

Moving to  
Year 4

Merlin  
class

After the summer holidays you will be in Year 4!

Your teachers will be;

Mr Barwick



There will be teaching assistants to help you.

In Year 4 you go to the playground in the morning and play until the whistle goes just as you did in year 3.

Then, when the whistle blows you walk into school through the cloakroom just like you did in year 3, put your things on the peg which has your name on it and go into class.



The classroom looks the same as Y3 class, there is still a carpet, tables and chairs they are just a different colour.

They still have all the usual things like computers there too.



The teacher calls the register and then asks what sort of lunch you are having.

The menu is the same as in Year 3 and you can still bring your own packed lunch from home if you wish.

In Y4 you will need a pencil case small enough to fit in your tray. You will need a handwriting pen, pencil, small ruler and colouring pencils.

You do work in literacy and numeracy groups, just like Year 3 the teachers will tell you where to sit at first.

You won't know where the equipment and other things are to start with but you must ask if you need something.

The toilets are situated in the same place off the classroom just like Y3.

There is also a water fountain in the corridor, to fill your bottles.

At lunchtime you go out to play when your lessons are finished. The first bell will ring when the hall is clear.

When you see the Y4 board, you line up by the junior entrance. School dinners line up first with home packed lunches behind. Each week the order changes so you have to look out for the right board.



If you are having a school dinner you get it in just the same way as you did in Y3. Then, whether you are a packed lunch or school dinner you find somewhere to sit with your friends and eat your lunch.

When you finish you go back out to play until the whistle blows.

When the whistle goes, you do not need to line up just walk quietly into class through Y4 cloakroom.

In the afternoon you do more work but there is no afternoon playtime.

The day finishes at 3.20 p.m. and you collect your things and meet your parent on the playground.

There will be some homework in Year 4 but the teachers will explain to you what you have to do and when you should bring it back.

Although there are some changes as you move to Year 4, it is fine when you get used to it and everyone is happy to help, so if you are feeling anxious just tell someone and they should be able to sort out your problem.