

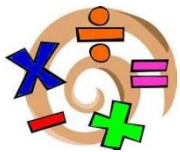
## YEAR 4 CURRICULUM NEWSLETTER SUMMER 1

This newsletter will provide you with information on the half term ahead. If you have any further queries, please don't hesitate to contact us.

**Topic-** Our topic for this term is The Kingdom of Benin. We will be learning about where modern day Benin is located, exploring the way of life in the Benin Kingdom, looking at artefacts and looking at the beliefs and cultures.



**English** - This term in English, we will be developing our writing skills through looking at a variety of different texts, including a range of fiction and non-fiction. Our main text for the half term will be The Children of the Benin Kingdom. In spelling, we will be continuing with the spelling rocket whilst also ensuring the children know their homophones, contractions and prefix and suffixes. We will be consolidating our spelling through handwriting (letter join). During Guided Reading, we will be exploring a range of fiction, non-fiction and poetry.



**Maths**-We will be continuing with our work on Fractions for the first week after half term. We will then move on to Decimals. Your child will continue to have a rocket test each Friday.

**Science**- In Science, we will be learning about States of Matter. The children will develop skills in knowledge, reasoning and classifying.



**PE**- Your child will have two PE sessions per week.

**4JA will have P.E on Monday and Tuesdays.**

**4MV will have P.E on Monday and Wednesdays.**

Thank you,

Joseph and Melissa