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Dear Parents/ Carers of children in 4A and 4 Alpha,

We are now well underway in our final term of Year 4, and have been having great fun with detective stories so far this term. We appreciate your continued support and have provided you with an outline of the work your child will be completing this term.

<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Numeracy</u></p> <p>Numeracy will be focusing on applying what we know to different types of problems, involving number, measures, fractions and shapes.</p> <p>Also, our aim is for everyone to know all their times tables by the end of the year, so let's keep practising!</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Literacy</u></p> <p>This term will first be looking at detective stories, inspired by the Saxby Smart stories by Simon Cheshire. Later in the term we will also be looking at persuasion texts. We will also be continuing our focus on accurate spelling, grammar and joined handwriting. Reading every day at home will make a huge difference to your child's progress in Literacy.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Science</u></p> <p>Science topics covered this term will be sound, and living things and their habitats.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>ICT</u></p> <p>This term we will be using a coding program called Scratch to continue our learning about programming. We will also continue to develop writing and presentation skills using ICT.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Connected Curriculum</u></p> <p>Our Connected Curriculum theme is focused on geography for this term – particularly on developing map and fieldwork skills. This will cover using a range of maps from a local to a global scale, and carrying out fieldwork on an educational visit after half term.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>RE/ Philosophy</u></p> <p>Religious Education will focus on Christianity and Jesus' parables, and explore our own responses to sacred texts. Philosophy will continue to help children to develop listening, questioning, reasoning and explaining skills by exploring a range of philosophical questions and enquires.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Art & Design</u></p> <p>The children will be continuing to work on a range of different art skills incorporating a variety of different mediums.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>PE</u></p> <p>Year 4 have PE on a Tuesday afternoon. Please ensure that pupils come to school in their PE kit.</p>
<p><u>HOMEWORK</u></p> <p>Every Friday your child will receive homework to complete for the following week. We also expect pupils to be reading at home regularly, both with an adult and independently, and practising their times tables and spellings ready for a test every Friday.</p> <p>Thank you for your continued support.</p> <p>Year 4A Teacher Year 4Alpha Teacher</p> <p>Mr. Whitney Mr. Hay</p>	



Ambitious young minds are the future leaders of our community

