



Flyford Flavell Primary School

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Learning for Life

Diary Dates

10.09.26: Year 5 Parents, Manor Residential meeting, 3.30 pm
11.09.26: Celebration Assembly, all welcome 9.00 am
15.09.26: Reception Parents Phonics Workshop 9.10 am
18.09.26: PTA Movie night
22.09.26: Year 1 Parents Phonics Workshop 9.10 am
23.09.26: Open Morning for new parents 9.15-11.30 am
28-30.09.26 Year 5 Bikeability
02.10.26: Summer Reading Challenge assembly 9.10 am, all welcome
09.10.26: Flu vaccines R-Year 6
12.10.26: SENDco Parents appointments 1.00 pm—3.00 pm
16.10.26: PTA Halloween disco
16.10.26: Harvest Festival 9.15 am and 2.15 pm
19-20.10.26: Parents afternoon/evening 1.00 pm—6.00 pm
22.10.26: Break up for half term
23.10.26: Staff training day. Children not in school
31.10.26: Closing day for secondary school applications
02.11.26: SENDco Parent appointments 1.00 pm—3.00 pm
05.11.26: E-safety information for parents 2.45 pm
09.11.26: Tempest Photography, individual school photographs
11&13.11.26: WMTC performance Swan Theatre, Worcester, 7.30pm

Thank you

What a fantastic start to the school year! The children have been amazing and have come back to school with such enthusiasm, ready to learn and enjoy their new experiences. We have loved hearing all about their summer adventures and catching up on their news.

Thank you for your continued support with school uniforms and for ensuring children arrive on time each day. We know that getting back into routines after six weeks away from school is not always easy, so we really appreciate all of your efforts. Your support helps the children settle quickly and make the most of every learning opportunity.

The children have made a wonderful start and we are looking forward to an exciting and successful term ahead.

Thank you!

We would like to say an enormous thank you to [S E Davis & Son Ltd](#) for their outstanding work in resurfacing our playground.

The transformation has been incredible and has made a significant difference to our school environment. The new surface has created a safe, welcoming and enjoyable space where our children can play, learn and spend time together outdoors.

The care, professionalism and commitment shown throughout the project have been really appreciated. Thanks to their generosity and hard work, our pupils now have a greatly improved outdoor area that will benefit them for many years to come.

On behalf of our children, staff, governors and families, we would like to express our sincere gratitude. The support has had a lasting impact on our school community and we are already seeing the positive difference it has made.

Thank you [S E Davis, & Son Ltd](#) for investing in our children and helping us create a better environment for them to learn, play and thrive. We are incredibly grateful for your care and support and can't thank you enough.



13.11.26: PTA non uniform day
 13.11.26: PTA doughnut sale
 14.11.26: WMTC performance Swan Theatre, Worcester, 2.30pm
 20.11.26: Children in Need, bake sale
 23-25.11.26 Year 5 Manor Residential trip
 30.11.26: Open afternoon, all welcome 3.30 pm
 04.12.26: PTA Christmas Fayre
 07.12.26: Year 1 and Reception Christmas production 3.30 pm
 08.12.26: KS2 trip to pantomime, Swan Theatre
 09.12.26: Reception and KS1 trip to see One Tiny Penguin, Birmingham
 10.12.26: Pippins Christmas production 2.00 pm
 11.12.26: Year 5 & 6 Christmas production 9.00 am
 11.12.26: PTA Movie Night
 14.12.26: Year 2,3,4 Christmas Production 2.00 pm and 3.30 pm
 17.12.26: Christmas Party Day
 18.12.26: Christmas jumper day, singing around the tree assembly 9.00 am, all welcome.
 18.12.26: Break up for Christmas holiday
 04.01.27: TED Day
 05.01.27: Children return to school

Mr Pierce

I am delighted to join the team here at Flyford. Over the Summer break, I spent time on holiday in Devon with my family and grandchildren. I have recently retired from teaching after teaching and leading science for forty years. I am an avid supporter of Aston Villa. I also enjoy reading and writing. I am about to publish my second novel.



Mrs Bugg

I have made the most all of the gloriously sunny weather with holidays and visiting my family by the sea. I have also enjoyed many theatre trips with friends - Paddington being a special highlight! I am looking forward to another fantastic Flyford year with our wonderful pupils.

Next Week!

Just a reminder that on Tuesday 15th September at 9.10 am our Reception parents are welcome to come and join us in our hall to learn more about how we teach early reading. If you are unable to join us, please don't worry, Mrs Bown will also send home information via her class newsletter—she is always happy to talk things through if parents would like guidance and support too.

Fantastic Year 5 Buddies

Our Year 5 buddies have done a fantastic job helping our new Reception children settle into school life. From offering friendly smiles and support to sharing playtimes and activities, they have shown kindness, patience and responsibility throughout. We are incredibly proud of the care they have shown our youngest pupils and the positive role models they have been. Well done and thank you Year 5 for helping Reception feel so welcome



Well Done

An enormous well done to Darcey who, despite being on holiday, has continued to work incredibly hard on Num Bots. She has raced through four levels, which is a fantastic achievement!

All of this extra practice will really help her in her maths lessons during the term.

We are all very proud of your effort and perseverance, Darcey. Keep up the brilliant work!

