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Message from Mr. Redmile

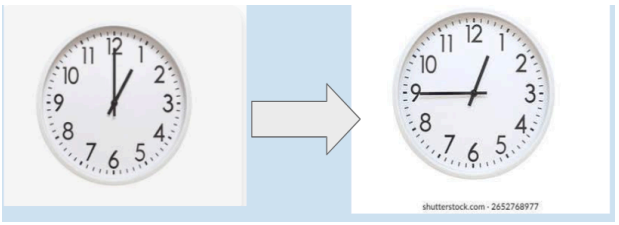
Some good news: Congratulations to Mr. Rouse, as he and his partner have had their baby. Both mother and baby are doing well! Mr. Rouse is enjoying two weeks of well deserved paternity leave. We are delighted for you both!

It's also a 'goodbye' to Mrs. Hazeldine, who is leaving us at the end of October. Her legacy of revolutionising the maths curriculum will live on! We wish her all the best for the future, and you will be truly missed.



Clubs

Our school clubs start next week: choir, chess, lego and dance. Please speak to the office, as there may be a place if your child is interested!



The end of lunch has changed from 13:00 to 12:45. We have seen lunchtime incidents decrease and the children are returning to class calmly ready for a soft start of whole class thrive, handwriting or whole class novel reading. Well done for coping with the change!

Community Corner: We need you!

How would you like to help our school?



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Your role as a Community Ambassador centres on providing reflection, insight, and constructive support to the Headteacher. This includes contributing to discussions on community engagement, sharing perspectives on how the school is experienced locally, and helping to identify opportunities to strengthen connections with families, partners, and the wider community. Please speak to Mr. Redmile if you are interested!

READY RESPECTFUL SAFE CALLING FOR HELP!



If you see parents blocking driveways with their parking, please inform staff of the registration plate. With a neighbour shouting at school staff this week, we need to report parking to the police and remind all adults in the community that by showing courtesy to each other, you might prevent school staff from getting abused.



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This half term we will be focussing on our 'Making Every Second Count' mantra: There are 21, 600 seconds in a school day. By making every second, it gives us the best chance to unlock our successful futures.

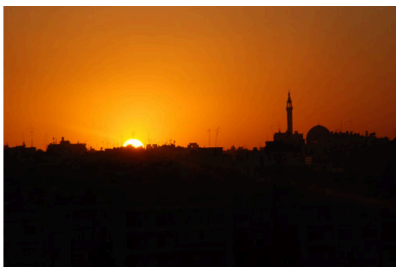


PE This Half Term
This half term we will be doing fitness.
Reminder of PE Kit:
- Black bottoms
- Trainers
- Plain white tshirt
- NO SPORTING TEAM KITS

PRAYER CORNER



We bless you,
God of Seed and Harvest
And we bless each other
That the beauty of this world
And the love that created it
Might be expressed though our lives
And be a blessing to others
Now and always
AMEN



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SCHOOL FAMILY WORKER

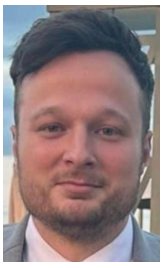
- Mrs Rawling

Ask to chat if you need to talk about anything to do with behaviour; finances; housing; food; safeguarding

Congratulations to our Stars of the Week

	18/09/26	25/09/2026
Anning	Scarlett	Eryk
Carter	Abi	Patrick
Caesar	Maia	Sophia-Rose
Socrates	Jayden D	Darina
Equiano	Daniel	Aarush
Napoleon	Freddie	Neitanas
Pankhurst	Artjom	Dolly
Turing	Zuzanna	T-Jay

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FIRST	Any queries, information or clarification about anything to do with your child's learning or behaviour. Dojo, gate chats or give us a call.
AFTER THAT **Assistant Heads** Mrs Hazeldine Y3/4  Mr Rouse Y5/6 	If after speaking to the classteacher, you or the teacher think it needs involvement from the senior team, the Assistant Heads will be happy to support. You can find them on gate duties throughout the week, or dojo.
THEN **Headteacher** Mr Redmile 	Feel free to move to me with queries if the teachers or Assistant Heads aren't yet able to resolve the issue. I'm on the gate and appointments can be requested through the office

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SAFEGUARDING **MRS RAWLING** **MRS WILLIAMSON** **MR REDMILE** **MRS HAZELDINE**	ANY concerns or information concerned with keeping a child safe, please talk to a DESIGNATED SAFEGUARDING LEAD (DSL)
Our wonderful office staff Mrs Barnes Mrs Williamson	Absence,lunches, Parent Pay, App issues, uniform, dates, going home messages - there are lots of areas of school life they can help with.

We want you to feel happy, safe and confident to talk to us about anything concerning you or any help you may need. If the person you approach can't resolve it, the team will point you in the right direction!

TERM DATES for AUTUMN 1 - PLEASE CHECK, NEW THINGS ARE ADDED WEEKLY

AUTUMN TERM EVENTS		
Thursday 15th October	Start time TBA	Individual and sibling photos
Wednesday		Y6 residential
18th November - Friday 20th November		

Forest School- A quarter of the year group will go on their PE day.
They require

- **Long sleeves**
- **Long bottoms**
- **Wellies**

First Aid Update

Always keeping with the most up-to-date information, as a school, we will no longer be able to give out plasters to pupils.

Therefore, on the day(s) your child is doing PE, please can you make sure their ear-rings are either taken out before school or are taped up at home before coming to school.

May I remind you that we are a 'stud' school and looped ear-rings are not allowed.



If you need support with regards to the above, please contact Mrs Rawling through the school office or dojo her.
As a school, we can offer a food bank voucher (subject to conditions). We can also offer small food parcels (subject to availability).

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School Term Dates – 2026/2027

Autumn Term 2026	
Tuesday 1st September	– Staff Professional Day (school closed)
Wednesday 2nd September	– Staff Professional Day (school closed)
Thursday 3rd September	Autumn Term Begins
Friday 23rd October	Staff Professional Day (school closed)
Monday 26th October – Friday 30th October	Half Term (school closed)
Friday 18th December	End of Autumn Term
Spring Term 2027	
Monday 4th January	Staff Professional Day (school closed)
Tuesday 5th January	Spring Term Begins
Monday 15th February – Friday 19th February	Half Term (school closed)
Thursday 25th March	End of Spring Term
Summer Term 2027	
Monday 12th April	Summer Term Begins
Monday 3rd May	May Day Bank Holiday (school closed)
Monday 31st May – Friday 4th June	Half Term (school closed)
Monday 7th June	Staff Professional Day (school closed)
Wednesday 21st July	End of Summer Term