make sure that your child comes in their PE kit as per the previous terms a jumper may be appropriate.

How can I help?

- * Listening to your child read to help improve their reading fluency.
- * Asking them questions about their book.
- * Using Times Table Rockstars to support multiplication and division fact development.
- * Promoting independence and resilience with homework.



Any problems...

Should you ever need to talk to myself about your child, homework or any other issues/concerns, I am available on the playground at both the start and end of the day. Alternatively, I am able to arrange appointments outside of the school day if necessary- please do email me at year4@holt.lincs.sch.uk . I am very much looking forward to continuing to work alongside you and your child over the coming term. Many thanks for your support.

Mr Kelk



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