



Year 4 Learning Letter

Friday 13th September 2019

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Welcome to the first Learning Letter of the new school year! We'll keep you informed of all the goings on in Year 4. Our topic for this term is Wind in the Willows. More details to follow in the next Learning Letter.



Thanks to all who were able to attend **Meet the Teachers**. For those who were unable to be there, we will include a few key points in this letter. However the presentation from the session can be found on the school website, under the curriculum tab.

Homework: will go out on a Friday and should be handed in by Wednesday of the following week.

Diaries – please record any reading in the diary. These will be checked regularly and signed each week.

Expectations – now that the children are in Y4, we expect them to arrive ready for the day ahead. Water bottles, diaries, homework and being ready to work on the EMA as they arrive in class.

River Walk

As part of our Wind in the Willows topic, we will be going on a river walk to look at the life and surroundings of a river and woodland. The next addition of the Learning Letter will give information of date and requirements re-suitable clothing and footwear.



Waitrose

"We are delighted to announce that Waitrose in Dorking has chosen our school as one of their green token charities during September. Please spread the word amongst friends and family and help us by supporting this great initiative - raising money for a sensory garden to be enjoyed by the whole North Downs community".

Thanks for your support

PE/Games Kit.

PE kits should be in school all week. If they need their kit washed, it should be taken home on a Friday and returned on the Monday. Footballers (lunchtime) need additional trainers and track bottoms.

Reminders:

Clubs: If your child is interested in joining a school club, please make sure that the forms are filled in, signed and returned to the school office.

Pencil cases: If your child has a pencil case, it must be kept in their bag or tray. School provides equipment required for lessons, however, on occasion, we do allow children to use their own pencils e.g. art/DT.

Coming soon:

Maths - place value and number. **English** - Wind in the willows - reading, character and setting descriptions. **Art** - woodland drawings. **Science** - grouping and classifying animals.