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Dear Parents/Carers,

It has been a wonderful start to the new academic year and all the children have settled quickly into their new routines. Thank you for your support with this. We would just like to introduce the Year 4 team and share some useful information with you. The Year 4 teaching team comprises of Mr M Walsh, Mr A Walsh and Miss Cunningham. We are supported by Mrs Loades and Miss Read.

We would like to inform you that our PE days are Tuesday (for Mr A Walsh and Miss Cunningham) and Wednesday (All classes). On these days, the children in those classes are expected to come into school wearing their PE kit

The PE kit is

- White T-shirt with the Academy logo
- Black shorts
- Plimsolls
- Trainers (for outside lessons)

Please remember that your child also needs the following school inform:

- Royal blue sweater / cardigan with logo
- White collared shirt
- Academy tie
- Black / grey trousers or skirt
- Black low heeled shoes (no trainers)
- Plain black/ grey/ navy socks/ tights

To ensure that any misplaced items are returned quickly, please could you make sure that every item of clothing is labelled. Please remember that your child can bring a fruit or vegetable snack to eat at break time.

Next week, we will start sending out home learning which we will issue on a **Friday** and is due to be handed in on the following **Thursday**. This will consist of times tables, English and handwriting to enable the children to consolidate and practise current learning.

Reading books and reading records have been issued. It would really help your child if you could try to ensure that you read with your child at least three times a week. Reading at home will be rewarded at school with marbles. In addition, children have access to accelerated reader to quiz their understanding and comprehension once they have completed a book.



In Year 4, we have a large focus on preparing the children for their Timetable test in June. All children have access to Timetable Rockstars and are encouraged to practise frequently. Further information will be provided at Parent's evening in October.

We look forward to an enjoyable and successful year together.

Best wishes,

Mr M Walsh, Miss Cunningham and Mr A Walsh. Ormiston Cliff Park Primary Academy Year 4 Team