

SUMMER TERM NEWSLETTER 11th May



Dear Parents and Carers,

We would like to wish our **Year 6 pupils the very best of luck** as they begin their SATs this week. They have all worked incredibly hard, and we are very proud of their effort, resilience, and positive attitude. We know they will do well and please can we ask that you encourage them to get plenty of rest and arrive on time each morning.

We would also like to remind families about the **importance of safe and considerate parking** outside of school. Please ensure that you only park in designated areas, avoid blocking driveways, and always keep clear of the school gates. This helps us keep all children safe during busy drop-off and pick-up times. Thank you for your continued cooperation.

Please can we ask you to order school lunches in advance and complete any required consent forms for trips etc by the stated deadlines. Getting these tasks completed on time really helps us plan effectively and ensure everything runs smoothly, especially at this busy time of year.

As we are now in SATs week, please be aware that mornings in school will be particularly busy. If you call during this time, your call may not be answered immediately. If it is easier, please feel free to email the office instead. Thank you for your understanding.

Please be aware **that term-time holiday requests** can only be authorised in truly exceptional circumstances. Family holidays, travel cost considerations, or parental work patterns do not meet the threshold for exceptional leave. Any unauthorised absence may result in a fixed penalty notice being issued by the local authority. We kindly ask all parents and carers to support good attendance by arranging holidays outside of school term dates.

Each school's diary dates overview is updated on a weekly basis so please look out for this as well as any class specific emails.

Warm regards

Executive Headteacher

Safeguarding children – if you have any concerns for the welfare of a child please contact Miss Miller, Miss Tams or Mr Broxup.

Respecting staff – our staff are dedicated professionals. We will not accept any abuse towards our staff.