

A young boy in a blue sweater and dark trousers is walking on a colorful, segmented path in a playground. The path is made of large, rectangular blocks in shades of blue, red, and yellow. In the background, there is a wooden fence and a building with large windows. The entire scene is overlaid with a dark blue semi-transparent filter.

# PRESTON HEDGES TRUST

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## Staff

Teacher: Miss Rolph

Teacher: Mrs Eason

TA: Mrs Wilkins

TA: Miss Rollins

# What Year 4 is all about...

- ▶ Promoting our values - resilience, kindness, respect aspiration, determination & independence.
- ▶ Transitioning to Phase 3 at the end of the year
- ▶ Joining in with a range of opportunities - United Parklands, competitive sports, house competitions, clubs etc.
- ▶ Securing times tables
- ▶ Having a fantastic year!

# A standard day in Year 4

Year 4	Monday	Tuesday	Wed
8.45-9.10	<b>Times Tables</b>		
9.10-10.10	Arithmetic	Maths	M
10.10-10.30	Assembly	Assembly	Ass
10.30-10.45	<b>Pla</b>		
10.45-11.00	SPAG	SPAG	S
11.00-12.00	Reading Analysis /comprehension	English	En
12.00-12.30			
12.30-1.30	<b>L</b>		
1.30-3.00	PE (indoors)	PE (outdoors)	Com
	Music	Personal Development	Ar

# Subjects taught weekly

- English
- SPaG
- Maths
- Times Tables
- Science
- Creative Curriculum (history/geography)
- Art/DT
- Music
- P.E
- R.E
- PD
- Computing
- Spanish
- Handwriting

# English and Maths

- Groupings are very flexible, and all pupils will cover all Year 4 elements.
- Times Tables Screening – more info to follow

**Homework:** (Sent home on a Friday – due in on a Wednesday)

- Grammar
- Maths (from their set)
- Spelling investigation (Thursday)
- Reading - for pleasure and a scheme book with their reading journal

# Reading in ....

- Assessed every big term
- 1 x Oxford level book (learning to read)
- 1 x R4P book (personal choice)

## **Our reading expectations:**

- Children read at home at least 5 x weekly
- Reading journals signed
- Weekly class winner for reading at home engagement

# Attendance

- 95%+
- 8:45am registration, lessons starting at 8:50am
- Consistency for the children
- Afternoon interventions



# P.E – Monday and Tuesday

- Indoor: Monday
- Outdoor: Tuesday
  
- Parklands P.E uniform:
  - Navy shorts/joggers
  - Navy polo (logo/plain)
  - School jumper/fleece
  - Trainers/plimsoles
  
- Earrings removed by the child (no tape)
  
- Up-to-date inhalers etc to class teacher

# Our Curriculum

- Our creative curriculum topic this term is Fiesta in the South!
- Our curriculum provides exciting opportunities to learn through experiences rather than written evidence.
- Encourages an independence in learning
- Helps to develop an awareness of the world around them, and their place within it
- Ensures that key skills are learned within an interesting, relevant context
- Updated PD curriculum (including healthy relationships/equality and diversity/citizenship/online safety/health and well-being/economic well-being)

# How can I help my child?

- ▶ Encourage all types of reading and discuss their understanding with them, filling in their reading journals.
- ▶ SPaG – correct them if their grammar is incorrect (spoken and written)
- ▶ Encourage them to get involved in real maths:
  - How much is the basket of shopping?
  - What change will they receive?
  - Measure things out on a scale and convert to an equivalent measure
  - Look at timetables and plan a journey
- ▶ Support them with their times tables (TTRockstars)

# Correspondence

- Facebook
- Instagram – NEW!
- School website
- Seesaw

The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL [parklands.northants.sch.uk/correspondence/](http://parklands.northants.sch.uk/correspondence/). The browser's address bar shows "Not secure" and the page title is "CORRESPONDENCE". The website header features the Parklands Primary School logo (a circle with two trees) and the text "PARKLANDS PRIMARY SCHOOL" on the left, and "PRESTON HEDGE'S ACADEMY TRUST" with the phone number "Tel: 01604 491769" and email "admin@parklands.northants.sch.uk" on the right. A navigation menu below the header includes links for WELCOME, OUR SCHOOL, INFORMATION, CURRICULUM, PARENTS, SCHOOL NEWS, and CONTACT. A dropdown menu is open over the "CORRESPONDENCE" link, listing: CORRESPONDENCE, HOMEWORK, UNIFORM, TERM DATES, KEY DATES, and ABSENCE. The main content area is titled "CORRESPONDENCE" and contains the text "Here are some letters from the week – please click on them to go to". Below this are several links: "Years 1 & 2 Tea Party", "Year 6 Pioneer June 2019 (1)", "Year 5 WW2", "How to apply for secondary 2019 parent letter", and "RW letter".

But most importantly...

If you have any questions or queries, please call the office any time and book a phone call chat.

Our 'doors' are always open and you are welcome to have a chat.

Thank you, from the Y4 team.