

Upcoming events

Please find a list of diary dates:

- 5th & 6th Jun – Bikeability for Year 6
 - 12th Jun – Empathy Day
 - 16th Jun – Year 6 to LifeSkills Centre
 - 20th Jun – World Music Day
 - 25th Jun – New Reception parents' Information Evening, 6.00pm
 - 3rd Jul – Class photos
 - 4th Jul – WOWSA Rags to Riches
 - 8th Jul – Year 6 performance, 6.00pm
 - 9th Jul – Year 6 performance, 1.45pm
 - 10th Jul – Nailsea School Induction Day for Year 6 pupils
 - 10th Jul – Move Up Morning
 - 11th Jul – Reception to Court Farm
 - 11th Jul – Year 6 Leavers' Disco
 - 14th Jul – French Day
 - 17th Jul – Annual Pupil Reports
 - 22nd Jul – Last day of term
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- 2nd Sept – INSET day
 - 3rd Sept – INSET day
 - 4th Sept – Children return to school

Reminders

Don't forget that the **Great Whiteoak Writing Competition** entries are due back to class teachers by **next Wednesday** (11th June). We have already had some submissions and many of the conversations with children and parents at the book stall on Saturday told me there were more to come – very exciting!

Parent Survey 2025

Thank you very much to the parents who completed last term's annual parent survey. We have now had the results through from our Trust and will begin analysing them and considering any suggestions or development points for next year. We will of course share a summary of the results with you before the end of this term.

School Uniform discount

A quick note to say that Goulds/School Togs (uniform supplier) are currently offering a 10% discount on all school uniform purchases. Please visit the [website](#) to place your orders.

Welcome to Term 6!

Welcome to the final term of this academic year. We hope you all had a lovely half term and are looking forward to the final few weeks of this academic year. It has been lovely to see the children back at school this week, enjoying time with their friends and working hard in class.

The circus came to school!

A huge thank you to the WOWSA team for this weekend's circus event. It was hugely successful with families from both schools plus the local area coming to enjoy a professional circus performance plus a variety of stalls and refreshments in our hall. There was a wonderful atmosphere throughout the day and the team worked tirelessly to bring a day of fun and community together.



The colour hamper made a particularly impressive display (thank you to everyone who donated items for these) and I know the families who won them were delighted! Thank you again to WOWSA and everyone who helped on the day; it really was great fun.

Year 6 Cricket Event

Some of our Year 6 pupils had a fantastic day on Wednesday this week, taking part in a cricket festival with many other schools. They surprised themselves with boundaries and wickets and leading the play in many of the games! Miss Powell and Shannon were really proud of their communication and team spirit and all round exemplary conduct. Well done everyone!



Premier Summer Holiday Camp

Booking is now open for Premier Sports' summer holiday camps, open from 23rd July through to 29th August. Children aged 4 to 11 years can attend and the online booking price is £12.32 for the day (half day sessions also available). Booking information can be found by clicking [here](#).

Empathy Day – Thursday 12th June

Next Thursday all classes will spend some time thinking about the word 'empathy' – what it means and what it looks like in action. Unlike the basic emotions that are hardwired at birth, we need to experience empathy to be able to show it. Empathy is a learnable skill, not a trait, and one we believe is essential for our young people to become successful, rounded members of their communities.



Do have a chat with your child next Thursday to see what they understand about empathy and what it means to show this in their daily lives.

Grove Sports Day medal winners

Congratulations to our KS2 sports day medal winners! These are pupils who showed fantastic sporting behaviour throughout sports week, displaying graciousness and understanding in both winning and losing. Well done everyone.



Keeping Children Safe Online

In our staff training day on Monday, we spent some time exploring our responsibility as a school in keeping children safe online and how we ensure we teach this in an age-appropriate, timely way. I was reminded of how the online world changes so quickly and how hard it can be for adults to keep up. The NSPCC has a fantastic set of resources for both schools and parents to help us navigate online risks, whether our children are gaming, chatting, posting or streaming. There are particularly good sections on [social media](#) and [online games](#) which I can highly recommend, along with many other useful resources on their [website](#).

Have a great week and thank you to everyone who supported the circus event on Saturday.
Victoria Reyes, Headteacher