



NEWSLETTER

SUMMER 2026



As we reach the final weeks of the school year, we'd like to take a moment to celebrate everything our pupils have achieved. It has been a busy and rewarding year, full of learning, creativity, and memorable moments. We are incredibly proud of all our students and grateful for the continued support of our families and staff. Wishing everyone a happy and restful summer break!

ATTENDANCE



SHOW UP
shine bright

Every day counts

Each day in school helps build new skills and confidence.

Aim high

Excellent attendance helps children reach their full potential.



Be on time, be ready to learn

Arriving on time means children can settle in and get their day off to the best start.

Small gaps become big gaps

Missing a few days throughout the year can quickly add up.

Healthy routine helps

Good sleep and morning routines support regular attendance.

School days are learning days

Try to arrange appointments and holidays outside of term time where possible.

We can support you

If you feel like attendance is becoming a problem, please get in touch we are happy to help!



ACORN CLASS WERE THE
ATTENDANCE STARS FOR
LAST HALF TERM WITH A
FANTASTIC 95%
WELL DONE!





SUSTAINABILITY



PLANT YOUR PANTS!



At the end of spring term, pupils took part in plant your pants. An initiative to encourage pupils to get their hands in the soil and find out what the quality of school soil is!

The results are in:

- Mrs Shipley's class - chose the best spot over all, with no pants being recovered despite accurate sign posting and two big dig attempts!
- Miss Robertson's class - no change to the pants 8 weeks later. The result of being in an off ground planter?
- Mr Brown's class - discolouration but no decomposition had occurred. Another not great spot for soil health.

Pupils thoroughly enjoyed this quirky challenge and it is certainly one we will participate in again!



PURPLE UP! DAY

In Summer Term 1, pupils and staff were invited to participate in "Purple Up! Day" - a day designed to give recognition to the children of military families and their contributions to their communities.



PURPLE UP!
for military kids

GREAT BIG GREEN WEEK

The Great Big Green Week saw pupils take part in sustainable inspired projects during their morning core value time. this consisted of designing bug hotels, bug bingo and beautiful butterfly artwork being made from natural resources.



CRUCIAL CREW

A group of pupils were once again invited to take part in a trip to Crucial Crew. This annual visit supports pupils to learn how to be safe whilst out in the community, fire safety and more.

Safety Tips

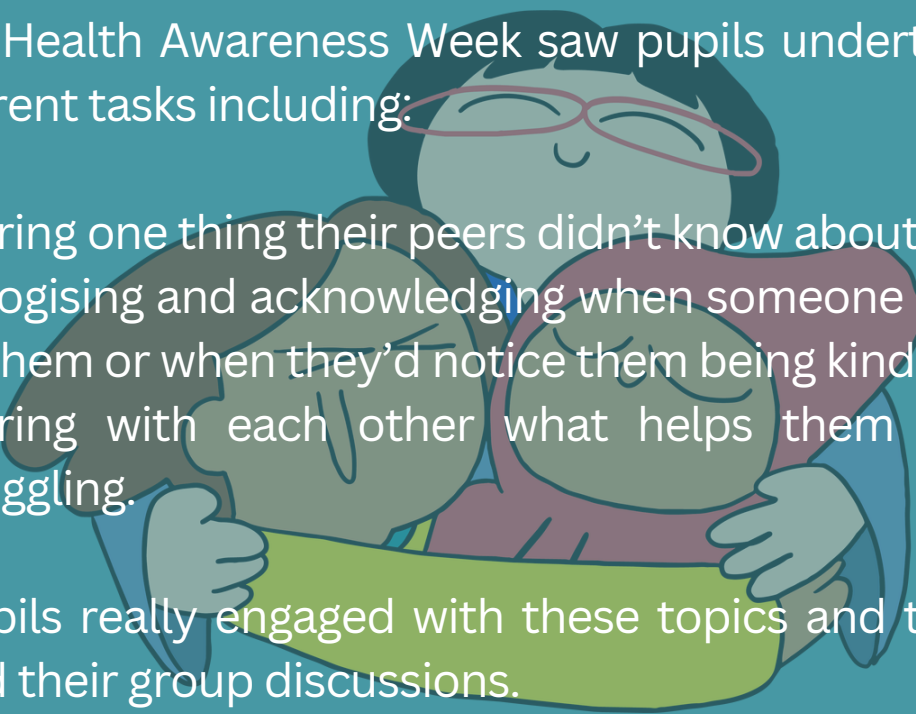


MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS WEEK

Mental Health Awareness Week saw pupils undertake a mixture of different tasks including:

