

# YEAR 4



## NEWSLETTER

Week beginning 13.10.25

### Key Information

Dates for your Diary:

Artwork Celebration: **Friday 14<sup>th</sup> November 2025 2:45-3:15pm.**

Trip to ThinkTank Science Centre in Birmingham:

**Monday 10<sup>th</sup> November. 8:45-3:30pm**

Year 3 and 4 Panto: **10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> December (more details to follow)**

### Attendance

F2 96.8% Y1 95.6% Y2 96.1% Y3 96.3%

Y4 97.7% Y5 96.9% Y6 96.5%

The whole school target for attendance is 97%

### Message from the Year 4 Team

Year 4 are doing fantastically at logging their reading on Beanstack. If you're having trouble with the website or need another copy of your login details, please let us know.

We're looking forward to discussing how your children are getting on during parents' evenings appointments next week. Please let us know if you need help to book an appointment.

Please keep up the super times table practice that's going on at home. Some children are making huge improvements. We're starting the 4s this week.

### This week's learning

Next week in English we'll be finishing our unit of work on creating a mystical feel to our writing. We've been so impressed with the way the children have engaged with the unit, especially with the vocabulary and we're looking forward to seeing some wonderful independent writing! In Maths, we'll be adding and subtracting 4 – digit numbers using the column method with exchanging. We'll also be finishing off our musical instruments in D and T. We've really enjoyed our Science Topic of Sound and have been very impressed with how knowledgeable the children are. We'll be rounding off this topic by creating a concept map and ensuring the children don't have any unanswered questions.

### Whole school information

Reminder, closing date for Parent Governor nominations is Friday 17<sup>th</sup> October, further information can be found here <https://www.thelanes.notts.sch.uk/parent-governor-vacancy/>

The Friends of the Lanes AGM is on Monday November 17th, 7.30pm at The Cadland, all welcome to attend.

Parents Evenings are on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday next week, please ensure you have made an appointment to meet with your child's class teacher. We look forward to seeing you all over the three evenings. Scholastic Book Fair will also be running at both sites on these evenings.

### Message from Mr Wilkes

We have been made aware that several titles in the *Spy Dogs, Spy Pup, and Spy Cat series by Andrew Cope* contain a weblink at the back of the book that no longer directs people to information about the books. Instead, the link has been compromised and now leads to inappropriate and unsafe material, containing pornographic content with no age restrictions.

***We have removed copies of the book from our school library and classroom book corners.***

Below are images of some of the front covers in the series to help you identify the books should you have any at home. We advise you remove them immediately. Should any be the property of the school, please return them and we will dispose of them accordingly.

