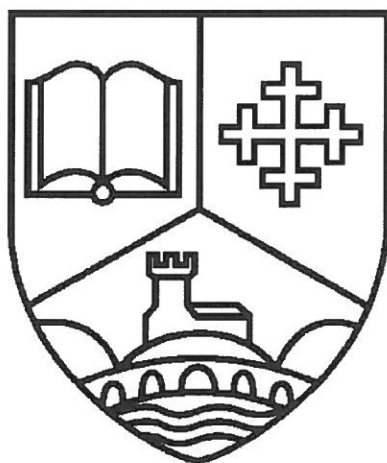


Bidford on Avon C. of E. Primary School



How can I help my child in Year 4?

This booklet outlines the end of year expectations for children in our school. The objectives listed can be used as a starting point for reading, writing or maths activities that you might like to do with your child at home.

It is not a definitive guide or checklist. Some children may at different times be working towards objectives from earlier or later years – so this leaflet can be used in conjunction with the objectives from other years which are available to view on our website.

If you have any queries regarding the content of this booklet or want support in knowing how best to help your child, please talk to your child's teacher.

Mathematics

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Reading

- Give a personal point of view on a text.
- Re-explain a text with confidence.
- Justify inferences with evidence, predicting what might happen from details stated or implied.
- Use appropriate voices for characters within a story.
- Identify how sentence type can be changed by altering word order, tenses, adding/deleting words or amending punctuation.
- Skim & scan to locate information and/or answer a question.



Writing

- Vary sentence structure, using different openers (e.g. A few moments later,....; In the distance,.....;Pedalling furiously,.....).
- Use a comma after a sentence opener (e.g. Later that day, I heard bad news.)
- Use adjectival (descriptive) phrases (e.g. biting cold wind).
- An appropriate choice of noun or pronoun.
- Apostrophe used for singular & plural possession (e.g. Bob's ball/ My parents' car.).
- Use commas within longer sentences.
- Use connectives to link paragraphs (e.g. Firstly, Furthermore, Next, In conclusion).
- Legible, joined handwriting of consistent quality.

