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Tuesday 21st July 2026

SUMMER END OF TERM 2026 NEWSLETTER

Dear Parent/Carer

RETURN DATES IN SEPTEMBER 2026:

YEAR 1, YEAR 2, YEAR 3, YEAR 4, YEAR 5 & YEAR 6

- Y1-Y6 children will return full time to the Academy on **Thursday 3rd September 2026**
- Drop off times will be 8:40am – 8:50am and collection will be 3:20pm
- Gates will close promptly at 8:50am each morning and open at 3:10pm for collection

Children starting Reception:

- Thursday 3rd September 2026 - 8.40am-11.40am.
- Friday 4th September 2026 - 8.40am-1.00pm. Please bring a packed lunch for your child.
- Monday 7th September 2026 – Full time: 8:40-3:15pm

We do know that this slower start can be a real challenge for many parents after already having to find weeks of childcare so you are of course welcome to send your child at their usual time on these days, 8:40am-3:15pm.

Children starting/continuing Nursery:

- Thursday 3rd September 2026 - 2.15pm-3.15pm.
- Friday 4th September 2026 - 1.30pm-3.15pm.
- Monday 7th September 2026 – Usual sessions begin/continue.

We do know that this slower start can be a real challenge for many parents after already having to find weeks of childcare so you are of course welcome to send your child at their usual time on these days.

SUCSESSES ONCE AGAIN @ THRUNSCOE 2025-2026:

Early Years Foundation Stage

At the end of the EYFS, the teaching team make final assessments of the children and determine which children have achieved a Good Level of Development.

Children are defined as having reached a **Good Level of Development (GLD)** at the end of the EYFS if they have achieved at least the expected level for the Early Learning Goals (ELGs) in the prime areas of learning and the specific areas of mathematics and literacy. The ELGs are: Communication and Language; Physical Development; Personal, Social and Emotional Development (PSED); Literacy; Maths; Understanding the World and Expressive Arts and Design.

- **NATIONAL GLD for 2025 was 68% (awaiting 2026 NATIONAL AVERAGE DATA)**
- **THRUNSCOE GLD for 2026 is 69%**

Y1 Phonics Screener

- **74%** of Thrunscoe pupils who ended the academic year with us achieved the expected standard by the end of Year 1 in 2026.
- However, **83%** of those pupils that have been at Thrunscoe since Reception achieved the expected standard by the end of Year 1.
- The National average in 2025 is **80% (awaiting 2026 NATIONAL AVERAGE DATA)**.

Y4 Multiplication Tables Check

- Thrunscoe pupils achieved an average score of **22.5 out of 25** in 2026. The national average in 2025 was **21 out of 25 (awaiting national 2026 average)**
- **42%** of Thrunscoe pupils scored a perfect score of **25 out of 25** in 2026. The national average in 2025 was **37% (awaiting national 2025 average)**

End of Key Stage 2 (Year 6)

This information allows you to compare our pupils' performance across English, Mathematics and Science with their peers and also against National Data for 2026.

2026 KEY STAGE 2 END OF YEAR DATA - THE END OF PUPILS' JOURNEY WITH US

Reading:

- TPNA 2026 - **76%** of our pupils achieved age related expectations; national is 75% **(+1% above national)**
- TPNA 2026 - **16%** of our pupils achieved greater depth / higher (awaiting National 2026 avg)

Writing:

- TPNA 2026 - **76%** of our pupils achieved age related expectations; national is 73% **(+3% above national)**
- TPNA 2026 - **9%** of our pupils achieved greater depth / higher (awaiting National 2026 avg)

Maths:

- TPNA 2026 - **82%** of our pupils achieved age related expectations; national is 75% **(+7% above national)**
- TPNA 2026 - **14%** of our pupils achieved greater depth / higher; higher (awaiting National 2026 avg)

GPS:

- TPNA 2026 - **80%** of our pupils achieved age related expectations; national is 74% **(+6% above national)**
- TPNA 2026 - **33%** of our pupils achieved greater depth / higher; higher (awaiting National 2026 avg)

Science:

- TPNA 2026 - 82% of our pupils achieved age related expectations; national is 82% (+0% above national)

Reading, Writing and Maths combined:

- TPNA 2026 - 67% of pupils achieved age related expectations; national is 63% (+4% above national)
- TPNA 2026 - 7% of pupils achieved greater depth / higher; (awaiting National 2026 avg)

Additional achievements:

- FORTIS THERAPY GOLD PARTNER
- 90% + AVERAGE APPROVAL RATING FROM PARENTS/CARERS ACROSS ALL AREAS – PARENT/CARER SURVEY (MARCH 2026)
- NELC SMALL SCHOOL Y6 DODGEBALL WINNERS
- PUPIL ATTENDANCE BROADLY IN LINE WITH NATIONAL AVERAGE

EARLY CLOSING ON THURSDAY 23RD JULY 2026:

'School's out for summer' at 2pm on the last day of term (23/07/26), so please ensure that you collect your child(ren) at that time.

STAFFING CHANGES FROM SEPTEMBER 2026:**Mrs Brown:**

As many of you will now be aware, Mrs Brown (Y1 TA) is expecting a baby later this year. Therefore, Mrs Brown's last day in the Academy will be Thursday 23rd July, 2026.

I am sure you will join us in wishing Mrs Brown all the best whilst on maternity leave!

Mr Bate and Mrs E Allen:

As you are aware, from September, Mr Bate will be reducing to 4 days contracted as Headteacher of the Academy. Therefore, Mr Bate will be non-contactable on a Friday. Mrs E Allen, will be contracted on a Friday to fulfil the role of Headteacher. Should you wish to speak to a Headteacher on a Friday please direct these enquiries to Mrs E. Allen.

CLOSING MESSAGE:

Our many successes this academic year, and over the past 5 academic years, continue to demonstrate that the course we are on as an Academy is effective and supports our children to 'SHINE' to the best of their ability. The influx of many new pupils into the Academy over the past year demonstrates further the excellent reputation and desirability of Thrunscoe Primary and Nursery Academy.

I wish to express my pride at being able to lead this wonderful Academy; I am supported by an amazing team of professionals, an amazing group of children and a wealth of supportive parents/carers. Rest assured; we will continue to offer high support to parents/carers when required along with continued high challenge when required. This ensures your children get the very best support possible.

To our Year 6 leavers: 'SHINE' bright! Work hard, show empathy to others, own the problems you face and work collaboratively to find solutions. Never give up and seek out people who challenge your thinking. Remember, you get out of life what you put into it. Know that you are always welcome to visit us; we wish you all the very best for the future.

And to all of our Academy family ... if I don't see you before the end of term, have a great summer and make great memories.

See you all in September 2026!

Kindest regards



Mr S P Bate

(Headteacher)

