



## Learning for Life

### Diary Dates.

#### **13.03.26: Celebration Assembly, 9.00 am, all welcome**

13.03.26: Cluster Spelling Bee for Year 5 pupils, more details to follow

13.03.26: PTA Movie Night 3.25-5.30pm

16.03-20.03.26—PTA Name the Easter Bunny competition

16 & 17.03.26: SEND-co Parents Meeting 1.00pm –3.00 pm.

23.03.26: Parents Evening 1pm-6pm  
20.03.26: Comic Relief Day, children may come to school in red nose/have one painted for charitable donation.

24.03.26: Reception class: Heights & Weights NHS check 9.15am

24.03.26: Parent Evening 1pm-6pm

26.03.26: Easter service 9.15 am and 2pm  
26.03.26: Break up for Easter holiday

13.04.26: Return to school

17.04.26: PTA Non-uniform day for £1  
17.04.26 Year 5 Bell Boating day, Fladbury Riverside

23.04.26: KS1 Swimming begins

11.05.26: Year 6 SATs Week

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22.04.26: Y3/Y4 Saxons Trip to Bishops Wood

23.04.26: KS1 Swimming begins

01.05.26: PTA Cookie Sale on playground 3.25pm

11.05.26: Year 6 SATs

### Super Proud

We were incredibly proud of our School Council members last week when they visited The Mill House residential home to share books with the residents on World Book Day. As well as enjoying stories together, the children brought lots of smiles and laughter by telling jokes and sharing their favourite teddy bears. It was a very special visit and a wonderful way to brighten the residents' day while building connections across generations.

An enormous thank you to the team at Grafton Mill for making us so welcome and giving our children this super opportunity.

[More photographs](#)



### PTA Book Sale

To celebrate World Book Day, our PTA organised a wonderful book sale for the children. The event was a great success and it was lovely to see so many pupils excited about choosing new books to read.

We would like to say a huge thank you to all the families who kindly donated books and to everyone who came along and made a purchase. Your generosity helped make the event such a success and supports the school community.

A special thank you to our fantastic PTA for organising the sale and giving their time to make it happen. Events like this help encourage a love of reading while also supporting the school.



### KS1 and KS2 Assessments

Thank you to everyone who came along to our KS1 and KS2 assessment sessions this week—it was really appreciated. If you were unable to attend and would like more details please see link below. Alternatively, our teachers are always happy to talk things over.

[End of Year Assessments](#)

Just a reminder that this afternoon we are holding a phonics screening information session for Year 1 parents. Do please join us if you can.

### Diary Dates Continued

15.05.26: Pippins Open Afternoon, 1.15pm - 2.30pm  
**19-22.05.26: PTA Scho-  
lastic Book Fair**  
21.05.26: Year 4 Sleep over  
21.05.26: Sports Morning 9.30 am -12.00 pm  
21.05.26: Family Picnic after sports morning, 12.00-1.00 pm  
22.05.26: PTA Non-uniform day for £1  
22.05.25: Break for half term holiday  
01.06.26: Return to school  
**01.06.26: Tempest Class and Leavers photos**  
05.06.26: Thankyou Assembly 9.00 am  
05.06.26: PTA Tuck Shop 3.25pm  
W/B 08.06.26: Year 1 Phonics screening  
09.06.26: New Reception Parents Meeting 6.00 pm  
**10.06.26: Year 6 visit from Pershore High School**  
W/B 15.06.26: KS1 non statutory assessments begin  
15.06.26: New Reception story time 2.30-3.00 pm.  
19.06.26: Year 5 Cross country (more details to follow)  
22.06.26: New Reception transition afternoon 1.30 pm-3pm  
22.06.26: Pershore High School Parents Transition Evening, 6.30pm  
24.06.26: Year 6 Trip to Bristol  
25.06.26 Year 5 Bell Boating regatta  
26.06.26: Transition to Pershore High School  
26.06.26: Move up afternoon  
29.06.26: Pershore High School transition day for Year 6  
29.06.26: Transition to KS2 Meeting for Year 2 parents 3.30 pm  
29.06.26: Transition afternoon for new Reception pupils 1.30-3pm  
03.07.26: Tag Rugby Pinvin Year 5, more details to follow  
06.07.26: Transition to KS1 Meeting for Reception parents 3.30 pm  
07.07.26: Open afternoon 3.25pm, please come and see children's work books  
08.07.26: Ridgeway Transition Day Year 6 pupils  
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09.07.26: Ridgeway new parents welcome meeting, 4-7pm

### Beauty and the Beast

An enormous thank you to Pershore High School for inviting our Year 5 and 6 pupils to watch their amazing production of Beauty and the Beast last week. It was a wonderful show with a hugely talented cast. After the show, our children were invited to take part in an exciting workshop led by members of the production team — they learned some of the songs and dance routines from the show and had the opportunity to experience what it is like to be part of a musical performance. It was a brilliant experience for everyone involved and a great opportunity for our pupils to develop their confidence, creativity and love of performing arts. [More photographs](#)

### Special Assembly Visit: Wolfie from the Worcester Wolves

This week we were excited to welcome a very special visitor to our school assembly – Wolfie, the mascot from the Worcester Wolves basketball team.

Wolfie helped lead a fun and energetic assembly, sharing tips with the children about staying active, working as a team and always trying their best. The children loved getting involved and were inspired by the positive messages about determination, practice and believing in themselves.

A big thank you to Wolfie and the Worcester Wolves for visiting and inspiring our children!



### Cross Country

A group of our pupils recently competed in the Worcestershire Cross Country final, where they demonstrated fantastic cooperation and perseverance throughout the event. They supported and encouraged one another, showing great team spirit and determination.

We are incredibly proud of all the children who took part and represented our school so well. A special well done goes to Zara, Henry, Arthur and Isabelle for their excellent efforts and positive attitudes on the day.

Thank you to Mr Kearns for organising and to Mrs Dent for all her support with transport. It was really appreciated.

An extra congratulations to Isabelle, who has been invited to the next stage of the finals. This is a fantastic achievement and a testament to her hard work and dedication.

Watch this space for more updates — we wish her the very best of luck!



### Super Spellers!

Congratulations to our Fuzzy and Buzzy winners this week, Ella and Bella.

Mr Kearns reports that Ella has been applying her spelling rules well in her work and has shown great perseverance with them.

Mr Jones is very pleased with the progress that Bella has made, showing great improvement in her spellings in her writing.

Well done to them both!