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Dear Parents,

Welcome to the Spring Term!

Here is an outline of English and Maths work for Years 3 and 4 for the next half term.

### **English**

Children will read a set of instructions, outlining how to build an Iron Age roundhouse. They will have an opportunity to learn technical vocabulary used in the construction of historical buildings. It will culminate in them writing their own set of instructions for how to make a model roundhouse using craft materials. Children will then work with a partner to test out each other's instructions.

Children will revisit writing skills including subordination, identifying the grammatical features of different sentence types, the correct use of past and present tense and the use of commas for lists. They will further develop writing skills including extending sentences with a wider range of conjunctions, the use of conjunctions, adverbials and prepositions to express time and cause, and the inclusion of organisational features such as headings and subheadings.

### **Maths**

Complete Addition and Subtraction units, then move on to:

#### **Y3**

##### **Number: Multiplication and Division**

- recall and use multiplication and division facts for the 3, 4 and 8 multiplication tables.
- write and calculate mathematical statements for multiplication and division using the multiplication tables that they know, including for two-digit numbers times one-digit numbers, using mental and progressing to formal written methods.
- solve problems, including missing number problems, involving multiplication and division.

#### **Y4**

##### **Number: Multiplication and Division**

- recall multiplication and division facts for multiplication tables up to  $12 \times 12$ .
- use place value, known and derived facts to multiply and divide mentally, including: multiplying by 0 and 1; dividing by 1; multiplying together 3 numbers.
- recognise and use factor pairs and commutativity in mental calculations.
- multiply two-digit and three-digit numbers by a one-digit number using formal written layout.
- solve problems involving multiplying and adding, including using the distributive law to multiply two digit numbers by 1 digit.

Thank you for all your support.

Wishing you and your family a very Happy New Year.

Yours sincerely,

*Glenda Glenwright*