



Newsletter



Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back to the start of Term 4! We hope you all had a restful break. It has been a fantastic start to the term and it has been wonderful to see the children returning to school so positively. They are already showing great enthusiasm and curiosity about their new topics, and classrooms are buzzing with excitement and purposeful learning.

Please do take the time to check your child's term overview, which has been shared on Dojo. These overviews provide valuable information about what your child will be learning this term and how you can support them at home. Please speak to your child's class teacher if you want any more information.



A reminder that attendance remains extremely important. Children should aim for at least 96% attendance. If attendance falls below 90%, this is defined as being persistently absent from school. Being in school every day and arriving on time ensures children have the best possible opportunities to thrive both socially and academically. If you are experiencing any challenges around attendance, please do reach out to us — we are here to work in partnership with families and provide support where needed.

Next week we will be celebrating World Book Day. We are inviting parents and carers to come into school at the end of the day to share a story with their child. Please check the message that has been sent out with further details. We are really looking forward to celebrating a love of reading together.

This week, our Year 5 children took part in a Money Minds session delivered in partnership with Yorkshire Building Society. The children used their maths skills to explore budgeting and learned about making sensible financial choices. They represented the school brilliantly and engaged thoughtfully with the session.



Finally, a reminder that we are a nut-free school. Children must not bring any products containing nuts into school, including chocolate spread. We have both children and staff with severe nut allergies, and we appreciate your continued support in helping us keep everyone safe. Can we also ask that if you are sending in any treats when it is your child's birthday that these are in the original packaging showing what they are and the ingredients listed. We will not be able to hand out home-baked items and will only send home individually wrapped products where it is clear what is inside.

Thank you, as always, for your ongoing support. We look forward to working closely with you throughout this term.

With best wishes,

Mrs Robson

Headteacher

2025-2026

Term 4

**Friday 27th February
2026**

Upcoming Events:

3.3 – Author Visit for Key Stage Two

3.3 Year 1 Phonics Check session for parents at 2:30pm

4.3 – Badgers Class Assembly 8:55am

5.3– World Book Day – stay and read at 2:45pm for Y1-6

6.3 – FORPS Mother's Day Gift Shop

9.3 – Start of Science Week and dress up as a crazy scientist. Science workshops in school.

10.3 – Year 1 / 2 OPAL Parent afternoon

11.3 – Kingfishers Class Assembly 8:55am

12.3 -Year 2 Music Festival in Chatham



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Attendance Matters

**Every school
day matters**

**Make today
count!**

**On time,
every time**

**Turn up, take
part, achieve more**

**Here to learn,
here to succeed**

**Be in. Be ready.
Be learning**

