



Planning for summer

Dear Families,

I hope you all had a wonderful Easter. With one holiday completed we have another one around the corner! In the lead-up to Christmas, we experienced our longest term, and now, with the summer term starting, it feels as though we're squeezing everything into the remaining months before the academic year draws to a close.

You'll find in this newsletter two-pages of "Dates for Your Diary," which outlines a busy schedule for the final term. This includes assessments, school trips, sports days, and opportunities for pupils and parents to meet their teachers for the following academic year. Class teachers will also be in touch with you, inviting you into class for lessons or meetings that relate to that particular year group. Please make sure to note these important dates. Fingers crossed; Sports Day will happen as planned this year! However, do bear in mind that the date might change in case of rain.

We remain hopeful for plenty of sunshine and for wet playtimes to become a distant memory. Our outdoor space is fantastic year-round, but with the resolution of our drainage issue, we're especially excited to fully enjoy the school field during playtimes and lunchtimes. Hello, summer!

Thank you all for your continued support.

Best wishes,

Ali Woollerson
(Headteacher)



Thank you to everyone who entered the Easter Hat competition last term, It was tricky for our judges to pick some winners.



Thank you to everyone who joined us for our Charity Afternoon. We raised £240.75 for Cancer research, the chosen charity for LearnAt this year. It was lovely to see so many family members join us for our Easter activities.





SUMMER TERM

Dates for the diary



MAY

Monday 5th May

Bank Holiday Monday (school closed)

Monday 12th May to Thursday 15th May

KS2 SATS for Year 6

Monday 12th May to Friday 23rd May

Assessment fortnight for Years 1 to Year 5

Monday 26th-May to Friday 30th May

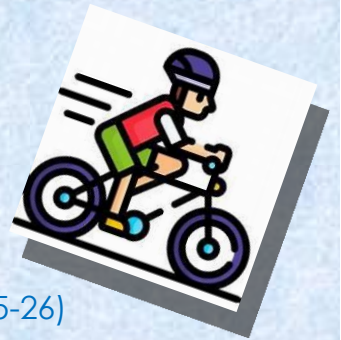
Half Term Holiday (school closed)



JUNE

wc Monday 2nd June

Bikeability for Year 5



Monday 2nd June: times tbc

New Starter Parent Meeting (Foundation 25-26)

Wednesday 4th June 1.15pm- 3pm

Key Stage 2 Sports Day (weather dependant)



Friday 6th June 1.15pm- 3pm

Foundation and Key Stage 1 Sports Day (weather dependant)

w/c 9th June

Multiplication check (Year 4)/Phonics Screening Check (Year 1)

Tuesday 10th June

Year 2 Trip

Wednesday 11th June

Foundation Trip

Monday 16th June

Year 3 trip



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JUNE continued

Monday 23rd June

Meet the new teacher for parents of children currently in Foundation, Year 1 and Year 2

Tuesday 24th June

Meet the new teacher for parents of children currently in Year 3,4 and 5



Thursday 26th June

Year 1 trip

Thursday 26th June

Year 6 evening performance to parents – times tbc



Friday 22nd June

Year afternoon performance to parents- times tbc

Tuesday 1st July & Wednesday 2nd July

Year 6 residential

JULY



Thursday 3rd July

Reports out to parents

Friday 4th July @ 2pm

Leavers 'Service' for Year 6

Friday 4th July

Houghton School Helpers Disco for Foundation to Year 5 pupils: times tbc

Monday 7th July

Transition days for all classes

Tuesday 8th July

Last day of term

