



# Year 4 News

## 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2026



### What we've been learning recently

**English** – This week, we have finished our non-chronological report learning journey linked to our Geography topic of “Where does our food come from?” We used formal and technical vocabulary to explain the topic to readers, focusing on imported food, local produce and seasonal eating. Year 4 have demonstrated an excellent attitude over this term in their English lessons and been careful to check that they are including all of the Year 4 skills consistently in their writing – well done for amazing progress across the board!

**Maths** – In maths, we finished securing our understanding of multiplication and division. Following this, we have looked at coordinates, learning how to plot points on a grid using the x and y axis and exploring translation (up, down, left and right).

**Wider Curriculum** – Year 4 enjoyed exploring their science topic of sound through practical demonstrations for their Stay and Learn. In Art, we continued our still life unit inspired by the paintings of Cezanne. We discussed Cezanne’s use of brushstrokes, texture, light and shade and perspective, then applied these ideas to our own still life paintings. In Geography, we debated the pros and cons of importing food vs buying local.

### Over the next fortnight we will be...

Enjoying a well earned rest!

### Important Notices

#### Home Learning



Times tables



Hit the button (quick fire Maths questions)

**PE Day** – Tuesdays

**Reading** – All children should be bringing a book home. Please ensure your child is reading this regularly.

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### Shining Stars

Congratulations to our Shining Stars from the last two weeks for demonstrating our school values.

**4B** – Evie and Ellie (Be Ready, Be Safe and Be Respectful); Scarlett and Maggie (Teamwork Turtle)

**4W** – Joseph and Iris (Be Ready, Be Safe and Be Respectful); George and Harlow (Teamwork Turtle)