



Aspiring to work with our community towards a bright future for our children.

MARCH 2025



March/ April Dates



- Thurs 6th March: WORLD BOOK DAY (info on Dojo)
Meeting for parents of children attending Concover Residential (Hall 3.45pm)
- Tues 18th March: ROCKSTEADY Assembly and Workshops (Further details will be on Dojo)
- Wed 19th – Fri 21st Mar: KS2 residential to Concover Hall
- Mon 24th March: **One Day Creative** workshops for KS2- ONLINE SAFETY (See below)
- Wed 2nd April: PARENTS MEETINGS – look out for booking information via text
- Fri 4th April: EGG ROLLING – HARD BOILED EGGS ONLY
Finish for Easter Break
- Tues 22nd April: Return after Easter Break
- Thurs 1st May: CLOSED TO PUPILS- Polling Station
- Mon 12th to 15th May: Year 6 SATs



Online Safety/ Children accessing age-inappropriate material



13+

- Twitter
- Facebook and Messenger
- Viber
- WeChat
- Monkey
- Yubo
- Dubsmash
- Instagram
- TikTok
- Skype
- Google Hangouts
- Reddit
- Snapchat
- Pinterest

16+

- WhatsApp
- Telegram Messenger
- Tumblr

17+

- Line
- Sarahah
- Tellonym

We are becoming increasingly worried about the number of children (some as young as 6yrs old) accessing apps and websites that are unsuitable for their age.

This has led to several incidents of **online bullying**, use of **offensive language** and **threats**.



SNAPCHAT and **INSTAGRAM** seem to be most widely used for sharing messages and images – these are designed for children aged 13+



Additionally, lots of children (again, some as young as 5yrs old) are playing games with a PEGI rating of 12 or older (Fortnite, Call of Duty) and, due to the violent nature of these games (albeit cartoonish), children are acting out scenes and using VERY unpleasant language.



Please monitor your child's online use and consider the effects on their social and emotional wellbeing and ability to accept boundaries and consequences.

