



NEWSLETTER

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Welcome back everyone - we have started 2025 – time certainly does fly by! We hope you had a lovely holiday and break over Christmas and New Year.

All the children have made a great start back at school – ready for this Spring term of 12 weeks – although it is far from spring like at the moment!

Parents at the gate - Please make sure you do not address a pupil/parent directly outside of school. If you feel there is an issue between a pupil and your child, then please come into school to discuss your concerns and let Mrs Statham know – then we will be able to sort any issues out.

Parking - We must ask all parents at drop off and collection to park safely and consider the safety of all pupils – not just park where it is convenient or closest. Before Christmas the PCSO team were monitoring this and will continue to do so this term. I will also be sending out a Parking newsletter with further information on in the next few weeks.

M Statham

Colder Weather: Please ensure your children are coming to school in the appropriate outer wear as the temperatures outside are dropping below freezing on some days.

Congratulations!

Golden Book Award: YR: Harvey Y1: Hunter Y2: Poppy

Y3: Isla Y4: Alex Y5: Lexi Y6: Rossi

Lunchtime awards: Minahil YR Raya Y6

Attendance Awards: Y2 96.79% Y4 97.33%

Good Manners: We are having a real push on pupils using good manners at the moment and being rewarded with Spotted tickets. We are encouraging all children to say Please and Thank you and Good Morning. It has been lovely to see how hard all the children are trying.

New Website

This has now gone live! We hope you like the improvements compared to the old one. Some areas of the website are still in development so please bear with us – any issues please let us know.

Parental Questionnaire Results: See attached on Page 4: Thank you very much for all your completed questionnaires. Some very pleasing results.

Any parents who made comments and would like issues discussed further – text messages have gone out to invite you to make a meeting with Mrs Statham if you require it

PE Kits: Please ensure a full PE indoor and outdoor kit are in school. However when temperatures fall below freezing all PE lessons will be indoors.

Uniform/Footwear: Please remember that school shoes should be worn and NOT trainers. If alternative footwear needs to be worn for a short period of time, please send in an email or letter.

Pupil Voice Y6:

“We have started a new DT topic which is where we design waistcoats – we have been using a template and using our pinning skills to incorporate the material. The sewing might be more tricky!”

“In English we have started a book called ‘Bills New Frock’ – I like how we have been using it for discussions and talking about gender roles in the outside world.”

Diary Dates

Wednesday 15th January	Heights & Weights Reception & Y6 With the school nurses
Thursday 16th January	School Nurses to talk to Y6
Friday 17th January	Reception class Vision Screening
Thursday 23rd January	School Nurses to talk to Y5
Monday 3rd February	Y4 Swimming all week
Monday 3rd February	Y5 Bikeability Monday - Thursday
Monday 10th February	Y5 Swimming all week
Friday 14th February	School Closes 3.15pm
Monday 24th February	School Re-opens

Out of School Activity Clubs

Monday	Football Skills with Mr Euston	Y3 & Y4	3.15pm - 4.15pm
Monday	Construction Club with Mrs Hardman	Y1	3.15pm - 4pm
Tuesday	Multi-Sports with Mr Heaton	Years 2 & 3	3.15pm – 4.15pm
Wednesday	Multi-Sports with Mr Heaton	KS2	3.15pm – 4.15pm
Thursday	Baking Club With Miss Mawdsley	KS2	3.15pm – 4.15pm
Thursday	Football Teams Radcliffe Borough	Y5 & Y6	3.15pm - 4.30pm

PE Days: Reception, Y1 & Y2 Tuesdays – KS2 Wednesdays

(Reminder PE kit is dark PE shorts, black or navy, plain white t-shirt, and pumps/trainers. KS2 need plain joggers and jumper/hoodie/tracksuit top for winter)

Parental Questionnaire - December 2024
RESULTS as % percentage 145 returns

	Agree & Strongly Agree	Strongly agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Don't know or not relevant
1. My child is happy at school	99%	61%	38%	1%		
2. I feel that my child is safe and well cared for at school	100%	71%	29%			
3. I am happy with the overall standard of behaviour in school	97%	57%	40%	3%		
4. I feel that any behavioural issues or bullying incidents are dealt with quickly and effectively	86%	46%	40%	4%	1%	9%
5. I am happy with the progress of my child and school informs me how well they are doing	94%	50%	44%	4%		1%
6. The school has high expectations	95%	52%	43%	3%		2%
7. I am happy with how the Headteacher, and staff are leading and managing the school	94%	61%	33%	3%		3%
8. The school and Headteacher listens to all of the views/concerns of parents/carers and responds appropriately to them	93%	55%	38%	4%	1%	2%
9. The school supports my child's wider personal development and there is a good pastoral team in school to support families	89%	52%	37%	1%	2%	8%
10. There is a good range of after school activities	84%	47%	37%	8%	1%	7%
11. If your child has SEND needs, the school gives them the support they need	47%	20%	27%	1%	2%	50%
(from the 72 parents that answered the SEND needs question)	94%	40%	54%	2%	4%	
12. I am happy with the way the Governors are leading improvements in the school	79%	40%	39%	1%		20%
(from the 117 parents that answered the Governors leading the school question)	98%	50%	48%	2%		
13. I am happy with being part of The Collective Community Trust	82%	39%	43%	1%		17%
(from the 121 parents that answered the Collective Community Trust question)	98%	47%	51%	2%		

Positive Parental Feedback:

My child enjoys school

Very happy with Cams Lane

Extremely happy with the education and care from Cams Lane

Overall very happy with the school

Very happy and grateful with all the care and support

Have no faults

Staff are very supportive and welcoming

Thank you for consistently updating on tapestry

Thank you for you for the support

The staff team are nurturing and warm

Very happy with school

Really happy with how supportive the school were – made such a difference

Would like to thank everyone over the years

I am happy to have my child attend this school

Always a wide range of activities for all year groups

Parent Comment/Issue:

No after school clubs for Year 1 – *these always start in Spring term to allow them to settle in*

Unhappy with staffing issues – *these have been resolved and parents met with*

Need help with handwriting – *class teacher addressing*

Better communication - *meetings held already*

Unsure of emotional support

Some areas of behaviour should be better dealt with – *relevant issues followed up by Headteacher*

Inconsistency in spelling /reading

Teachers knowing parents better

Challenge for individuals

Would like to hear more around school improvements

Concern re Headteacher in split role

Concern re being kept up to date with interventions

Specific parents have either had a letter, meeting or phone calls already – others will be invited to make a meeting to discuss their concerns further