

Newsletter

We work together, we play together, we laugh together, we pray together.

Forthcoming dates

- 2 Apr** Year 4 Easter Assembly 9.15
- 3 Apr** Year 5 Easter Assembly 9.15
- 3 Apr** Instrumental concert 4pm
- 4 Apr** Year 6 Easter Assembly 9.15
- 5 Apr** Break up at 1.30
- 23 Apr** INSET day school closed to pupils
- 24 Apr** Back to school
- 26 Apr** Y2 cake sale
- 26 Apr** House of the term mufti day
- 29 Apr** Chicks in reception
- 2 May** Quiz night
- 3 May** Year 1 Assembly 9.15
- 6 May** Bank holiday
- 7-10 May** Year 2 SATS
- 13-17 May** Y6 SATS
- 20/21 May** Year 2 SATS continues
- 22 May** Parent/child bookshare

Please note that class trips are not added here, please check your child's bag daily for letters from the teacher.

Get thinking!

What shape is time?

What do you think? Take a moment to discuss this at home, or with your friends. Don't worry about whether your answer is right or wrong. It is the process of thinking, and trying to explain your ideas that is important.

Dear Parents,

It was lovely to see so many of you during our parents' evenings this week. Thank you all for your support and kindness; it is so important that we work together to enable the children to make such good progress in their learning and we value all of your efforts to work alongside us.

This is the last newsletter of the term, so we would like to wish you all a happy and blessed Easter, and of course, a wonderful day on Sunday to all of our fantastic mummies! Remember that we return wearing summer uniform!

Best wishes, Mrs Griffiths, Headteacher

Easter Assemblies

The children in Years 4, 5 and 6 will take part in our Holy Week Assemblies next week. They will help us to remember the true importance of Easter. Parents are invited to each assembly. Please may we take this opportunity to remind you that these assemblies are reverent occasions, and we ask that parents refrain from using phones and cameras.



Thank you Mrs Golding!

At the end of next week, our Deputy headteacher Mrs Golding will be leaving the school after 14 years.

Mrs Golding has given so much to our school during her time here. As Reception teacher for many years she knows the children and families well, and she has had an important impact on the development of so many children.

As part of the school's leadership team, and deputy headteacher for 6 years, she has been an incredible support to Mrs Griffiths, and has kept us all organised. Her timetabling ability is legendary!

We will miss you such a lot, and hope you enjoy full time motherhood. Please visit us often (and write all of our timetables).



Remember that school will finish at 1.30pm on Friday 5th April. Please make sure your child attends school on the last day of term.

Instrumental Concert

Miss Martin will be hosting an instrumental concert will on 3rd April after school for those children who play flute, guitar and piano at school. Letters have been sent to the parents of children involved.

School Uniform

Don't forget that after the Easter holidays, children should return to school wearing full summer uniform. While the weather is still changeable, girls may wear white tights and boys may wear long socks. Sun caps in the children's house colours are available at the uniform shop. These caps can be worn for break times and lunch play only when the weather is hot. Caps and boaters must still be worn to and from school. It is a good idea for the children to leave their sun caps in their tray for easy access each day. These caps are an optional item of uniform but please note that non-uniform sun hats may not be worn at school.

Please can we remind you that jewellery is not allowed, and hair should either be tied back or cut short, otherwise it falls in the children's faces while they are working and also encourages the spread of head lice.

Please make sure any items of summer uniform needed for your child are obtained over the holidays. Our uniform is an important part of the school's identity and one of the reasons you will have chosen our school for your child. Thank you.

Rucksacks in Year 2

Please remember that children in Year 2 should only wear school rucksacks on days when they have clubs that require a change of clothes. On these days, they should bring the change of clothes in their rucksacks and hold their lunchboxes in their hands. We are noticing that many children in Year 2 are bringing two rucksacks with them on these days. Not only do we not have space to store them, carrying two bags is not good for growing backs. On all other days Year 2 children should bring their book bags and a lunchbox as they did in Year 1. Children may only bring a rucksack every day when their reach Year 3.

Reception at The Fire Station



Reception Class had a wonderful time visiting Chelsea Fire Station last week as part of their learning this half term. The children's topic is 'What happens when I go to sleep?' They have been thinking about all of the people who help us by working at night time.

They were able to see inside the station, look at what is inside a fire engine, try on the uniform, and even spray the hose. It was a very exciting trip. Thank you to all the parents who came to help and to the firefighters for the brilliant work that they do to keep us all safe.

Bottle Tops

Thank you for sending in bottle tops for our collage. We still need many more so please keep them coming!

Statutory Assessments for Years 2 and 6

Please note the dates for the statutory assessments in the 'forthcoming dates' section of the newsletter. It is important that children are in school every day for these.