



# St Edward's Catholic Primary School

## Curriculum Newsletter Autumn 2022: Year 4



### A message from Mrs Seers

A very warm welcome to Year 4, sadly I cannot be there at the beginning of the term as I have had a foot operation and will be back in a few weeks. I am looking forward to our year ahead and I know we are going to have a brilliant time! I will be working together to ensure that your children have a happy, successful and enjoyable time in Year 4. I look forward to getting to know all of the children and yourselves. Please do not hesitate to make contact should you have any queries or concerns regarding to your child; we are always here to have a chat.

### RE

#### People:

God's vision for every family.

#### Belonging:

The Sacrament of Baptism.

#### Gift:

Advent: Waiting for the coming of Jesus.



### Creative Curriculum

#### Humanities

Children in history. How have children's lives changed over time?  
How Lord Shaftesbury helped to change the lives of children.

#### Art

Art style: drawing using different media  
Storytelling through drawing using a sketchbook to develop their work'

#### Science:

Digestion and food  
The human digestive system and teeth and what food chains consist of.

### English

Daily book band reading  
Guided reading sessions at least 3 times a week.  
Daily spelling practise and weekly testing.

#### Key Text:

Narrative: The Iron Man by  
Non-Fiction: Newspaper report



### Maths

Daily times tables practice  
Our learning journey this term will cover place value  
- Finding 1000 more or less, Roman numerals, rounding, shape and addition and subtraction.



### Homework and how to help your child at home...

Please read with your child at least 3 times per week.

Homework tasks, for Art, Spanish and Science, for the term will be given out on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> September - be as creative as you can!

**Practise times tables; children within Year 4 are expected to know these confidently, as there is a multiplication test later in the year.**

### Dates for your diary and other information...

PE will be every Tuesday and Thursday; please ensure children come to school in their PE kit on those days. Kits should be the school provided tracksuit.

We ask that children do not wear earrings on those days.