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Dear Parents and Carers,

We would like to start our newsletter this week by congratulating our Year 5 and 6 children on their amazing efforts and successes during their mock SATs exams, this week. We are very proud of each and every one of you.

Next week is Mental Health Week and we are very much looking forward to all of our planned activities. A reminder that, on Monday the children can come to school wearing anything that makes them happy; for example, this could be fancy dress, pyjamas or a football kit. On Thursday the children will be taking part in a Yoga session so children are invited to wear their PE on this day. To finish the week, on Friday the whole school will be taking part in a 'Walk and Talk' around the local area. Please ensure your children bring in suitable footwear for this.

Please note: Year 3 and 4 children will still have PE on Monday and therefore their clothing needs to be suitable for this. If your child is in Year 5 and 6 and therefore wearing a Greek costume on Thursday, please ensure their undergarments are suitable for yoga and they will still be ending their day with their yoga session. On Friday, the KS1 and EYFS children will need to ensure they bring trainers with them as well as wellies or walking boots as they will still be doing PE after the walk.

Additionally, next week, to celebrate Chinese New Year we have teachers from The Anglo European School coming in to conduct a Chinese workshop with our oldest children. This workshop will take place on Monday afternoon. On Thursday, Ms Tavener will be cooking us an extra special Chinese New Year Lunch; please make sure you have booked all dinners via ParentPay.

Letters were returned to parents this week regarding your appointment time for Parents' Evening. If you are yet to receive your slip, or have not yet returned your letter, please speak to your child's teacher or the member of staff on the gate.

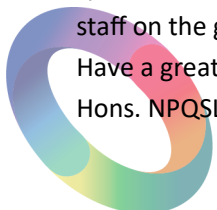
Finally, the PTA are putting on another brilliant Movie Afternoon, next Friday, from 1-3pm. If you did not receive a letter about this, please speak to a member of the PTA on the playground, or the member of staff on the gate.

Have a great weekend. Mrs Melissa Taylor (Executive Headteacher, BA Hons. NPQSL) and Mrs Sarah Tate, (Head of School, BA Hons. NPQSL).

"Discovering a world of possibilities together"

TERM DATES:

5th Feb Children's Mental Health Week
5th Feb KS2 Chinese New Year workshop
8th Feb Year 5/6 Greek Day
9th Feb PTA Movie Afternoon
12th-13th Feb Year 6 Bikeability
13th Feb Parents Evening
16th Feb Last Day of Spring 1
26th Feb First Day of Spring 2
29th Feb Year 3 and 4 Football matches
7th Mar World Book Day—information to follow
7th Mar PTA Second Hand Book Sale
15th Mar SENDCO One Plan Meetings
19th Mar LIFE Bake Off—information to follow
20th Mar Year 1 and 2 visit to Chatham Green—letter to follow
21st Mar EYFS Visit to Daisy May's Farm—letter to follow
22nd Mar SENDCO One Plan Meetings
26th Mar Local Governor Committee Meeting
27th Mar PTA Easter Egg Hunt
28th Mar Easter Service in church 10:30am
28th March Last Day of Spring 2
15th April First Day of Summer 1
6th May Bank Holiday
13th—17th May KS2 SATs Week
20th—24th May KS1 SATs Week
24th May Last Day of Summer 1
3rd June INSET Day
4th June First Day of Summer 2
12th June Year 1 Phonics Screening
26th—28th June Year 5/6 Danbury Residential
1st July Zoe Bear's Birthday
23rd July Year 6 Leavers Assembly 10:30am
23rd July Last Day of Summer 2



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Please note...

If you need to contact school, for any reason, please email admin@roxwell.essex.sch.uk. Previous email addresses linked to the school or past members of staff are not monitored and therefore emails will be missed.

Forest schools for Year 3/4 and 5/6 will be alternate weeks. Please ensure your children bring in the correct clothes. **Arms and legs must be covered!**

Awards this Week

Headteacher Award: Year 6 for behaving beautifully during their mock SATs this week

English: Rosie for using really good punctuation in her writing and using Alan Peat sentences

Maths: Bella for trying really hard in her mock SATs and never giving up!

Values: Rayah for being very kind and considerate

Sports: Noah for showing good sportsmanship on the pitch at breaktimes

Art: Sonny for his creative Three Little Pigs roleplaying

Zoe Bear: Pippa for always being kind, caring and hardworking

Reading Awards: River, Betsy, Zach and Fred

Head Prefect Pupil: Wallis for making an amazing Greek Pot

Head Prefect Staff: Miss Purcell for taking part in her first Year 5/6 Mock SATs!

