



Welcome back!

Welcome back everybody, I hope you had a restful break in the sunshine, which unfortunately does not appear to be continuing this week! Please ensure you continue to check the weather each day so your child can come prepared for the day (e.g. sun hats, suncream applied, raincoat etc.) Please ensure everything is named - a lot of hats and water bottles appear to be un-named.

New Year Group Parent Workshops

You will see on the calendar in the coming weeks *New Parent Workshops* for each year group. These are brief presentations for parents of children about to move up to the next year group in September e.g. if your child is currently in Reception you would attend the New Y1 Parent Workshop. The presentations will show what to expect for the next academic year including curriculum, expectations and any changes. All Workshops are being held at **3pm** in the hall.



PSHE: The theme this half term is 'Changing me'. Please refer to the information that has been sent alongside this newsletter so that you can see what your child will be learning.

Looking ahead	
9 th June	Pre-school - Sutton Courtenay Environmental Centre Trip (rescheduled)
10 th June	New Reception Meeting
11 th June	Y2 Geography Fieldwork Walk
12 th June	Inset Day (school closed to children)
17 th June	New Y1 Parent Workshop
24 th June	New Y2 Parent Workshop
30 th June	Y2 Beach trip
1 st July	New Y3 Parent Workshop
7 th & 8 th July	Transition Days

Transition

As stated on the calendar, transition is taking place on the 7th and 8th July for all years, the teachers are planning some exciting activities for the days to introduce them to the new year and to allow the children to get to know the new classroom and teacher.

If your child has special educational needs, you will be invited to a meeting where you will be discussing your child's plan with both your child's current teacher and their new teacher to aid a smooth transition. This is very tricky to schedule, so we will not be able to be particularly flexible about timings. Some children find the idea of moving year groups very unsettling and we will do our utmost to support them during this half term so that they can be successful in the autumn term.



2025/26 Summer Term
Dates and events are subject to changes. Correct at time of writing.

When	Who	What...
9 th June	Pre-school	Sutton Courtenay Environmental Centre Trip (rescheduled)
10 th June	Pre-school parents	10am - New Reception Meeting
11 th June	Year 2	Geography Fieldwork Walk
12 th June	Whole School	Inset Day (school closed to children)
17 th June	Reception Parents	3pm - New Year 1 parent meeting
24 th June	Year 1 Parents	3pm - New Year 2 parents meeting
30 th June	Year 2	Beach Trip to Hengistbury Head
1 st July	Year 2 parents	3pm - New Year 3 parents meeting
4 th July	Whole School	Summer Fete - PTA Event
7 th & 8 th July	Whole School	Transition Days
13 th July	Reception	Reception end of year assembly
14 th July	Rocksteady parents	9.30am Rocksteady Concert
14 th July	Pre-School	2.30pm Pre-School Assembly
15 th July	Y1&Y2	3pm KS1 assembly
16 th July	2 year olds and Preschool	Last Day
17 th July	Reception-Y2	Last Day. No 2 year old/Preschool session. Gates open at 11.50am and shut at 12pm.

Term dates this academic year:		
Summer 1	13th April-22 nd May	
Summer 2	1st June- 17 th July (the school will shut at 12 noon on 17 th July)	Inset Day 12 th June (the school will be closed to children). Pre-school and 2 year olds - there will be no session on Friday 17 th July

Looking ahead.....Term dates 2026-27	
First Day of term	Thursday 3 rd September 2026
Half term	26th October – 30th October 2026
Last day of term	Thursday 17th December at 12 noon (nursery sessions finish on Wednesday 16th December)
Winter Holidays	18 th December - 1 st January 2027
Further information	Thursday 3rd September 2026 and Friday 4th September 2026 half days for Reception children, allocated as either morning or afternoon. 7 th September in full time. 9th September Pre-school children start on allocated days INSET DAYS Tuesday 1st September and Wednesday 2nd September Friday 9 th October 2026
Spring Term	
First day of term	4 th January 2027
Half term	15 th February - 19 th February 2027
Last day of term	Pre school 24 th March 2027 Rest of school 25 th March at 12 noon, gates will open at 11:50am
Easter/Spring holidays	26 th March - 9 th April 2027
Further information	
Summer term	
First day of term	12 th April 2027
Half term	31 st May - 4 th June 2027
Last day of term	Pre school: Monday 19 th July Rest of school: Tuesday 20 th July at 12 noon. Gates will open at 11:50am.
Further information	Inset day on Friday 11 th June and Wednesday 21 st July

Please note dates will be added throughout the year as we continue to update the school calendar.