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Friday 7th March 2025

Dear Families,

We have had a great week in school celebrating reading week. The children have enjoyed so many activities, such as;

- No Pen Day
- Author visit
- World Book Day
- Trips to the Word
- Drop and Read

It has been great to see all of the children enjoying reading and engaging so positively in all of the activities.

Comic Relief

Red Nose Day is on 21st March 2025, we invite all children to wear non-uniform with a theme of 'Crazy Hair'. For Year 4 children swimming, please be mindful of using any colour hairspray.

In school, we will challenge ourselves to collect lots of loose change to fill our giant number 40. We have chosen 40 because it is 40 years of Comic Relief. The children will take part in a sing-a-thon in their classes.



Mother's Day Event

We invite all of our lovely Mam's/Carers to our Mother's Day event. This event is all about you and we would like to offer all the female influences in the children's lives an afternoon of celebration and relaxation. You will get to enjoy afternoon tea, a musical performance from each class, bingo, raffle and a chance to get to meet the other parents and catch up. It's an opportunity for you to relax and celebrate the wonderful job you all do.

25.3.25 – EYFS Mam's/Carers

26.3.25 – KS1 Mam's/Carers

27.3.25 – KS2 Mam's Carer's

We will send more information on this next week.

Math's Café

We invite parents into learn all about what the children are getting up to in Math's. Parents are welcome to join us for a coffee and find out more about our math's curriculum. Once this is finished, you will be invited to join your child in their math's lesson.



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Wedding Bells

We are thrilled to share the exciting news that Mrs Mowbray has recently tied the knot! Please join us in wishing Miss Mowbray and her husband a lifetime of happiness and love as they begin this new chapter together. Warmest congratulations, Mrs. Carson.



Finally, a huge THANK YOU to our PTFA team! They have been working hard to raise money and plan some great opportunities for the children. The recent reading challenge has been a huge success and not forgetting the donations for our World Book Day. We are extremely grateful for all of your hard work.

Many thanks,
Mrs Colley and Mrs Graham



Loving God,
As we begin this season of Lent,
We come together as a school community,
Seeking Your guidance and strength.

Help us to grow in kindness, patience, and
understanding,
And to support one another in our journey of faith.
May this season of Lent teach us the value of sacrifice,
And open our hearts to compassion and love.

Bless our teachers, staff, and students,
And help us to be good stewards of the gifts You've
given us.
May our school be a place of peace, respect, and joy,
As we prepare for the hope and joy of Easter.

In Jesus' name, Amen.



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