



Newsletter

Inspire ~ Nurture ~ Celebrate

Dear Families,

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1st May 2026

This week, school has continued to be a hive of learning. I am really proud of the changes that we have made to our curriculum over the last year and I know that the children will love sharing their learning with you during the summer term 'Stay and Share' sessions (please see the Notice Board for dates).

This week, Buttercross have had lots of fun exploring their 'animals' learning and we have had lots of pet visitors to school, including Giant African Land Snails and stick insects!



As the weather is now hopefully improving, please can I take this opportunity to remind you to send in your child in wearing appropriate sun protection and with a full water bottle.

I hope that you all have chance to enjoy the sunny weather over the Bank Holiday and look forward to seeing the children again next Tuesday.



Best wishes,

Mrs Nicolson

Positive Posts

Bonnie C - for fantastic writing in RE.

Otto TD - for a fantastic retelling of Jesus feeds the 5,000.

Laila S - for excellent biography writing.

Arielle T - for wonderful contributions in all aspects of school.

Alex C - for confident progress in reading.

Henry S - for super progress in writing.



Allergy Awareness



Our school is allergy aware.

Due to pupil allergies, we request that food brought into school for lunch or snacks does NOT contain any nuts or sesame seeds: this includes hummus.

Parents/carers are only permitted to use the school carpark

between: 7:30-8:00am and after 4:00pm*

When using the carpark during these times, please drive carefully and considerately. We also ask that families are considerate when parking around the village.

*with the exception of disabled badge holders



Attendance

Class attendance

for the week
Buttercross - 97.0%

Woodgate - 97.6%

Broadwheel - 97.0%

Swaddywell - 97.7%

Torpeel - 95.7%

Whole School
attendance

96.8%

Whole School DfE
attendance target
97.1%

Please sure that all absences are reported to the school office by 8:30am daily - [please call 01733 252332](tel:01733252332)

Kitchen Menu

Monday

Cottage Pie topped with cheesy mash

Quorn mince & lentil Cottage Pie

served with broccoli

Tuesday

Citrus Chicken

Quorn & Citrus Vegetables

served wholegrain rice & green beans

Wednesday

Pepperoni Pizza

Margherita Pizza

served with mixed salad

Thursday

Omega 3 Fish Fingers

Veggie Dippers

served with oven chips & baked beans/spaghetti hoops

Friday

Roast chicken with stuffing & Yorkshire pudding

Quorn fillet with stuffing & Yorkshire pudding

served roast potatoes, cauliflower cheese & peas

Also available daily: salad bar, wholemeal bread and a selection of hot and cold puddings

Notice Board

May

4th Bank Holiday - School CLOSED

w/c 11th Year 6 SATs Week

w/c 25th HALF-TERM

Summer Term Stay and Shares

Following drop-off, please come straight into school for a 'Coffee and catch-up' with representatives from the staff team. Once registration is complete, you will be invited to join your child in their classroom to share their learning!

4th June - Torpeel Class
11th June - Swaddywell Class
25th June - Broadwheel Class
2nd July - Woodgate Class
9th July - Buttercross Class

