



*Be strong and
courageous.....for the
Lord your God is with
you*

Tuesday 13 May 2025

Headteacher's Newsletter No 9

Dear Parent/Carer,

As this is the first newsletter of the Summer Term, I would like to welcome everyone back following the Easter break. I hope you are looking forward to the Summer Term – there are lots of exciting events and opportunities ahead.

Miss Caroe –Year Two Class Teacher

Miss Caroe will be leaving at the end of this academic year to take up a new role in a Special School. Miss Caroe joined us in 2022 as an Early Career Teacher and has taught in both Year 3 and Year 2. She has been a positive and enthusiastic member of staff, particularly in her role as Computing Lead.

We will miss Miss Caroe's creativity and her positive contributions to school life, especially in supporting the well-being of our pupils. We wish her every success in her new role.

I am pleased to share that we have appointed new teacher Mr Sam Biddle who will be joining us in September.

Lent Challenges

This year we decided to take time in Lent to give back to our community by working on our Courageous Advocacy Projects.

Each class took a week to share their project with the rest of the school to raise awareness and set challenges that would engage and challenge all to 'be the change' in our world. Please visit the website to see what each year group actioned. <https://www.hwce.co.uk/courageous-advocacy-4/>

Easter Service – Thursday 03 April

Thank you to all the parents who were able to come and join in our celebration of Jesus' life. Mrs Wells prepared the children so well and the children did an amazing job sharing the story of Jesus' life through singing, acting and readings.



This Easter we chose to support: **Bucks Mind**

Thank you for your generosity, we managed to raise £51.13.



Reporting

We will report the outcomes of the KS2 tests, the EYFS profile assessments, the Phonics Screening Check, and the Multiplication Tables Check in your child's annual report, which will be sent home to parents in July once all assessments have been completed and results received. Teacher assessment results for all other year groups will also be included in the annual report.

Inset Dates - 2025 – 2026

Each year, school has 5 days for staff training and during these days, children are not in school. I thought it would be helpful to confirm the dates for your diaries for the next academic year.

Day	Date
Wednesday	3 rd September
Thursday	4 th September
Monday	5 th January
Monday	13 th April
Monday	1 st June

A few date reminders

- Monday 12 to Thursday 15 May Year 6 National Tests SATS
- Friday 16 May Year 6 End of SATS treat
- Friday 16 May Year 2 Class Assembly
- Tuesday 20 May Year 5 Secondary Transfer Test /PGL Meeting 3.30pm
- Wednesday 21 May Cake Sale Year 1,2,4 and 6
- Friday 23 May Break up for Half Term 3.15pm
- Monday 2 June Staff Training Day
- Tues 3 June Children return for second half of Summer Term
- Monday 9 June to Friday 13 June Year 1 to 5 Assessment Week
- Monday 9 June to Friday 13 June Phonics Screening Check Week
- Monday 9 June to Friday 13 June Year 6 PGL Residential Trip

Yours sincerely



Celine Hawkins
Headteacher

