

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER



05/06/2026

A MESSAGE FROM MRS PREECE

What a brilliant first week back it has been. We have enjoyed sports events, transition workshops and village walks, as well as lots of brilliant learning as we launch our final topics of this academic year. All children have responded well to the day-to-day changes that have been put in place this half term to support them in the transition to their new classes. Whether that be coming into school via a different entrance, spending time in their new classroom, or keeping stationery in pencil cases, rather than in trays in preparation for high school, I have been so impressed with the resilience and positivity of all children.

I am looking forward to accompanying the Year 5 and 6 children on the residential trip to the Isle of Wight next week which promises to be a great experience. We are excited to report back to you about our exciting adventure when we return.

Have a wonderful weekend.

Mrs Preece 😊



YEAR 6 NEWS

Year 6 have enjoyed their first weekly Forest School session of Year 6. The children have enjoyed familiarising themselves with the Forest School curriculum and exploring the opportunities the outdoor environment provides. A group of girls demonstrated excellent creativity and weaving skills by creating a tray from natural materials, while another group developed their teamwork and communication skills through a friendly game of tug of war. We look forward to seeing the children continue to grow in confidence and independence throughout their remaining sessions.

YEAR 1 NEWS

This week Year 1 have started a unit of work in History exploring what has changed in our school over time. Later on this half term we will be exploring more widely around the village, but this week we looked at lots of old photos of our school and then took a walk around the site to see what changes we could spot, including where the swimming pool used to be! We were fascinated to learn about the fire that happened many years ago and the parts of the school that were impacted.



★ STARS OF THE WEEK ★



- YEAR R:** Ella - For leading her phonics group this week with her enthusiasm and effort.
Isaiah - For having a positive attitude towards some new changes we have made!
- YEAR 1:** Ella - For a fantastic attitude to her learning this week, well done Ella!
Pippa - For showing such super interest and curiosity in our history leaning, well done.
- YEAR 2:** Eliza - For her excellent work with money.
Phoebe - For her consistently positive attitude to learning.
- YEAR 3:** Poppy C - For her fantastic jumping skills in athletics.
Elena - For always having a positive attitude in every lesson.
- YEAR 4:** Leo - For a positive attitude towards his learning and developing his independence when completing tasks.
Caitlin - For being a fantastic role model and always trying her very best, in every subject.
- YEAR 5:** Teds - For his excellent contributions to class discussions and engagement in lessons.
Harper - For showing such a positive attitude towards all of your Maths work.
- YEAR 6:** Eboney - For learning her lines and delivering them brilliantly.
Kateryna - For her excellent mythical creature writing.

MRS PREECE'S SUPERSTAR AWARD

This week my award is for Karina. Karina, thank you for always being such an exceptional role model to those around you. You absolutely shone this week when leading sports activities for younger pupils and your support and kindness did not go unnoticed.





CLASS TROPHY: YEAR 4

INDIVIDUAL AWARDS:

REX – YEAR 4



CLASS TROPHY: YEAR 5

INDIVIDUAL AWARDS:

**JACK – YEAR 3
AIMEE – YEAR 6**



**THIS WEEK, GOOD CHOICE
GORDON WAS AWARDED
TO**

YEAR 3



CLASS TROPHY: YEAR 2

INDIVIDUAL AWARDS:

CHARLIE – RECEPTION

DATES FOR THE DIARY

08/06

Year 5 & 6 Residential Trip Isle of White

08/06

Phonics Screening for Year 1 & 2

10/06

Year 1 Swimming

12/06

Reception Showcase Assembly

*DON'T
miss it!*





NOTICES

Allergies

A reminder that we are a nut free school. If your child has a packed lunch, please ensure you are not packing anything that contains nuts or traces of nuts. We have children with severe allergies and it is therefore essential that this is followed to ensure the safety of all.

Parking

When parking at collection times, please park in a marked space when they are available. There have been situations this week where parents and carers have been unable to park in a marked space as others have parked along kerbs etc preventing access to the spaces. Your support and understanding with this is appreciated.

Isle of Wight

Children attending the Isle of Wight trip next week must be in school at 7:45am. In order to ensure our schedule isn't impacted we will be unable to wait for anyone who is late.



Dogs

A reminder that we are a dog free site. No dogs should be anywhere on the academy site, regardless of whether they are on a lead.

Monday 8th June 1.30pm-3.30pm

PARENT & FAMILY SUPPORT DAY

📍 Credenhill Community Centre

Come along and meet local professionals and support services in a friendly, welcoming environment.

This is a great opportunity for parents, carers and families to:

- Ask questions and get advice for both parent/carer and child
- Learn about local support available
- Meet professionals face-to-face
- Access information for nursery & preschool children
- Connect with schools and community services

Tea, coffee and refreshments available.

Logos: Herefordshire Council, citizens advice Herefordshire, NHS Wye Valley NHS Trust, HWFR Hereford & Worcester Fire and Rescue Service, WEST MERCIA WOMEN'S AID



Uniform

We will soon have an additional uniform supplier where you will be able to visit a shop and buy uniform items. The shop will be on Rotherwas Industrial Estate and it is aiming to open in the next couple of week. More details will follow very soon.



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