



17th July 2026

Dear Parents / Carers,

What an incredible day we had on Thursday! We wanted to say a massive congratulations to all of our primary pupils for their outstanding participation in Sports Day.

Despite the hot weather, the children's energy and enthusiasm never wavered. It was wonderful to see so much **genuine effort** and **friendly competitiveness** on display. Every single pupil brought their best attitude, cheered on their classmates, and showed true sportsmanship.

We also want to extend a huge thank you to all the parents, family members, and friends who came out to support. Having you there on the sidelines cheering them on made the day extra special (and we hope you managed to find some shade!).

The sporting fun isn't over yet! We are already gearing up and looking forward to the **Secondary Sports Days next week**. Let's hope for another fantastic turnout and the exact same brilliant team spirit.

What have we been up to this week?

Mrs Shaw caught Year 6 in the middle of rehearsing their End of Primary assembly today. There were tears ... hers, not theirs! We can't wait to share it with parents next week! We think it is finally hitting them (and her) that their time at Unity Primary is coming to a close. It's a very bittersweet time!

Transition continues for Early Years and Year One this week. The new Reception children were all in for their final visit on Wednesday before starting their school life officially in September.

Our RRS this week continued with a focus on 'Navigating Change'. The staff and children talked about the path we take and how it can be bumpy, scary, calm or smooth and that even though it is tricky sometimes, we must still keep moving forward!

As we approach the final hurdle of the academic year, this week in the secondary RRS curriculum has been all about celebration and reflection.

We took some well-deserved time to look back at everything our students have achieved this year, with a special focus on our fantastic positive RRS points and excellent attendance records. It has been incredibly rewarding to see our students' hard work, respect for one another, and commitment to our school community recognised so visibly. They have truly brought our rights-respecting ethos to life!

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Standing Messages

Primary Newsletter (Primary Parents/ Carers) - Please [click here](#) to view the primary newsletter.

My Child at School App (All Parents/ Carers)

[Please click here](#) for a link to the site. If you access this on a mobile device, you can access the links for the apps. If you have not signed up, please download the app from the relevant app store, click 'sign up' and use the school postcode (FY2 0TS) or school ID (14676) to register. You must register with the email address we hold on our system for you. Parents are now able to access attendance information on the My Child at School app, and behaviour reports (Positive and Negative) are now also available.

Reporting Bullying/ Pastoral Concerns (All Parents/ Carers)

The link to raise a concern remains on the website. Click on the three lines and choose to raise a pastoral/bullying concern under the parents heading. These concerns are reviewed by the senior team and allocated to the most appropriate member of staff to investigate and communicate with parents.

Online Safety Support for Parents/ Carers (All Parents/ Carers)

Click [here](#) to access the link to this week's online safety guide for parents. You can also sign up for The National College for free and view a wide range of resources and videos to support your family with online safety. To do this, follow the link below:

Sign up tutorial video - <https://help.nationalcollege.com/parent-walkthrough>

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Yours sincerely,

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