

# Our learning for the Autumn term in Year 4 is:

## Brazil and Ancient Maya.

### In Maths we will be developing our understanding of:

- Numbers to 10,000
- Addition and Subtraction within 10,000
- Multiplication and Division
- Further Multiplication and Division
- Practicing our Times Tables

### In Geography we will be learning about:

- Brazil

### In writing we will be:

Poetry: Poems Aloud – Joseph Coelho

Instructional Writing: Building With Lego Chop, Sizzle  
Wow: The Silver Spoon Comic Cookbook – Tara Stevens

Developing Description: The Building Boy – Ross Montgomery

Writing to Inform: Dragonology: The Complete Book of Dragons – Dugald Steer

Writing Short Stories

### In History we will be learning about:

- Ancient Maya Civilisation

### In Science we will be learning about:

- Biology: Classifying organisms
- Biology: Food and Digestion

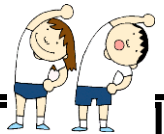
### PE

Please ensure your child comes to school wearing the correct PE kit on the days they have PE.

4FW – Monday and Thursday

4AE – Thursdays

4JE – Tuesday and Thursday



### Zones of Regulation

| Blue                                           | Green                                                    | Yellow                                                     | Red                                                                            |
|------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
|                                                |                                                          |                                                            |                                                                                |
| Sick<br>Sad<br>Tired<br>Bored<br>Moving Slowly | Happy<br>Calm<br>Good to Go<br>Focused<br>Ready to Learn | Frustrated<br>Worried<br>Slip/Wiggle<br>Anxious<br>Excited | Meltd/Angr<br>Rage<br>Yelling/Howling<br>Out of Control<br>Need Take-out Space |

The Zones of Regulation are used at KPA to encourage children to self-regulate their emotions so that they are happy at school and can complete their best learning.

### In P.S.H.E. we will be learning to:

- Me and my relationships
- Valuing differences

### In R.E. we will be learning about:

- What do we mean by truth?
- What does sacrifice mean?



### In Art we will be creating:

Patterns and pumpkins

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## Uniform:

Please ensure your child is wearing the correct uniform, including appropriate footwear. Please ask your class teacher if you have any queries. Please remember that your child should not wear jewellery in school.

**All uniform should be clearly named.**



## Home Learning

Home learning is an opportunity for you to support your child's learning in school. This helps you to know what they have been learning and spend time with your child reinforcing these skills.

| Homework     | Handed out | Action                                                      |
|--------------|------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|
| Reading      | Monday     | Read at least 3 times during the week and hand in on Friday |
| Spellings    | Monday     | Complete by Friday                                          |
| TT RockStars | Monday     | Complete set 30-minute session by Friday                    |

**Creative home learning projects are set at the beginning of a term and expected to be handed in at the end of the term for a final topic celebration display.**

**Some ideas for the Autumn term are...**

**Create a rainforest using collage materials to show the different layers and the animals that live in them.**

**Create a poster detailing the impact humans have on the rainforests and how this could be reduced.**

**Paint a picture of the rainforest showing the different layers and animals that live in them.**

**You can choose one of the suggested activities or if you prefer you can think of your own!**

## Reading:

In class this term we will be reading *'The Worst Witch'* by Jill Murphy and *'The Viking Boy'* by Tony Bradman.

Please encourage your child to read at home as well as ensuring that their school reading books are changed regularly. Remember to sign your child's reading record.

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