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# Welcome Back

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Welcome back to all our families after what was a sunny, and hopefully restful, break.

As the Summer Term starts, we begin to look forward to warmer days and more time spent outdoors. Please ensure you send your child to school wearing suncream, and with a hat and water bottle please.

We often see an increase in holiday requests in the Summer Term. Please note that, in line with government expectations, we are not able to authorise requests for holidays in term time and are required to refer absences due to holidays to the Education Welfare Officer.

Thank you for your continued efforts with attendance, punctuality and uniform. We will continue to focus on these areas throughout the Summer term to ensure that all pupils are meeting the high expectations we have of them.

We are looking forward to our assembly on Friday as we have a visiting music teacher from Berkshire Maestros coming in to demonstrate the woodwind instruments which will be available for individual and group tuition this term. Look out for more details to follow.

Finally, I would like to wish the best of luck to our football team who have their Cup semi-final against Hillside school on Friday afternoon. Good luck team!

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Kind regards

L. Onnell

Ms Quinell Headteacher



### Wednesday 23rd April 2025

## NOTICEBOARD

#### ATTENDANCE AWARD:

The class with the best attendance across the whole school the last week of term was Kites with 92.2%. Well done Kites!



#### LOWER SCHOOL BOOKWORMS:

Well done to Badgers who were top bookworms before Easter.

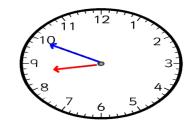


#### PUNCTUALITY UPDATE:

Total minutes late between 02.04.25 and 22.04.25 was 835, which is unfortunately 46 late minutes up from 789 the previous week. Please ensure you do all you can so your children are in their classrooms by 8.50am. I will be contacting parents of children who are repeatedly late to meet to discuss how we can ensure children are in school on time as much as possible.

#### REMINDER—SCHOOL GATE TIMINGS:

A reminder the school gate now shuts at 8.50am, if you miss the school gate being open you need to access the school via the office and your child will be marked as late.



## Attendance

Our minimum attendance target is 96.5%. Please help us to ensure your child receives the best education by attending school regularly and being on time.

Our whole school attendance for the last week of term was 85.7% which was a disappointing end to the term.

Butterflies— Dhruv Robins — Enver & Kyla-Rae Hedgehogs— Finnley Badgers — Mykola Foxes — No star pupil this week Woodpeckers— Bilal & Maria

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Star Pupils -w/c 31/03/25

Owls— Kieron Kites— Esther Falcons— Jaya Hawks— Whole Class Eagles— Phoebe

<u>Well done to all of our</u> <u>Stars!</u>

