Roberttown C of E English and Maths Outline

Year 4 Autumn 2 2026

English

Class Book: George's Marvellous Medicine by Roald Dahl

This half term the children will be studying:

Children will learn how to write a detailed recount and a newspaper report. The children will read newspaper articles and identify the difference between fact and opinion. They will also explore the organisational features of a newspaper article, including the introduction, paragraphs and quotations from witnesses. This work will help them develop their writing skills and understand how newspaper reports are structured

Maths

This half term the children will be studying:

• what area is and how to count squares to find the area of a shape.

- make and compare different shapes to develop their understanding of area.
- working on times tables and division facts, including the 3, 6, 7, 9, 11 and 12 times tables
- multiplying and dividing by 1 and 0 and dividing a number by 1 and itself.
- how to multiply three numbers and strengthen their fluency with number facts.

How can I help?

- A high priority this year will be the preparation for the Multiplication Tables Check (MTC). Pupils will practice recalling multiplication facts up to 12 × 12 quickly and accurately. We strongly encourage all pupils to practice their times tables regularly at home to help build speed and accuracy.
- Listen to me read 5x a week and log this in the reading record so I can receive my dojo award.
- Ask me what I am learning in class.

Further Information

PE kit to be worn: Wednesdays and Fridays

Homework: Monday to Monday

Maths: TT Rockstars

Spellings: Monday for Monday

Reading Book and Reading Record: Every day

Year 4 Homework

Here is an overview of the homework for this half term. The task for each week links with the focus of the lessons for that week to ensure that it reinforces what your child has learned in class. On Mondays, the children will mark their work as a class and I will discuss anything the children found challenging so homework is used as a teaching point rather than a task

Thank you for your support.

Maths

Week and Due Date	Focus	Page
Wk2	Written addition and subtraction	P22 and P23
Wk3	Estimating and Checking	P24 and P25
Wk4	Using Timestables and Mental Multiplying and Dividing	P26 and P27
Wk5	Factor Pairs and Written Multiplication	P28 and P29
Wk6	Solving Calculation Problems	P30 and P31
Wk 7	TimesTable Rockstars	TTRS

Spellings

To be tested 9.11.26 To spell words with the suffix ‘ ation’	To be tested 16.11.26 To spell words with the suffix ‘ation’	To be tested 23.11.26 To spell words ending in -ly
information	adoration	sadly
sensation	admiration	completely
preparation	coronation	wildly
vibration	detonation	bravely
decoration	observation	gently
donation	location	foolishly
duration	generation	proudly
registration	exploration	horribly
population	combination	nervously
determination	illustration	happily
To be tested 30.11.26 **To spell words ending in ‘-lly’**	**To be tested 7.12.26** **To spell words where ‘ch’ makes a /sh/ sound**	**To be tested 14.12.26** **To spell challenge words**
usually	chef	favourite
finally	chalet	complete
beautifully	machine	continue
thoughtfully	brochure	experiment
wonderfully	parachute	February
carefully	chute	naughty
faithfully	chaperone	material
peacefully	chandelier	knowledge
cruelly	crochet	remember
generally	quiche	famous