



Dear Parents

We have had some wonderful Wednesdays this half term. Year 1 went off to Warwick Castle, last week the farm came to visit and this week we welcomed children's author Lucy Rowland to school. Our Bookshop in Tring does a great job at linking with local schools to make these author visits happen and we take every opportunity that comes up for our young children.

I hope that everyone enjoys some time with friends and family over the bank holiday weekend. It looks like we are finally going to see some lovely summer weather. Don't forget that Monday 1st June is an INSET day so we'll see you all again on Tuesday 2nd June.

Growing up and becoming more independent

You may have seen that there is currently a greater focus nationally on making sure that children are ready to start school [Preparing for school - Best Start in Life](#)

As the children move through school into Year 1 and Year 2 we need to work together to help their independence continue to grow. One of the ways that you can do this every day is to make sure that your child carries their own book bag and water bottle as they walk through the gate into school.

Pyjamarama Day

Thank you to everyone who gave a donation to the BookTrust charity last Friday. We raised £181.37.

PE kits

PE kits have gone home today for half term. Please check that plimsolls still fit, especially as sports day will take place towards the end of term. For the summer term, please ensure that children have shorts and a T shirt in their PE bag. Thank you.

On PE days please would you make sure that, if your child has long hair, it is tied back. This applies to both boys and girls. Thank you.

Headlice

We have recently had a couple reports of headlice. During half term, please could you all check your children and treat them if necessary. Any pharmacy will give you advice on the best way to treat your child. It is important to check heads regularly, even after treatment. Thank you.

Fundraising

Prakriti in Year 1 is raising money for the Little Princess Trust, a charity that provides wigs for children who have cancer. Prakriti will be donating her hair, and has a target of raising £700 for the charity. If you would like to help Prakriti to reach her goal, please click on the link below.

[Prakriti's fundraising page is fundraising for Little Princess Trust](#)

FoTIS Updates

Summer Social

The Summer Social is fast approaching and plans are well underway. Come and join us on the 4th July 11am-2pm where the children can enjoy playing in a mountain of sand whilst you enjoy a refreshment. There will be snacks and a bar available as well as games, stalls and entertainment. Pop by to support the school and keep your little ones entertained, entry is free!

FoTIS Volunteers 2025/26
WhatsApp group



FoTIS dates for your diary

Friday 19 th June	Tuck Shop and Non-Uniform day in exchange for a rainbow raffle donation (more details to follow)
Saturday 4 th July	Summer Social 11am-2pm, in the school hall and on the field

Half term activities

What's on this May Half Term at Discover Bucks Museum?

Step into a world of legend this May half term with **Mythical May** at Discover Bucks Museum. They'll be exploring the world of Anglo-Saxon myths and legends with a week of mythical and magical crafts. Get ready for dragons, wizards and giants! Inspired by *The SAXONS* exhibition, families can discover fascinating stories from the past before enjoying even more fun in the Roald Dahl Children's Gallery. It's a week packed with imagination, creativity and adventure for all ages.

<https://www.discoverbucksmuseum.org/whats-on/may-half-term/>

Picnic on the Pitch - Wycombe Wanderers Football - Monday 25th May

Spend the late May Bank Holiday at Adams Park by coming along to the first ever Picnic on the Pitch event between 12pm-4pm. They've got entertainment for the whole family with great food and drink available to buy, local stalls, kids activities including a bouncy castle (weather permitting), outdoor activities and entertainment on the big screen. You're welcome to bring your own food and drink, or purchase at the stadium. Tickets are £5 per person and can be purchased via the link below

<https://tickets.wafc.com/Stadium?eventId=15270>

Bucks County Show – 27th August

The poster attached contains a special code offering **up to 3 FREE child tickets** with a paying adult ticket, helping make the Show an affordable family day out over the summer holidays.

KEY DATES - 2025-26	
June	
Monday 1 st	Staff training day (children not in school)
Monday 8 th	Year 1 Phonics check / Year 2 recheck week
Monday 15 th	Meeting for new parents (starting school in September 2026)
Monday 22 nd	Open Evening
Monday 29 th	SEND Coffee Morning with our SENDco, Mrs Gerhardt, 9.00 -10.00 am – Year 2 parents only
July	
Friday 3 rd	Beach Day
Saturday 4 th	FoTIS Summer Social
Tuesday 7 th	Move up day 1
Wednesday 8 th	Move up day 2
Monday 13 th	SEND Coffee Morning with our SENDco, Mrs Gerhardt, 9.00 -10.00 am
Tuesday 14 th	Year 2 Leavers' Assembly, 9.15 am
Thursday 16 th	Sports Day (am)

TERM DATES 2025-26		
	Open on morning of	Close at end of afternoon of
Summer Term 2nd half	Tuesday 2 nd June 2026	Wednesday 22 nd July 2026
Staff Training Days	Wednesday 3 rd September 2025 Friday 24 th October 2025 Monday 3 rd November 2025 Monday 5 th January 2026 Monday 1 st June 2026	

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	Open on morning of	Close at end of afternoon of
Autumn Term	Thursday 3 rd September 2026	Friday 23 rd October 2026
	Tuesday 3 rd November 2026	Friday 18 th December 2026
Spring Term	Tuesday 5 th January 2027	Friday 12 th February 2027
	Monday 22 nd February 2027	Thursday 25 th March 2027
Summer Term	Monday 12 th April 2027	Thursday 27 th May 2027
	Monday 7 th June 2027	Wednesday 21 st July 2027
Staff Training Days	Tuesday 1 st September 2026 Wednesday 2 nd September 2026 Monday 2 nd November 2026 Monday 4 th January 2027 Friday 28 th May 2027	
Bank Holiday	Monday 3 rd May 2027 (school closed)	