



Y4 Classroom News!



Summer Term 2026

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*This half term we are learning about:
What is like in the USA?*

English

In English, we will be writing a fantasy narrative set in the 'The Land of Roar'. We will also write travel brochures about the USA.

RE

In RE, we will study, 'dialogue and encounter', as we explore the life and work of St Paul.

We will focus on St Paul's commitment to announcing the gospel to the world.

Maths

In our maths lessons, we will be exploring shape and symmetry, 2D and 3D shapes, patterns and sequences and position and direction.

Our class reader text this half term is...



Warm weather

Please ensure your child comes to school with a water bottle every day. If the weather is especially nice and warm, children will need a sun hat and sun cream too.

MTC test

The children have their Multiplication Tables Check (MTC) on the week beginning 8th June 2026.

PE days

Swimming lessons will continue every Tuesday.

PE lessons every Thursday:

Please remember to bring the correct PE kit - white t-shirt.

Key knowledge for our geography topic

Significant Places



North America and the USA

North America is one of seven world continents. The USA is a country within North America.



New York City, New York

New York City is the state capital of New York. It is the most populated city in the USA.



Alaska

Alaska is one of the 50 states of the USA. It is the largest state in terms of land mass.



California

California is one of the 50 states of the USA. It has the largest population.

Significant Places



The Statue of Liberty

The Statue of Liberty is a statue located in New York City, New York.



Golden Gate Bridge

The Golden Gate Bridge is a bridge located in San Francisco, California.



Yosemite National Park

Yosemite National Park is an area of protected land located in California.



Grand Canyon

The Grand Canyon was carved out of rock by the Colorado River. It is located in Arizona.