



Weekly update

It's been a really positive first week back in school. The children have settled quickly back into routines and expectations, and it has been lovely to see such a calm, purposeful start to the half term.

Sports Day will take place on Wednesday, with KS2 in the morning and KS1 and Reception in the afternoon. For families with children across phases, KS2 siblings can be collected as soon as the KS1 and Reception Sports Day has finished.

Our transition days will take place on 30th June and 1st July. Children will find out which class they will be moving into on the morning of the first transition day as usual. The sessions will run from 9:30-11:30am on both days; however, children should come into school as normal and go to their current classrooms, and staff will guide them from there.

In assembly next week, I will be talking to the children about change and the emotions that can come with it, particularly with transition days coming up. This will help prepare them and support them in feeling confident and ready for the next steps.

Have a lovely weekend!

Thanks, Mr Gotheridge




Attendance

Whole school attendance this week: 93.3%

Overall attendance so far this year: 95.35%

Class with the best attendance this week: Owls 99.5%

What attendance percentages look like over the course of a year.

Attendance	What is your attendance?		
	100%	0 days off	Perfect!
	98%	4 days off	Very impressive
	96%	7 days off	Good
	95%	9 days off	Almost there
	94%	11 days off	Needs to improve
	90%	1 month off	Concerns
	80%	2 months off	Serious concerns

As always, if you need any help with attendance, please message, call or pop in and see us.

Most active class on TT Rockstars this week: Badgers

Most active class on Numbots this week: Hedgehogs

Top Tips to Support Your Child with Change

1. Keep talking

Check in with your child regularly about how they're feeling. Reassure them that it's normal to feel worried or excited and let them know you're always there to listen.

2. Talk through what to expect

Explain what transition days will be like and what their new class might involve. Knowing what's coming helps children feel more confident and less anxious.

3. Keep routines steady

Simple, consistent routines (bedtime, mornings, family time) help children feel safe and settled during times of change.



Online Safety Reminder - Messaging and Group Chats

- Be aware of voice chat - children may hear inappropriate language or adult conversations.
- Encourage children to tell an adult if something they hear makes them uncomfortable.
- Show children how to mute, block or report other players.
- Check games carefully - even suitable games may have chat features.

We continue to reinforce online safety in school, but your support at home is essential in helping children make safe and positive choices online.

Diary dates

(More dates to follow next week)

Wednesday 10th June - Sports Day - KS2 morning - 9:15am until 10:15am KS1 and Reception - 2:00pm - 3:00pm

Tuesday 30th June and Wednesday 1st July - Transition days (9:30am - 11:30am both days - children to go their normal classes as usual in the morning).

Friday 17th July - School Summer Fair from 2:45pm onwards (more details to follow nearer the time).

Monday 20th July - Thursday 23rd July - Outdoor week

Tuesday 21st July - Year 6 production 5pm - 6pm followed by graduation until 6:30pm. Disco - 7pm until 8pm (Y6 children can be collected from 2:30pm on this day)

Thursday 23rd July - Last day of term