



Staffing Update

SCAMPS

We are sorry to say goodbye to Alex Nutting, who has been a valued member of our SCAMPS team since joining us as a Playworker in April last year. We would like to thank Alex for all her hard work and care for the children during her time with us. She will be missed by pupils and colleagues alike, and we wish her every success and happiness as she begins her new career.

Baby news!

We are delighted to share that Mr Richards' daughter arrived safely this week! Mr Richards is currently enjoying some well-deserved time with his new arrival and will return from paternity leave on Monday 21 September. We send our warmest congratulations to him and his family and wish them every happiness together.

We also have some more lovely baby news to share – Mrs Sanghera is expecting a baby! We send our congratulations to Mrs Sanghera and wish her all the very best for the months ahead. She is expected to continue teaching throughout the autumn term before beginning her maternity leave in January. We will shortly begin the recruitment process to cover her maternity leave.

Pre-Loved Uniform Sale

A huge thank you to Mrs Pape and our Year 6 Eco Reps, who will be helping us to hold regular pre-loved uniform sales throughout the year. This is a great way to save families money while also giving good-quality uniform a new home and reducing waste.

Our first sale will take place on Tuesday 22 September at the end of the school day in the main playground, weather permitting. We hope you will come along and pick up a bargain!

Extra-Curricular Clubs

Thank you to everyone who has booked a place on one of our extra-curricular clubs. It is wonderful to see so many children taking advantage of the activities on offer.

Thank you also for your patience while we resolve some of the administrative issues around Pupil Premium eligibility and charges overlapping with SCAMPS sessions.

We appreciate that this has caused some confusion for a small number of families. We are working with Arbor to develop a more effective booking and payment process ready for the spring term, which we hope will make things much simpler. Thank you for bearing with us while we get the new system right!

Open Days: EYFS 2027

Please see our [website](#) for details of our up-coming open days for parents/carers of children who will be starting Nursery or Reception in September 2027.

Homework

Regular practice at home makes a real difference, so please help your child get into a good routine right from the beginning of the year.

Children in Years 1 and 2 should be using NumBots, while children in Years 3–6 should be using Times Tables Rock Stars (TTRS) each week to complete their homework.

Please make sure your child has their login details and is practising regularly. If you have not received their login or are having difficulty accessing their account, please speak to your child's class teacher.

Remember, we celebrate the most improved accuracy across each phase in our Celebration Assembly every week – so keep practising!

PSHE & RSE Policy

Thank you to everyone who attended our PSHE Curriculum Review Meeting on 25 June and contributed their views. Following this consultation, our updated PSHE and RSE Policy is now available on the [school website](#).

Thank you for continuing to work in partnership with us as we support pupils' personal, social, health and relationships education.

Important Dates

September 2026

Wed 16th	• Flu vaccinations
Thurs 17th	• Visiting Shakespeare performance (Y6)
Thurs 24th	• A*Sheriff Training
Fri 25th	• Deadline for governors applications

October 2026

Tues 6th	• Full Governors' Board Meeting
Mon 19th	• Parents/Carers' Evening
Weds 21st	• Parents/Carers' Evening
Fri 23rd	• INSET day – school closed to all pupils
26th–30 th HALF TERM	

November 2026

Mon 2nd	• INSET day – school closed to all pupils
Weds 11th	• Remembrance Service
Tues 24th	• Full Governors' Board Meeting

Remember: you can sync all of these dates with your calendar directly from our [website](#)!