



VISION: Delivering excellence, allowing all to flourish
MISSION: Creating a culture of wonder, guided by Christian Faith
VALUES: COMPASSION - ENDURANCE - THANKFULNESS

Spring Term

INSET Day:

Monday 5th January 2026

First day of Term:

Tuesday 6th January 2026

Half Term:

Monday 16th February to Friday 20th February 2026

Last day of Term:

Friday 27th March 2026

Summer Term

First day of Term:

Monday 13th April 2026

Bank Holiday:

Monday 4th May 2026

Half Term:

Monday 25th May to Friday 29th May 2026

Last Day of Term:

Friday 17th July 2026

It has been another wonderful week at school, filled with both quiet reflection and high-energy achievements.

Our Year 3 pupils visited the church for Godly Play this week, engaging beautifully with their surroundings.

This morning, it was a joy to see so many families join us at the church for our Mothering Sunday Service, followed by a lovely performance from our Nursery children this afternoon. I would like to say a huge thank you to the staff for preparing the children so well, and to all the families who came along to support these special celebrations.

On the pitch, football at Dover House Road this week was certainly an exciting - and very windy event! It is fantastic to see our team growing in confidence and skill with every game. We are delighted to celebrate three goals across our two matches this week, with one scored in the first and two in the second. This is brilliant progress from our players and we are all very proud of their teamwork and tenacity.

Looking ahead to next week, we have a very busy schedule across the school. On Wednesday, we will be having our whole-school photo; please ensure all children come to school in their full school uniform for this. Wednesday and Thursday also bring our Progress in Learning meetings and we look forward to welcoming you into school to discuss your child's progress. Elsewhere, our Year 1 pupils will be heading off on an exciting trip to Paddington County Hall and we are as always happy to welcome Reverend Helena, who will be joining us on Thursday to lead our Phase 1 and Phase 2 worship.

Finally, on Friday, we will be celebrating Comic Relief. This year's campaign, titled 'Take Yourself Funny For Money' encourages us to use humour to raise funds for those facing the cost-of-living crisis, food insecurity and homelessness. We invite all pupils to come to school in something **RED!** We kindly ask for a donation of £1 for the charity and look forward to seeing a "sea of red" across the school in support of this great cause.

I hope you all have a wonderful weekend; we wish a very happy Mothering Sunday to all our parents, carers and everyone who provides a mothering and nurturing role within our community.
 Gemma Jennings - Deputy Head Teacher

School Attendance 25-26	
TARGET	97.0%
2024-25	96.5% (1687)
Autumn	96.2% (989)
Week Beginning	% (sessions)
05/01	95.5% (67)
12/01	95.3% (68)
19/01	96.3% (54)
26/01	96.1% (57)
02/02	93.9% (88)
09/02	92.8% (104)
23/02	92.3% (72)
02/03	95.7% (61)
09/03	95.3% (68)
16/03	
23/06	
Total:	95.5% (1489)

Family Points

243

151

276

414

