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Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back! What a fantastic first week of the Summer Term we have had. We loved hearing about all the adventures the children had during their Easter break. The children have returned to school rested and ready to learn. Yesterday we all took part in our litter picking marathon; collectively we were able to pick up over 5 full bags of rubbish from our school playground and field; WOW! Well done to all the children who took part.

On Monday 28th April, the Summer Term after-school clubs will start. As we mentioned prior to the Easter break, due to us now 'going green' and trying to be as paperless as possible, letters will not be sent confirming your child's place in a club. Instead, acceptance will be shown via the club appearing on your payment list on ParentPay. Please check your lists very carefully to ensure that you, and your children, are well prepared for their new clubs. A reminder that children must wear PE kit for all sporting based clubs (Zumba, basketball etc); any children who are not appropriately dressed will not be able to join in due to health and safety precautions; this includes ensuring that earrings are removed and long hair is tied back.

As we enter the Summer Term we would like to take this opportunity to remind parents of the Summer Uniform Policy. Children can wear either:

- Charcoal grey shorts, trousers, skirt, skort or pinafore with a white shirt, blue and gold stripped tie, grey socks and black school shoes Or
- Blue gingham dress or playsuit with white socks and black school shoes.

Nail varnish, of any kind, should not be worn to school and jewellery is limited to a wrist watch and one pair of small, stud earrings.

Could we also remind parents that all personal items, including uniform, hats and water bottles, should be clearly named. Should an item be misplaced, it is far easier to get it back it it's owner if it has a name on it.

As part of our Vision ReVision morning on 6th May the children will require a 500ml plastic water bottle (single use, not reusable). Could we ask that any water bottles used between now and then are saved and brought into school. Thank you.

Wishing you a lovely weekend.

Best wishes, Mrs Melissa Taylor (Executive Headteacher, BA Hons, NPQSL, NPQH) and Mrs Sarah Tate, (Head of School, BA Hons, NPQSL).

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TERM DATES:

28th Apr Clubs Start 28th Apr Project:ME starts for Year 6 1st May EYFS visit to Daisy May's Farm 5th May Bank Holiday 6th May Vision ReVision Morning 12th May Year 6 SATs Week 12th May Year 6 SATs breakfast club starts 7:45am 19th May Year 6 SATs Treat Lunch 20th May Year 5 and 6 WW2 Day 21st May Essex Fire and Police Sessions for Year 6 23rd May Last day of Summer 1 2nd Jun First day of Summer 2 2nd Jun Year 4 Multiplication Check Week 3rd Jun EYFS Starters 2025 Stay and Play 9th Jun INSET Day 10th Jun Year 1 Phonics Screening Week 19th Jun Class Photos 19th Jun EYFS Starters 2025 Stay and Play 23rd Jun Being British Week 23rd Jun Year 1 and 2 'Let's Explore' Day 24th Jun Year 3/4 visit to Colchester Cas-24th Jun RSE Talk for Year 5 and 6 Parents 2:30pm—letter to follow 25th Jun EYFS Starters 2025 Stay and Play 26th Jun EYFS Dinosaur Day 26th and 27th Jun Anglo Year 6 Transition Days

2nd Jul Year 1 and 2 class assembly 3rd Jul Piano Concert 9am in the hall 8th Jul EYFS Starters 2025 Stay and Play (no parents) 9th Jul LIFE Awards Evening

10th KS2 Dress Rehearsal 10th Jul Year 5 and 6 Football Match at Roxwell

10th Jul Danbury Information Session for parents 3:30pm

11th Jul Sports Day and Family BBQ 15th Jul KS2 production 1:30pm and 6pm 16th Jul Break the Rules Day 18th July Summer Disco 22nd Jul Year 6 Leavers Assembly 10am

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Please note...

This week's school attendance was 98.1%. Our current year to date attendance is 94.7%.

Please ensure all uniform is named; it makes it much easier to return when lost or found!

All trophies are to be returned to school on Monday.

This Week's Awards

Our Headteacher Award is unfortunately broken and therefore being replaced.

Our English Award goes to Isaiah for using great adjectives

Our Maths Award goes to Archer for resilience to challenges

Our Values Award goes to Franklyn for being optimistic with his work

Our Sports Award goes to Isaac for working well with others

Our Arts Award goes to Elliot for an amazing church model

Our Zoe Bear Award goes to Archer for always trying hard

Our Reading Awards go to Darcy, Bridie, Hattie and Darcy



