

Reminders this week...

The end of term will soon be upon us, so please take a moment to read some important reminders about the activities happening in the last week before the Christmas break.



Festive Diary Dates

DECEMBER 2025	
Monday 15 th	Years 1-6: Carol Concert at St Michael and St Mary Magdelene Church, Easthampstead
	Year 3&4: Movie afternoon with popcorn and fruit squash
Tuesday 16 th	Reception: Performance of 'Our First Nativity' – 2.15pm in Gold Hall
Wednesday 17 th	Years R-6: Christmas Jumper Day and School Christmas Lunch
	Nursery: Singalong and Craft afternoon – 2.00-3.00pm
	Reception: Christmas Activity Afternoon
Thursday 18 th	Nursery: Last day of term – normal finish time
	Years 1, 2, 5 & 6: Christmas Activity Afternoon
Friday 19 th	Last Day of Autumn Term – School Closes at 2.15pm



School Christmas Lunch Menu – Order now on ParentPay!

We do not have our usual number of lunch orders for Christmas Dinner so please can you go online and make sure lunch is ordered for this very special day on our calendar!

There are only two lunch choices on this day as it is a very busy day for our school kitchen! The options are:

1. Roast Turkey with pigs in blanket, stuffing and Yorkshire pudding, roast potatoes, carrots, sprouts/peas and gravy
2. (V) Quorn Fillet with pigs in blanket, stuffing and Yorkshire pudding, roast potatoes, carrots, sprouts/peas and gravy.



The dessert option for the day will be Festive Chocolate Crisp Pudding.

Christmas Jumper Day 2025

Next Wednesday is a fun-filled festive day where we celebrate the season as a whole school with our Christmas Jumper Day!

As in previous years, we do not expect you to rush out and buy a Christmas jumper as we know this can be very expensive! The children can decorate their own jumper at home if they wish or wear a favourite jumper of their choice.

Supporting Local Charities

We would like to use this day as an opportunity to raise some funds for some local charities, so please if you are able to, consider sending in a donation of £1-2 with your child on the day.

We would like to support First Days Children's Charity, who supply low cost and sometimes free uniform, coats, hats and gloves for families in need, along with many other projects supporting our local communities.

You can read more about the charity here: <https://www.firstdays.net/>

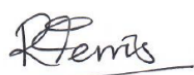
We would also like to continue to support Daisy's Dream, who do amazing work with young people dealing with or preparing for bereavement and helping them adapt to their changing situations. You can read more about this charity here: <https://www.daisysdream.org.uk/>

End of Term Arrangements

Please note the following for the last days of the autumn term next week:

- ☆ Nursery children finish at normal time on Thursday 18th December.
- ☆ Years R-6 finish at 2.15pm on Friday 19th December.
- ☆ After school club will finish at 4.45pm on Friday 19th December.

Thank you for your continued support and have a relaxing weekend!



Richard Ferris
Headteacher



Attendance Stars

Classes with the highest attendance this week:

- 1st Place – Foxes (98.9%)
- 2nd Place – Falcons (98.0%)
- 3rd Place – Hawks (97.4%)



Diary Dates

JANUARY 2026	
Monday 5 th	Whole School: Start of Spring Term
Thursday 8 th	Open Event for parents of children starting Nursery or Reception in 2026 – 9.15am, click here for information
Wednesday 14 th	Reception: Family Learning Maths ‘Magic Pebbles’ – 1.45-3.10pm
Thursday 15 th	Deadline for applications for a Reception place (Sept 2026)
Tuesday 20 th	Year 5: Trip to Ufton Court – cost £20
	Year 4: Trip to Reading Museum – cost £18
Friday 23 rd	Year 1: Trip to Windsor Castle – cost £17
Wednesday 28 th	Year 2: Trip to Brooklands Museum – cost £25
FEBRUARY 2026	
Wednesday 4 th	Nursery: Family Learning Maths ‘Washing Lines’ – 9.00-10.30am
	Year 6: Trip to Didcot Railway Centre – cost £23.50
Thursday 5 th	Year 3: Family Learning English ‘SPaG 1’ – 9.00-10.30am
Friday 6 th	Year 4: Family Learning English ‘SPaG 2’ – 9.00-10.30am
Monday 16th to Friday 20th	HALF TERM BREAK
Friday 27 th	TRUST WIDE INSET DAY – pupils not in school
MARCH 2026	
Wednesday 18 th	Reception: NCMP Height, Weight, Vision and Hearing Screening – letter to follow
Friday 27th	Last Day of Spring Term

These dates are subject to change, we will try to give as much notice as possible!