



# Newsletter



Dear Parents/Carers,

It is hard to believe we have come to the end of another term and we are nearing the end of this academic year. We have had a busy term full of exciting topics, trips and learning. The children have continued to work hard and show their amazing 'Riverside Attitude'.

Year 1 enjoyed visiting Rochester Castle this week. They travelled by train and were fantastic ambassadors of our school. It was great to see the sun shining for them and they were all keen to talk about their adventures afterwards. There are more trips planned for next term. Please check the diary dates attached to this newsletter. We must have permission for these trips, which you can find on our school money app.

Today the children enjoyed "Around the World Day", where they looked at different countries and explored cultures, languages and food linked to them. A huge thank you to staff and pupils at Rainham Mark who supported this today.

Well done to all the children who received end of term certificates this week. It is always great to see the progress the children are making.

Miss Tullett shared letters on each Class Dojo page about the 'Changing Me' topic in PSHE next term. It is so important that children acquire knowledge and skills to stay safe, be healthy and understand how their bodies change over time. The vocabulary and information about what will be covered next term was in this letter. Please take a moment to look so that you know what your child will be learning.

We hope you have a lovely break with your families and we will see you back on Monday 5th June.

Yours sincerely,

Helen Robson  
Head of School

Term 5 2023

Week 6

Friday 26th May 2023

## Attendance

The classes with the best attendance this week are:

Owls (Y6)

Squirrels (Y2)

Woodpeckers (Y1)



## Upcoming Events:

5th June 2023—Children return to school for Term 6.

5th June—12th June—Multiplication Check for Year 4

6th June—Year 6 Magistrates Talk

8th June—New Reception Parent Meeting at 6pm in the hall

9th June—FoRPS Father's Day Gift Shop

## Sun Safety

Next term, please make sure your child has a sun hat in school, a water bottle and sun cream if needed as the weather is now getting warmer.



## PROUD MOMENT...

Well done to all the children in Year 2 who have been working hard on their reading and maths SATS over the past couple of weeks. They have shown great resilience and have approached these with positivity and enthusiasm! Well done Puffins and Squirrels.



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Riverside Primary School Diary Dates 2022 – 2023

*Spring Break – Monday 29<sup>th</sup> May to Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2023*

Term 6	
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> June 2023	Children Back to School
Week beginning Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> June 2023 until Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> June 2023	Year 4 Multiplication Check
Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> June 2023	Year 6 Magistrates Talk
Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> June 2023	New Reception Class parent meeting at 6:00pm
Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> June 2023	FoRPS Father's Day Gift Shop
Week beginning Monday 12 <sup>th</sup> June 2023	Year 1 Phonics Check
Tuesday 13 <sup>th</sup> June 2023	Year 6 trip to Imperial War Museum
Thursday 15 <sup>th</sup> June 2023	Nursery School Readiness workshops 11:00am and 2:40pm
Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> June 2023	Robins Class Assembly 8:55am Workshop for parents on Secondary transition at 9:15am Year 6 transition to Secondary school workshop for pupils
Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup> June 2023	Year 2 trip to Riverside Country Park
Wednesday 21 <sup>st</sup> June 2023	Year 3 trip to Guildhall Museum
Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> June 2023	Hedgehogs Class Assembly 8:55am FoRPS Sweet Tag Day for summer fete
Week beginning Monday 26 <sup>th</sup> June 2023	Healthy Lifestyles Week
Friday 30 <sup>th</sup> June 2023	Sports Day
Saturday 1 <sup>st</sup> July 2023	Summer Fete
Sunday 2 <sup>nd</sup> July 2023	Year 6 YEE Competition
Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> July 2023	Reception trip to Kent Life
Wednesday 5 <sup>th</sup> July 2023	Summer Exhibition
Thursday 6 <sup>th</sup> July 2023	Transition mornings to new class
Friday 7 <sup>th</sup> July 2023	Transition mornings to new class
Wednesday 12 <sup>th</sup> July 2023	Year 6 Play 6:30pm Time to Talk at 2:00pm
Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup> July 2023	Trust Celebration evening
Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> July 2023	Squirrels Class Assembly 8:55am Year 5 trip to Maidstone Museum Reports go home
Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup> July 2023	Riverside's Got Talent
Thursday 20 <sup>th</sup> July 2023	Rabbits Graduation 11:00am
Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> July 2023	Year 6 Leavers Assembly 9:00am Last day of term

*Summer Break – Monday 24<sup>th</sup> July to Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> August 2023*

*Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> August to Friday 1<sup>st</sup> September 2023 – Staff Development Days*

*Monday 4<sup>th</sup> September 2023 – Children back to school*