

# THE MEADOWS SCHOOL

## NEWSLETTER OCTOBER 26

### TERMLY HIGHLIGHTS

#### Student Wellbeing Afternoon

As part of our commitment to supporting positive wellbeing, pupils recently enjoyed a dedicated Wellbeing Afternoon on the 21<sup>st</sup> October filled with a variety of activities, focused on relaxation, enjoyment and self-regulation. It was wonderful to see so many smiling faces as students explored new activities, connected with their peers and took time to focus on their mental health and happiness.

#### Join our PTFA!

Our Parents, Teachers and Friends Association is a friendly group who work together to raise money and create exciting opportunities for the children at our school. As well as organising popular events such as our Summer and Winter Fairs, we would love to do even more with your support.

Why not join us for a cuppa and a chat to find out what's happening and how you can get involved? Whether you can offer a little time or a lot, we'd love to welcome you. Pop in and say hello, it would be lovely to see you! Dates of future meetings will be shared on DOJO.

#### Halloween Celebrations

Students and staff had a wonderful time celebrating Halloween with a range of ghostly games and a fun-filled disco. Everyone enjoyed dressing up in their creative costumes, and the day was full of excitement and spooky spirit!





## Student Data Forms and Consent Forms

Please ensure that you return data forms sent out before the Summer. It is essential that we have the most up-to-date contact details and information for you and your child.

### Half-Term

We would like to wish all of our children and families a restful, enjoyable and well-deserved half-term break. We hope you have the opportunity to relax, spend time together and enjoy some fun family activities. Please note that the school office will be closed throughout the half-term holiday and will reopen on Monday 2nd November. We look forward to welcoming everyone back to school after the break.

## Term Dates 2026/2027

### Autumn Term 2026

**INSET (Training) Day:** Friday 23rd October 2026 (school closed to pupils)

**HALF TERM:** Monday 26th October 2026 to Friday 30th October 2026

**TERM ENDS:** Friday 18th December 2026

### Spring Term 2027

**INSET Day:** Monday 4th January 2027 (school closed to pupils)

**TERM STARTS:** Tuesday 5th January 2027

**HALF TERM:** Monday 15th February 2027 to Friday 19th February 2027

**TERM ENDS:** Wednesday 24th March 2027

**INSET Day:** Thursday 25th March 2027 (school closed to pupils)

### Summer Term 2027

**TERM STARTS:** Monday 12th April 2027

**May Day Bank Holiday:** Monday 3rd May 2027 (school closed to pupils)

**HALF TERM:** Monday 31st May 2027 to Friday 4th June 2027

**INSET Day:** Monday 7th June 2027 (school closed to pupils)

**TERM ENDS:** Wednesday 21st July 2027

