Year 4 Learning Letter

Friday 9th October 2026

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High Ashurst

It is not long now and the excitement is mounting! Please help your child to practise making a bed and learn the camp fire songs for this week's homework. Please involve them in packing so that they know what is in their kit bag and day. Please also ensure everything is **labelled** as kit tends to get muddled up in rooms. The packing list was sent 2 weeks ago attached to the last learning letter. On Wednesday 14th at 8:35am, please drop any medication and kit bags to the hall where Mrs Douglass and Mrs P-H will be waiting. Say your goodbyes and then the children can go straight to their classroom with their day bag. It is helpful if a few parents can lend us a hand to load the suitcases onto the minibuses – thank you in anticipation! You are very welcome to stay outside the school, on the other side of the road, to wave us off just after 9am.

We are Learning

Maths – Addition and subtraction using exchanging.
English – instructional writing leading to instructions on bed making.
Science – animals diets and food chains.
History – Romans in Britain
Computing – Internet Safety
R.E. - Christianity - God's covenants with his people
PE – Dance – The Charleston and cricket
PSHE – Being Me in My World
French – phonics
DT - designing and making a slingshot car
KIRF - I know the number bonds to 100.

PE Kit

A gentle reminder that children should come to school wearing the school's purple PE shorts for PE lessons. We have noticed that some children are wearing black gym-style shorts instead. Whilst these are popular for sports clubs outside school, they are not part of our school PE uniform. Thank you for your support in ensuring children wear the correct PE kit and helping us maintain a consistent approach across the school.

Nature Art

As part of our English topic, we went outside to create nature animals and have used these to write instructions. Here is a small sample of our creations.