Welcome

We are delighted to welcome Mr Pierce to Flyford, where he has joined our Reception team.

Mr Pierce has settled in beautifully - our children have enjoyed getting to know him, and it has been lovely to see the warm relationships he is building with both our children and staff team. Knowing how welcoming and supportive our families are, I'm certain Mr Pierce will quickly feel right at home with us!

We always love hearing about our children's holiday adventures, so we thought we'd share a few of our own with you over the next few pages.



Mrs Munday

Me and my boys had a great summer mainly spent outdoors cycling, walking, fishing, golfing and helping on my Father's farm. We took a short break down to Dawlish to enjoy the sunshine on the beach and in the sea, but most of all I enjoyed doing what I love the most, spending plenty of time with my horses.

Mrs Patterson

I enjoyed lots of special time with my family and some peaceful days relaxing at home. We made some wonderful memories together and enjoyed having time to slow down and appreciate the little things. It was a summer of happy moments, quiet reflection and memories that I will always treasure.

Mrs Bates

I had a lovely summer holiday. We managed to get away for a couple of days in our camper van. This is our dog Barney getting excited about going. We enjoyed ice creams and walks on the beach. Towards the end of the holiday, we had a week in Corfu, which was lovely and very hot!



Mrs Bown

What a wonderful summer full of sunshine! I spent lots of time in the garden reading books and enjoyed some long walks with Brie on the cooler days. Mr Bown and I went on brilliant trip to Corfu, we were particularly impressed with the amazing range of ice cream flavours. I had a different one every day! It is lovely to be back at school with all of the children, I am looking forward to another exciting year at Flyford.

Mrs Rea

I am happy to be back at school after a wonderful summer break. I spent lots of time reading books, going for walks and enjoying the sunshine while watching cricket at New Road. I also spent some time helping Mrs Ricketts move into her lovely new home. It was a memorable summer!



Mrs Smith

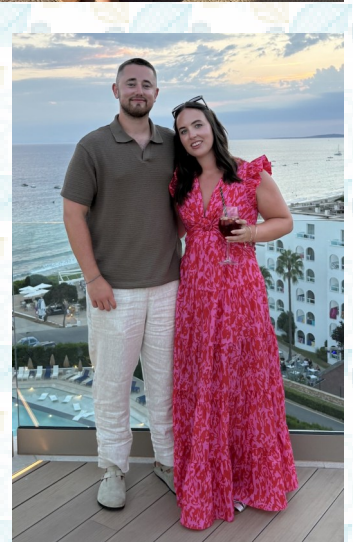
I had a lovely, relaxing summer break! I spent lots of time with family and friends and spent a fabulous week in Somerset, mainly in the swimming pool trying to keep cool! I went on lots of walks and enjoyed sitting in the garden reading some good books. It is so lovely to be back at school, and I am really looking forward to the year ahead!

Mrs Bennett

I enjoyed trips to London and Paris. We saw some shows, with Avenue Q being my favourite. I also loved spending a fun day at Euro Disney. As someone who usually prefers watching roller coasters from a safe distance, surviving Thunder Mountain felt like quite an achievement—although it did take me a little while to recover! Whilst I had a wonderful break, it is lovely to be back and catch up with our fantastic children and staff as we begin another exciting term together.

Mr Jones

In the Summer Holidays, I had a relaxing time in Menorca with my girlfriend. I did lots of swimming in the sea, played golf and had full access to the all-inclusive buffet! I also spent a week in Croatia with my friends. I had a great Summer!



Mrs Lightfoot

I have had a wonderful summer holiday. I enjoyed lots of fun days out and lovely walks with Milo (the dog) and my boys, exploring new places together. We also returned to the beautiful island of Kos for our family holiday this year. Before we went, we all learned some Greek, and the locals were delighted when we used it. It was a fantastic summer filled with family time, adventure, and happy memories.

Miss Pyne

I enjoyed a road trip around Ireland and Northern Ireland. I visited Belfast, Derry, Carrick on Shannon and Dublin and Giant's Causeway.



Mrs Wright

I enjoyed time at home walking our dogs and also time in the garden watering the plants. I read lots of books and enjoyed catching up with friends.

Mrs Voce

I had a great summer, spending time in the sunshine with my family and friends. I enjoyed lots of time on the beaches in Devon and Dorset. We found some fossils on the Jurassic Coast at Charmouth and had a lovely trip to the Eden Project. I also had a brilliant few days in Spain where I met up with friends I hadn't seen for over a year. One day, we got up very early for a ride in a hot air balloon over the town of Segovia which was incredible!



Mr Kearns

Over the holidays, I spent lots of time with my family visiting different places and having lots of fun. One of the highlights was our camping trip, both girls really enjoyed the experience and wanted to stay even longer! I also enjoyed reading lots of new books ready to share with my class.

Mrs Cook

I was lucky enough to share an amazing family holiday in the French Alps over the summer break this year. Lots of relaxation, lovely food, adventures and making memories! I hope you all had a great time too, its lovely to see you all back in school.



Miss Harding

We went to Legoland and visited Windsor castle whilst we were there. We also went to the seaside for a few days and we went to Manchester on the train to watch the high school musical show- it was amazing!