



Dear Parents/Carers,

Wow! We are fast approaching the end of our school year, which seems unbelievable!

We hope you have a lovely break and come back ready for our last, very busy, half term

Thank you to everybody who was able to join us for our May Day celebration.

The weather was perfect, the maypole dancing was perfect and the 'Lords of the May' were perfect. We are proud to uphold our traditions.

Thank you to Class 2 and Mrs Davies and Mrs Sherratt for their hard work!



Y6 SATs

Well done, Year 6, for working so hard on your SATs this week! ✨

Remember, your SATs don't know you the way we do, and the way your families do.

They don't know your dreams or what you want to be when you grow up.

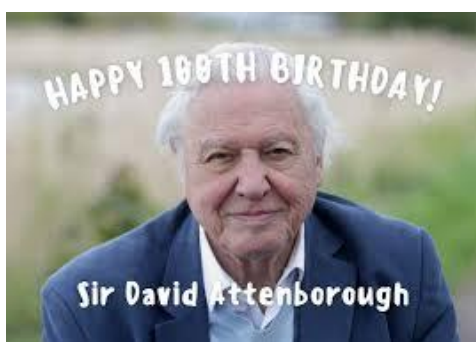
They don't know how kind and caring you are, or how hard you always try.

Your scores will show some of what you can do, but they don't show everything about you. There are lots of different ways to be successful in life!

While you're waiting for your results, remember - you are all special and there are so many amazing things that make you **you**! 🐸

Have a lovely half term! Make sure you rest, have fun and believe in yourselves.

We are all very proud of you! 🙌❤️



Sir David Attenborough has spent his life showing people the amazing wonders of nature. Through his many documentaries, he has helped us learn about animals, plants and our planet. He teaches us why it's important to take care of the Earth and has inspired people of all ages to love and protect the natural world.

Thank you to everyone who sent in a photograph or observational drawing to get closer to nature and celebrate Sir David Attenborough's birthday: **they have been uploaded to the Curriculum Enrichment/ ECO page on the school website.**



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As part of our DT offer, children have been working alongside local companies Rolls Royce and Wabtec. We have also participated again in the Primary Engineers Programme and are absolutely delighted to announce that the following children have been short listed for the 'If You Were an Engineer What Would You Do?' 2026 competition:

**IF YOU WERE an
ENGINEER
What Would You Do?®**

- Callan
- Cameron
- Ava

Well done - we are super proud. All of the children that entered will be awarded with a pass, merit or distinction certificate!



All dads, step-dads, grandads, uncles, brothers - any significant male in your child's life...is invited to our 'Breakfast Read Aloud' morning on Friday 19th June. Details will be sent after half term.

We have noticed that a small number of children are still not coming into school with the correct school uniform.

Governors are keen that we adhere to the uniform policy below:



- ✓ Navy blue cardigan or sweatshirt, with or without the school logo. **(Branded sweatshirts are not part of our uniform and should only be worn as an outdoor 'coat'.)**
- ✓ Plain light blue or white blouse, shirt or polo shirt.
- ✓ Navy blue or grey skirt or pinafore dress, the hem of which must fall closer to the knee than the hip.
- ✓ Light blue checked or striped summer dress, the hem of which must fall closer to the knee than the hip.
- ✓ Grey tailored shorts (not tight/revealing) or tailored trousers. No jean-type trousers, leggings or jogging bottoms.



Footwear Plain, dark-coloured shoes. No trainers, canvas shoes, open-toed sandals or high heels. Socks or tights must always be worn. Please ensure that children can put their own shoes on - if they can't yet tie their own laces, Velcro is a good option.



PE Kit: PE will continue on Tuesday and Thursday.



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- ✓ Plain, pale blue school T-shirt
- ✓ Plain **navy** shorts (not tight, micro). No 'skorts'
- ✓ Plain black pumps/plimsolls to be brought in book bags for use on the tennis court and in the village hall. Children are welcome to come to school on PE days wearing their plimsolls, plain black trainers or plain black canvas pumps (without coloured branding, eyelets, laces, soles etc). Please ensure that children can put their own trainers/pumps on - if they can't yet tie their own laces, Velcro is a good option.
- ✓ Socks
- ✓ Plain navy jogging bottoms (not leggings or jeans)
- ✓ School sweatshirt (**branded sweatshirts are not part of our uniform and should only be worn as an outdoor 'coat' not as part of their PE kit**)
- ✓ Please ensure that long hair is tied back **SECURELY**



Makeup, Jewellery, Tattoos & Hair Accessories

Children should not wear nail varnish, makeup, temporary tattoos or fashion jewellery in school. Small, plain gold or silver stud earrings may be worn but children must be able to remove these themselves for P.E. **We do not permit the use of tape or plasters to cover earrings.**

A plain wrist watch may be worn but must be removed for P.E. Children may not wear 'smart' watches or any similar device with capacity to connect to the internet.

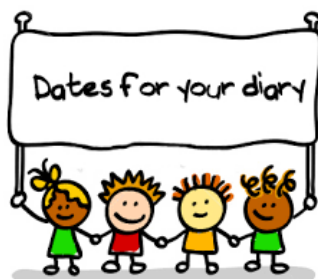
Hair accessories such as scrunchies, bobbles, headbands etc. should be plain and functional.

PLEASE REMEMBER TO LABEL CHILDREN'S CLOTHES, IT IS VERY DIFFICULT TO SORT WHEN THEY ALL LOOK THE SAME...



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Thurs 21st May: Last day term 5
Fri 22nd May: INSET DAY **School Closed**
Mon 1st June: Back to School
WB 1st June: Year 4 MTC
WB Mon 8th June: Year 1 phonics screening
Weds 10th June: Empathy Day
Fri 19th June: Breakfast Read Aloud (details to follow)
Fri 26th June: INSET DAY **School Closed**
Mon 29th June: INSET DAY **School Closed**
Fri 3rd July: Science Day @ Rosliston Forestry Centre (details to follow)
Tues 7th July: Sports Day (weather permitting)
Weds 8th July: New EYFS 'Stay and Play'
Fri 10th July: Forest School
Weds 15th July: New EYFS 'Stay and Play'
Thurs 16th July: Year 6 Leavers Performance (details to follow)
Fri July 17th- 22nd: Bikeability Class 1 (TBC)
Thurs 23rd July: **Last day of term 6**
Fri 4th Sept: INSET DAY **School Closed**
Mon 7th Sept: Back to School Y1-6



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