

Year 4 Newsletter

Summer 1 2025 - 2026



WINGFIELD
PRIMARY SCHOOL

Welcome back to Summer! We hope that you had a very restful break and the children are ready to continue their fantastic learning across the curriculum!

Learning this term:

This term in **maths**, we will be looking at measurement including area and perimeter, and we will also look at shapes as part of our geometry unit. We will continue to build on our knowledge of time towards the end of the term. In **geography**, we will be studying climate change and the effect it has on the environment. In **R.E.**, we will be looking at the religion of Islam focusing on Ramadan and its significance to Muslims. In **science**, we will be linking our learning of climate change with the water cycle and how this is important for our planet. Our **art** focus will be on the artist Frida Kahlo, who is famous for her self-portraits and themes of identity. We will also write an inspiring speech in the voice of Frida Kahlo for **English**. In **PSHE**, we will be learning about the impact of our decisions on the world around us. Our **computing** focus will be using Scratch to make games and quizzes. This term we will be using the book, 'The Wild Robot Protects', to underpin our reading and writing sequences. In writing, we will be using the text to inspire persuasive writing pieces about the environment. This will also be an excellent opportunity to develop our speaking and listening as we engage in debate style arguments too.



Social Media
Make sure to look at the school's Instagram page @wingfieldprimaryschool where we will share our amazing learning.

Uniform

Please ensure your child wears full school uniform to school each day. This includes a grey Wingfield jumper or cardigan (with school logo), a white polo shirt and grey skirt, dress, shorts or trousers. Children should wear plain black shoes or trainers. Please support us by also ensuring that your child does not wear jewellery – this includes stud earrings.

Please label all items of clothing with your child's name to enable us to return any lost property to the correct child.

Home Learning

Reading:

Please support your child in developing their reading fluency, understanding of vocabulary and love for reading by reading regularly with them at home. Your child is expected to read at home each day. Please record their reading in their **Home Learning Journal** daily and ensure it is brought into school each day.

Maths and Spellings:

Your child will receive weekly mental maths and problem-solving challenges. Please support them to practise and complete these on time. Your child will also receive weekly 'Spellings' to practise each week. Please also encourage your child to regularly practise cursive handwriting of their spelling words at home.

Homework will be available on Showbie each Friday evening and will be expected to be completed by the following Friday.

Thank you for your support!

Miss Gorham, Miss Bhana & Miss Mitakos



Important dates for your diary –

14th April 2026 – 4ZB watercolour painting trip

22nd April 2026 – Earth Day

21st May 2026 – Sports day

P.E. Lessons



4AM – Due to swimming lessons this term on a Wednesday, there will be no additional P.E lessons.
4ZB – Wednesday (outdoor) Thursday (indoor)
4HG – Thursday (indoor), Friday (outdoor)

PLEASE NOTE:

On P.E days your child will be expected to wear their full P.E kit to school and will remain in their kit for the rest of the school day. Swimming lessons will take place each Wednesday.

School P.E kit:

- Plain white t-shirt
- Plain black shorts, leggings or jogging bottoms (no sports logos)
- Plain black sweatshirt or school jumper (no hoodies)
- Comfortable running trainers or plimssoles.

If possible, please bring in a snack for breaktime.

Year 4 Multiplication Checker

In June this year, all Year 4 children will be taking a multiplication checker test. The purpose of the check is to determine whether pupils can fluently recall their times tables up to 12 x 12.

In preparation for the test, please encourage your child to regularly practise their times tables at home.

Useful websites include:



www.timestables.co.uk
www.trockstars.co.uk