



SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



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REMINDERS

Don't forget to follow our Facebook page for all the latest updates and news.



Attached is a leaflet outlining Pupil Premium eligibility and the process for applying for free school meals.



ATTENDANCE

CLASS ATTENDANCE FOR
27TH APRIL - 1ST MAY 2026

KS1: MRS WOODS 98.3%

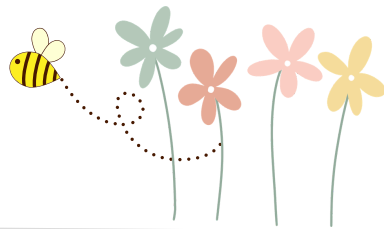
KS2: MISS TAWN 99.3%

OVERALL SCHOOL ATTENDANCE: 97.26%



UPCOMING EVENTS

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| 11 th - 14 th May - | SATs Week |
| 15 th June - | Puffins Class Assembly |
| 18 th - 21 st May - | Year 6 Bikeability |
| 19 th May - | Summer Fair Meeting |
| 22 nd May - | Ducklings Class Assembly |
| 22 nd May - | Last Day of Term 5 |
| 1 st June - | Start of Term 6 |
| W/C 8 th June - | Phonics Screening Check |
| 13 th June - | Summer Fair |
| 16 th June - | Year 5 Bramble Patch Info Evening |
| 17 th June - | KS2 Sports Day (PM) |
| 24 th June - | EYFS Sports Day (AM) & KS1 Sports Day (PM) |
| 29 th June - 1 st July - | Year 6 - PGL |
| 10 th - 11 th July - | Year 5 Bramble Patch |
| 22 nd July - | Leavers Assembly |



SUMMER FAIR DONATIONS

We are kindly asking for donations of prizes for our raffle for our upcoming summer fair. Anything you can contribute, big or small, would be greatly appreciated and will help make the fair a huge success. Donations may include:

- A gift voucher for a local shop, restaurant or business
- Chocolate or sweet hampers
- New and unused toys or games
- Bottles of alcohol

Any donations can be brought into school and left at the school office.

If any parents/carers work for a business who may be able to donate a prize, or sponsor the fair in any way, please do get in touch with the school office.

Your support is hugely appreciated and valued and we look forward to seeing you on 13th June.

EARTH DAY WINNERS

Here are the winners from the Earth Day Competition from each year group and from these finalists the staff voted for their favourite. The overall winner was Billy, who received a book token as his prize.

well
done!



CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY - 8TH MAY



PUPIL OF THE WEEK



Indiana, Julia, Enzo, Piper, Florence, Teddie, Lia, Ivy, Dominik, Maya, Isaac, David, Majka, Nicole

VALUES

Darcie, Xander, Simona, Charlie, Kataleja, Molly, Maia, Alessia, Rebecca, Jacob, Swifts' class, Emma, Filip, Emilian, William, Oakley

SAFEGUARDING SNIPPET

Sun Safety Reminder ☀️

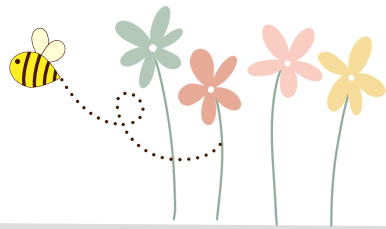
As the weather gets warmer, we would like to remind everyone about the importance of staying safe in the sun. Please make sure your child comes to school with a named water bottle and a sun hat each day. We also recommend applying sunscreen before school, especially on sunny days.

Children will be encouraged to drink plenty of water, spend time in shaded areas where possible, and enjoy outdoor activities safely.

By working together, we can help everyone stay happy, healthy, and protected while enjoying the sunshine!

Our next Summer Fair Meeting is Tuesday
19th May 2026 at 6-7pm in school. Please
join us!





NURSERY 2026

✨ **Preschool Places Available - September 2026** ✨
Is your child ready for a fun, engaging start to their learning journey? Our preschool is now accepting applications for September 2026. With creative activities, caring staff, and a safe, stimulating setting, we help every child shine. Get in touch to secure your place before they fill up.



RECEPTION 2026

Do you have a child born between 1st September 2021 and 31st August 2022 who does not yet have a Reception school place for this September? Lincolnshire County Council has reopened school admissions, and applications can now be submitted until 16th May. If this applies to you, please make sure to complete your application before the deadline.



SPORTS NEWS

On Wednesday 6th May the netball team played a league match against St Norbert's at home. They were very unlucky to have lost as they had possession of the ball in their third for most of the match and many of their attempts at goal hit the bar! However, they were praised by the umpire for their good passing and use of space - they worked hard in a tough match. League results will be out shortly.



MARATHON HERO TAKES ON HER FINAL CHALLENGE

WOW



Our school community is incredibly proud of one of our own (Mrs Jensen), who is completing an inspiring marathon trilogy in support of two remarkable charities - the MND Association and the National Autistic Society. She has already conquered a 50km ultra marathon and the London Marathon, showing extraordinary dedication, resilience, and compassion. To us, she is nothing short of a hero. This weekend, she takes on the final challenge of her trio: the Leeds Marathon. We are all cheering her on and wishing her every success as she crosses this last finish line. Good luck - we are behind you all the way!





NURSERY

As part of our topic 'All Creatures Great and Small', the children have been exploring the idea of growth—from people to plants—and what a wonderful week it has been!

We began by sharing some very special photographs of the children as babies, kindly sent in by parents. The children loved seeing themselves and their friends as little babies, and it sparked lots of discussion about how much they have grown. We talked about how growing doesn't happen overnight, but slowly day by day. The children enjoyed reflecting on things they couldn't do as babies but can do now. It was particularly lovely hearing them proudly share that before coming to nursery, they couldn't do their "numbers," and now they can! We also explored the lifecycle of a plant. The children learned how a tiny seed grows roots, develops into a seedling, and eventually becomes a plant. We discussed what plants need to grow—water and sunshine—and again reinforced that this process takes time and care. The children got very "green-fingered" this week and thoroughly enjoyed planting. Each child planted a sunflower seed in a pot to take home. We are very excited to see how these grow and would love to hear updates about their progress!

Another lovely week of learning as we continue to grow and develop together.



YEAR 2 - SKYLARKS

This week in dance, Skylarks were pretending to be gardeners! Working in pairs, we explored matching and mirroring and investigated how this could be used to enhance a dance performance for the viewer. After experimenting with these for a while, each pair was challenged to put together a dance routine of precisely 16 beats that used elements of matching and mirroring. The routine had to tell the story of two gardeners meeting each other across a garden fence. The children had to keep track of the beats on their own to keep their routine to the right number of beats. After some rehearsal time, half of the class got to watch the other half and vice versa. Each time, the audience were tasked with watching just one pair to give them some praise. I was so pleased to see that each pair had picked out something specific about the performance of the group they were watching. Well done, Skylarks!



YEAR 6 - OSPREYS

Ospreys have been building on their athletics skills in PE by focusing on the key techniques of sprinting. In this lesson, pupils explored how effective arm movement, longer strides, and a slight forward lean can help improve speed and power over short distances. They worked hard to refine their technique and understand how these elements contribute to a strong sprinting performance.

This session also encouraged children to compare sprinting with the long-distance running they practised previously. They identified important differences, such as pacing, energy use, and body position, helping them to develop a deeper understanding of how and why we move differently depending on the type of race. It was fantastic to see such enthusiasm and determination as they applied their learning in practical activities!

