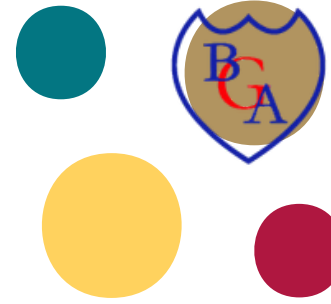


# GATEWAY GOSSIP NEWSLETTER

Friday 17th April 2026



## Dates

Tuesday 21st April

**Nursery Graduation Photos 11.15-  
12.15pm**

Monday 27<sup>th</sup> April

**Year 3 Trip**

Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> April

**Parent Forum 2pm-3pm**

Monday 4<sup>th</sup> May

**School Closed for Bank Holiday**

Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> May

**Friends at Gateway Meeting - 9am**

**New to Reception Meeting -  
3.30pm**

Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May

**School Closes at 3.15pm**

## **Message from Miss Makinson**

Hi Everyone,

Welcome to the Summer Term!

We are very excited to start our final term of the year. There are many fun things to look forward to, including our upcoming Harry Potter Day. I am personally very excited about this one!

We are also planning a special celebration for Sir David Attenborough's 100th birthday on 8th May to learn about his love for nature.

Please make sure your child is in school every day. This is a very important term because: children are learning the final lessons needed for their next school year and it helps them prepare for their new teacher and classroom.

We want to wish all of our Year 6 pupils the very best of luck with their SATs exams coming up soon. You have all worked very hard!

Thank you for your continued support.

# Spotlight A message from EYFS

What a wonderful start to our final term of the school year, it's amazing how quickly time has flown! We've kicked off the term by diving into all things Spring. The children have been busy planting seeds and we are all eagerly watching to see how they change and grow.

We have a busy and exciting few weeks ahead, filled with graduations, special assemblies, trips and transition visits to our new classrooms. But before we get to the big milestones, we are savouring every moment of fun and discovery in our current EYFS setting.

Let's make this final term one to remember!



We have two parents on our governing body, one is Paul Bates, Trust Governor and the other is Daniel Butterfield, Parent Governor. We would advise that any complaints come via school as usual but if you have any queries you want asking you could approach them to pass on to me. Daniel is our SEND Governor and Paul is our Safeguarding Governor



Daniel



Paul

## Reminders

### Friends of Gateway

Our next meeting is on Tuesday  
5<sup>th</sup> May

### Attendance

If your child is unfit for school,  
please inform us before 9am.

Ring 01253 402936 - option 1  
for our absence hotline or option  
2 for a friendly office chat.

Drop us a line at  
[admin@gateway.fcat.org.uk](mailto:admin@gateway.fcat.org.uk)

Quick text to 0788684394.

Pop by the office when you're  
dropping off siblings.

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# Join our Nursery



If your little one has already turned three or celebrates their 3rd birthday before the end of March, they could be eligible to join us now! We are currently enrolling 3 and 4 year-olds into our nurturing, inclusive environment.

We focus on learning through discovery and creative play, ensuring every child has the space to thrive.

Spaces available: Now & September.

Call our office at 01253 402936 to book your visit.



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Have a lovely weekend

