

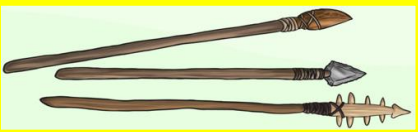
Team Kusama

Dear parents and carers,

We hope you and your families have had a fantastic summer holiday. We are excited to welcome the children back to school! This year, all of the classes will be named after famous artists. Year 4 will be known as Team Kusama, we will be learning all about the Japanese artist Yayoi Kusama and creating our own art work imitating her famous polka dot style! Working with Year 4 this year will be **Mrs Calladine and Mrs Bailey**.



Yayoi Kusama



Our first topic is **'What happened from the Stone Age to the Iron Age?'** Team Kusama will be learning about life in the Stone Age, Bronze Age and Iron Age. We will be creating our own cave paintings and making Iron Age houses. We will also be learning about Stonehenge, building our own mini versions of the monument and making leaflets to persuade people to visit.

Year 4 will be focusing heavily on basic skills like times tables, spellings and reading at the start of this half term. It would be fantastic if you could support us with this and encourage your children to access **Times Tables Rockstars** and **Spelling Shed**. Reading regularly is extremely important so we will be reminding the children to use **GoRead** to log their reading at home. If there is anyone who still cannot access it or is unsure how to use it please come and speak to one of us, we will be happy to help!



Mrs Calladine



Mrs Bailey

The children are looking really smart in their uniforms. Please make sure they carry on wearing their uniform and that it has their name in it so it does not get lost.

Thank you for your support and please do not hesitate to come and speak to us if you have any questions.

Mrs Calladine and Mrs Bailey