

Weekly Newsletter

MATHS WORKSHOP FOR PARENTS

Many thanks to all of you who joined us for this session yesterday; it was great to see so many of you there and we hope you found it enjoyable and informative.

During the event we shared a few details about our approach to teaching maths in school using the White Rose Maths scheme, and walked through the methods we teach children throughout their time here. **We also talked through a number of resources accessible to parents at home to support children's progress in maths which we wanted to summarise for those of you who were unable to make it yesterday (all hyperlinked below):**

The Home Learning Support page of our website - this contains supporting materials not just for maths but also phonics, reading and writing. The maths section (click on the '+' on the right) contains links to the following resources....

White Rose Maths Home Learning - this contains a huge number of very short videos which directly link to what we are doing in school and explain each 'small step' to enable parents to support their children.

Maths with Michael - this is your go-to for short videos explaining the methods the children learn for solving calculations so if you're a little lost when they're doing long multiplication for example, this is the answer!

Free downloadable booklets from White Rose - these can be printed should you want to do any additional practice with your child at home. There are 10-15 per year group which directly relate to what your child is doing in school.

There are also links to a number of apps that should be of use including **Numbots**, **Times Table Rockstars** and **One Minute Maths**. If you need any help with access to any of the above, please just ask!



WELL DONE YEAR 6!

A massive well done to our amazing Year 6s who this week completed their SATs tests. They were all fantastic throughout what has been a very long week for them and we're very proud of them all!!



SPORTS DAY

We are pleased to share the date of this year's Sports Day which will take place on the morning of Thursday 10th July.

Our colleagues at Laurus Cheadle Hulme have kindly agreed to let us use their grounds for the event. More details to follow nearer the time.



SUMMER AUTHOR VISITS

On Monday we kick off a series of summer author visits by welcoming the wonderful Jenny Pearson into school. Jenny is the author of loads of great books including The Boy who Made Monsters and The Incredible Record Smashers. She will be entertaining the children with her stories and experiences



as and author and teacher - make sure you ask your child to tell you about it on Monday night!



SEPTEMBER 2025 KIDS CLUB BOOKINGS

A reminder that the link for booking Kids Club spaces for next academic year goes live at **7pm on Monday 19th May**. A further letter with final details of this, including the link, will be sent out on Monday morning.

ORDERING SCHOOL LUNCHES

Please remember that in order for your child to receive a school lunch, you must go on School Grid to order in advance.

This can be done anything from a few weeks at a time to up 9am on the day.

PLEASE REMEMBER WE ARE AN ALLERGY AWARE SCHOOL - UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES SHOULD NUTS, OR ANY PRODUCT CONTAINING NUTS, BE BROUGHT ON TO SCHOOL PREMISES.

DATES FOR THE DIARY

For a full list of dates for the 2024-25 academic year, please see our Annual Planner which can be accessed by clicking on this link.

19th May - Jenny Pearson author visit

11th June - School Photos

13th June - Frank Cottrell Boyce author visit

16th June - Michael Churm Paralympian Visit

17th June - Tom McLaughlin Author Visit

17th June - Y4/5 Bridgewater Hall Performance

20th June - INSET Day

25th June - Digital Wellbeing workshop for parents

26th June - Express Uniform Pop-Up Shop

27th June - Year 1 Assembly

28th June - PTA Summer Fair

10th July - Sports Day

11th July - Transition Day

11th July - Reports sent out