



Newsletter

2nd May 2025

Message from the Headteacher

It's been a hot week! It hasn't slowed our children down and there has been some great learning taking place in school. Robin class particularly enjoyed their trip to Ufton Court to find out more about the Vikings- take a look at the fabulous photos on our Facebook page!

In assemblies this term we are looking at our Golden Rules. This week we have unpicked what it means to Be Respectful, and the behaviours we can show which demonstrate this. Children have had the chance to nominate their peers who they feel have been very respectful to them. We have written a 'Be Ready, Be Respectful, Be Safe' curriculum which is now available on our website for you to read.

Next week, some of our older (Y4-Y6) children have the opportunity to learn to play Lacrosse! We still have a few spaces left, so please contact the office if interested.

We'd love to have some parents talk to the children about their jobs and how they use Science in our Science week! Please come and talk to me if you can help out.

Have a great bank holiday weekend!

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Mrs Beulah Letchford
Headteacher

Celebration Assembly

Congratulations to the following children who received a **School Values** certificate in celebration assembly today; Kacper, Evie, Cole, Lincoln.

Congratulations to the following children who received a **Golden Rules** certificate in celebration assembly today; Nelly, Emma, Tahlia, Robin Class!

Key Notices

- **Science Curriculum Week**- If you have a science based career and would like to come into school and do something with the children during our science week in May, we'd love to hear from you! We'd love to have four inspirational speakers

during our assemblies Mon-Thurs from 2:50-3:05pm to talk about the careers an interest in science can lead to!

- **Water bottles with fans-** With the hot weather some children have been bringing in fans which spray water. We are asking that these are not used for this purpose in school- we don't want written work or the Chromebooks getting wet, and not every child likes water sprayed at them. The children are kept cool with fans in the classroom, and water is available for drinking, which is the best way to keep cool.
- **PE kits-** please ensure children have the correct PE kit in school for their PE lessons. This should be a navy t-shirt with the school logo, navy shorts and suitable trainers or plimsolls. Under layers or navy tracksuits may be worn in colder weather.
- **Attendance-** we had 100% attendance on Tuesday this week- sadly this is the first day this has happened in 2025. Missing school has a huge impact on a child, their learning, their social interactions and well-being, and the learning of other children in the class. Unless your child is unwell, please do make sure they are in school every day.

Dates for the Diary

Monday 5 th May	Bank Holiday
Tuesday 6 th May	Y3/4 cricket festival - selected children only
Thursday 8 th May	Y3/4 tri-golf - selected children only
Monday 12 th May - Thursday 15 th May	Year 6 SAT's
Friday 16 th May	FOBS second hand uniform sale - donations welcome!
Monday 19 th May- Friday 23 rd May	Science Curriculum Week
Thursday 22 nd May	KS2 AWE Workshops
Wednesday 21 st May	PBS Parent Workshop - 5.30pm-7.00pm see email for details
Monday 26 th May - Friday 30 th May	Half Term
Monday 2 nd June	Class Photos - full school uniform please
Saturday 7 th June	KS2 Quad Kids event- selected children only
Tuesday 24 th June - Monday 30 th June	Book Fair after school
Wednesday 25 th June	Robin Class trip to Ramsbury Estate
Friday 27 th June	Sports Day

Saturday 28 th June	Newbury Netball Tournament- selected children only
Friday 4 th July	RESERVE Sports Day
Saturday 5 th July	FOBS Summer Fair
Thursday 17 th July	Falcon Class play to parents - approx. 1.30pm & 6.00pm (tbc)
Monday 21 st July	Year 6 Leavers' Party after school
Tuesday 22 nd July	Last day of term