

Honesty  
Kindness  
Responsibility

## Year 4 Curriculum Newsletter

### Spring Term 2

Resilience  
Ambition  
Respect

#### English:

In English we will be writing a persuasive advert based on the company 'Stroodles' who make straws made of pasta! We will be discussing themes such as the environment

In Whole Class Reading, we will be looking at 'What a waste'.

#### Maths:

Fractions - In this unit pupils will be introduced to hundredths. They will learn about mixed number fractions and improper fractions. They will learn how to convert between mixed numbers and improper fractions. They will learn how to add and subtract fractions and will solve addition and subtraction word problems. We will look at length, mass and volume as well.

#### Science:

Exploring volume, pitch and how sound travels.

<https://www.kapowprimary.com/subjects/science/science-lower-key-stage-2/year-4/energy-sound-and-vibrations/>

#### PSHE:

Health and Wellbeing

<https://www.kapowprimary.com/subjects/rse-pshe/lower-key-stage-2/year-4/health-and-wellbeing/>

#### History:

How did the achievements of the ancient Maya impact their society and beyond?

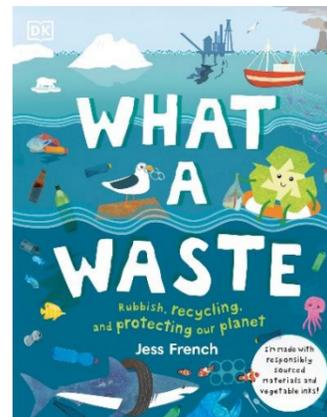
<https://www.kapowprimary.com/subjects/history/key-stage-2/year-4/how-did-the-achievements-of-the-ancient-maya-impact-their-society-and-beyond/>

#### Music:

In music this half term we will be continuing to learn the ukulele, practising three chords (C, F and Am) and different strumming patterns.

<https://www.kapowprimary.com/subjects/music/lower-key-stage-2/year-4/rainforests/>

STROODLES  
PASTA STRAWS  
— Change made easy —



#### RE:

Just how important are our beliefs?

<https://www.kapowprimary.com/subjects/religion-and-worldviews/key-stage-2/year-4/just-how-important-are-our-beliefs/>

#### DT:

Making slingshot cars

<https://www.kapowprimary.com/subjects/design-technology/lower-key-stage-2/year-4/mechanical-systems/mechanical-systems-making-a-slingshot-car/>

#### Computing:

We will be investigating weather using excel spreadsheets.

<https://www.kapowprimary.com/subjects/computing/key-stage-2/year-4/investigating->

#### PE:

PE will consist of children taking part in cricket and rounders.



Class 3: Mrs Chapman, Mrs Taylor and Miss Rootes

Class 4: Mr Gracie