



# Newsletter

Dear Parents / Carers,

It is hard to believe we have come to the end of Term 4. We hope you all enjoyed speaking with your child's class teacher this week and looking at some of their learning.

We have had another busy term with lots of new learning taking place across the school:

Nursery have made model trains using various different materials.

Reception flew to Africa and found out about animals and food from different countries in Africa.

Year 1 learnt how to boil an egg safely and loved eating them!

Year 2 have enjoyed looking at different artefacts linked to Christopher Columbus.

Year 3 made volcanoes and enjoyed making them erupt.

Year 4 have been busy in their Science lessons, conducting a number of experiments when learning about states of matter.

Year 5 have been sewing Tudor gardens and making Tudor knot bread.

Year 6 cooked bread and butter pudding by following WW2 recipe, using their knowledge about rationing to help.

Attached to this newsletter are some of the diary dates for the rest of this academic year. Please take a moment to look through and put key events in your diary, such as Sports Day.

We would like to take this opportunity to wish you all a wonderful break with your families and look forward to welcoming you back on Monday 15th April.

Yours sincerely,  
Mrs Robson

## PROUD MOMENT...

**A huge well done to all the children who received end of term awards and certificates this week. It is always wonderful to see all of the achievements our children have made.**

**Well done Riverside!**



**Term 4 23-24**

**Week 6**

**Thursday 28th March**

## Attendance

**The classes with the best attendance this week are:**

**Foxes (Y4)**

**Seals (Y3)**

**Hawks (Y5)**



**WELL DONE!**

## Upcoming Events

**Monday 15th April—First day of term, children back to school**

**Friday 19th April—Year 3 Quorn workshops**

**Tuesday 23rd April—Class Photos**

**Thursday 25th April—Squirrels Assembly at 8:55am**



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## Riverside Primary School Diary Dates 2023 – 2024

*Easter Break – Friday 29<sup>th</sup> March to Friday 12<sup>th</sup> April 2024*

*Good Friday – 29<sup>th</sup> March 2024*

*Easter Monday – 1<sup>st</sup> April 2024*

Term 5	
Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> April 2024	Children return to school
Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> April 2024	New Reception Class Offer day
Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> April 2024	Year 2 swimming starts
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> April 2024	Quorn Foods Year 3
Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> April 2024	Class Photographs – Nursery to Year 6
Thursday 25 <sup>th</sup> April 2024	Squirrels Class Assembly 8:55am
Monday 29 <sup>th</sup> April to Wednesday 1 <sup>st</sup> May 2024	Dog Trust visiting school
Wednesday 1 <sup>st</sup> May 2024	FoRPS Bags to School
<b>Monday 6<sup>th</sup> May 2024</b>	<b>Bank Holiday</b>
Wednesday 8 <sup>th</sup> May 2024	Year 1 trip to Rochester Castle
Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> May to Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> May 2024	Year 6 SATS 13 <sup>th</sup> May GPAS 14 <sup>th</sup> May Reading 15 <sup>th</sup> May Maths papers 1 + 2 16 <sup>th</sup> May Maths paper 3
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> May 2024	FS Stay and Read
Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> May 2024	Year 6 trip to Imperial War Museum
Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup> May 2024	Year 3 trip to Lullingstone Roman Villa
Wednesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> May 2024	Time to Talk at 2:00pm
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> May 2024	Last day of term

*Spring Break – Monday 27<sup>th</sup> May to Friday 31<sup>st</sup> May 2024*

Term 6	
Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> June 2024	Children Back to School
Week beginning Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> June	Our World Week
Friday 7 <sup>th</sup> June 2024	FoRPS Father's Day Gift Shop
Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup> June 2024	Foxes Class Assembly 8:55am
Thursday 20 <sup>th</sup> June 2024	Robins Class Assembly 8:55am
Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> June 2024	Sports Day – times TBC
Thursday 27 <sup>th</sup> June 2024	Hedgehogs Class Assembly 8:55am
Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> June 2024	FoRPS Sweet Tag Day for Summer Fete Time to Talk 2:00pm
Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> July 2024	Reception trip to Kent Life
<b>Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2024</b>	<b>Staff Development Day – school closed to children</b>
Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> July to Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> July 2024	Transition mornings (meet new class teachers)
Saturday 6 <sup>th</sup> July 2024	Riverside Summer Fair
Wednesday 10 <sup>th</sup> July 2024	Year 6 Leavers play 6:00pm
Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> July 2024	FS Stay and Read
Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> July 2024	Summer Exhibition (times TBC)
Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> July 2024	Rabbits Leavers Assembly 10:45am
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> July 2024	Year 6 Leavers Assembly 9:00am Last day of term

*Summer Break – Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> July to Friday 30<sup>th</sup> August 2024*

*Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> September to Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2024 – Staff Development Days (School closed to children)*

*Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> September 2024 – children return to school*