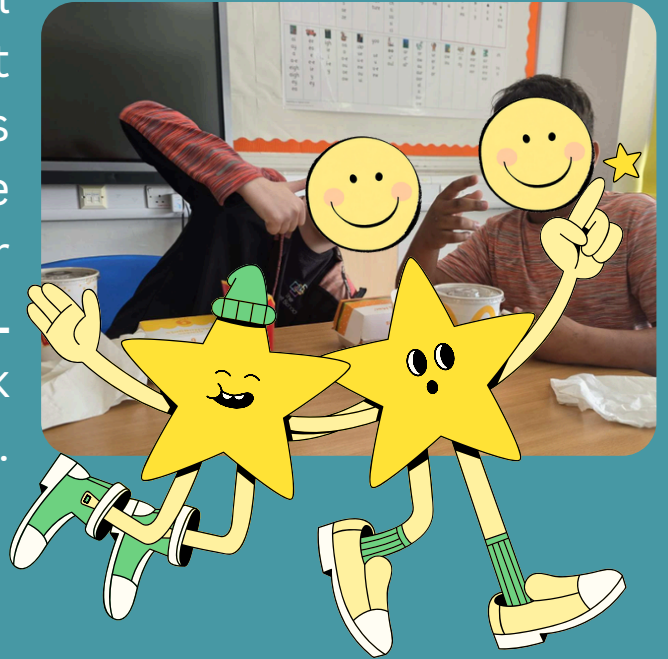
- Sharing one thing their peers didn't know about them
- Recognising and acknowledging when someone had been kind to them or when they'd notice them being kind to others;
- Sharing with each other what helps them when they're struggling.

The pupils really engaged with these topics and throughoughly enjoyed their group discussions.



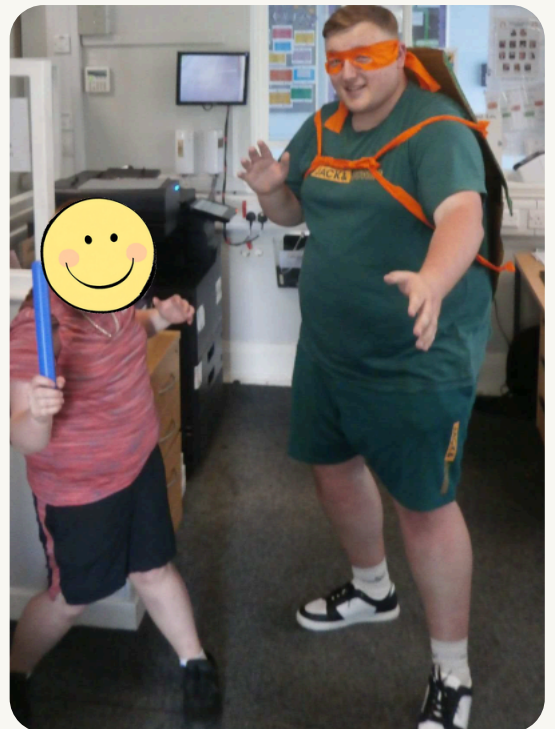
ASSESSMENTS

This term has seen lots of official assessments taking place, most notably SATS, Phonics Assessments and the multiplication check. We couldn't publish this newsletter without saying a massive **WELL DONE** to all the pupils who took part and did their absolute best. You're all superstars!



CAREERS DAY

Careers day saw staff and pupils invited to come dressed up. Staff as their chosen profession as children and pupils, who or what they want to be when they grow up! We certainly had a wide range of aspirations, from ballet dancers to ninja turtles!



WHAT'S COMING UP

SUSTAINABILITY

Pupils will take part in workshops about climate change, endangered animals and a celebration of both red squirrel awareness week and recycling week!



CHILDRENS UNIVERSITY

Log learning outside of school hours to get certificates - approved activities like sports clubs, museums, online courses.



CornerstonesTM
Education

NEW CURRICULUM

School leaders and Teachers will be implementing a brand new curriculum using Cornerstones!

SCARECROW COMPETITION

Pupils will be taking part in the annual scarecrow competition. They will design and make their own class scarecrows, inspired by local heroes.

IMPORTANT DATES

Teacher training days: 1st and 2nd September 26

Pupils return to school: Thursday 3rd September 26

We would like to wish everyone a fantastic summer break, we hope the sun shines for you all!

For those of you returning in September, we can't wait to see you and for those of you who are moving on -

we wish you all the luck in the world!

Have a fantastic summer!

