



FRIDAY 27TH MARCH 2026

NEWSLETTER



Easter Bonnet and Egg Box Decorations

It was so wonderful to see the INCREDIBLE Easter bonnets and egg decorations this morning - and to welcome so many parents to school. Thank you for coming so prepared for the weather and for the significant efforts that you have made to support and encourage your children to enter the Easter competition.

A team of judges have awarded the following children an easter egg . It was a very hard decision and required a team of people to help us decide!!

EYFS - Oliver & Alfie
YR 1 - Eoin & Alice
YR 2 - Ezra & Arthur
YR 3 - Willow J & Ayda
YR 4 - Thomas C & Eliyas
YR 5 - Leo C & Alfie Lk
YR 6 - Mathilda T & Ewan S

Well done to everyone for their amazing creations!

Happy Easter!

We would like to wish you all a really great break and a very happy Easter period. We hope that the sun shines for you all and you are all able to enjoy some time with those you love and care about most.

Thank you again for all of your kind words, support and encouragement this term - it has been a very busy one but always so productive. Your children are very important to us all and wish them all an Easter full of fun and chocolate!



Star foundation visit

Most classes enjoyed a drama session by Tiger, from the STAR Foundation on Thursday. It was great to see children's confidence in speaking and acting throughout the morning.

Please don't forget to add your unwanted clothing etc to the STAR bank just outside of school. So far this has raised approximately £400 for school funds!

Chocolate Bingo!

Thank you to everyone who came to Chocolate Bingo last night - a great time was had by all whilst raising valuable funds for the school. Mrs Ingham was on form as bingo caller and managed to come up with creative ways to ensure all the chocolate was won! A special thank you to the staff and parents who gave up their own time to help with set up, selling items and clearing away - it is much appreciated!

Date of next Events Committee meeting is Thursday 26th April 2026 at 6.30pm at The Bell - we will mainly be planning for the upcoming Summer Fayre so if you are interested in helping out or have some ideas to share - please come along!

Thank you!



Year 1 Request

Mr Mellor's class will be making Smoothies on the first week back to school.

He has requested that children in Year 1 bring some fruit in on Monday 13th April

Suggestions are -
Bananas, Strawberries,
Kiwi, Apples, Blueberries,
or Mangoes.
Many Thanks!

Year 6 Revision Club!

We are pleased to announce that our Year 6 after-school revision club will begin after the Easter break. The sessions will take place on Tuesdays from 3:30pm to 4:30pm and all Year 6 pupils are warmly invited to attend.

Our first session is on Tuesday 14th April. Our final session will be Tuesday 5th May.

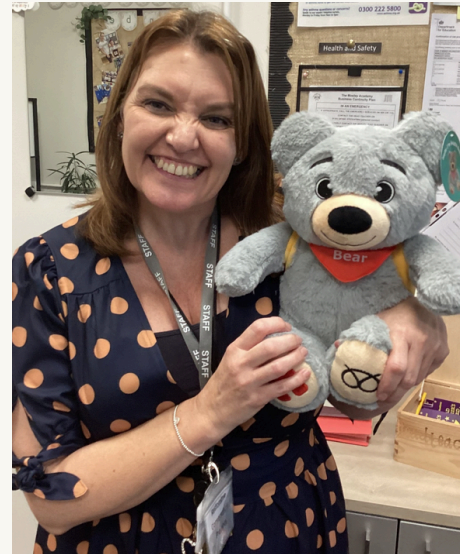
The club will provide valuable opportunities for children to revise key areas of maths, reading and SPaG (spelling, punctuation and grammar) in preparation for the KS2 SATs.

This will be available to book on MCAS under the Clubs tab



ATTENDANCE THIS WEEK

Reception 98.3%
 Year 1 -94.7%
 Year 2 -93%
 Year 3 -96.7%
 Year 4- 98.4%
 Year 5 -91.3%
 Year 6 -97.6%



Attendance Awards

Every week, we celebrate the winning class for the highest attendance. You can see the results each week on the newsletter. The winning class is announced in class by Mrs Taylor each week on a Friday and get to enjoy 5 minutes extra playtime. We also now have a lovely Helpful bear kindly donated by the Staffordshire Little Heroes campaign. Helpful bear will also stay with the winning class each week and enjoy a week of learning in the class with the highest attendance!

Congratulations to Year 4 with 98.4% attendance!

This week's stars are:



Reception - Rex
 Year 1 - Norah W
 Year 2 - Robyn
 Year 3 - Jude
 Year 4 - Eysa
 Year 5 - Flo
 Year 6 - Roma



Well done to you all!

DATES

<p><u>Monday 13th April</u></p> <p>Return to school.</p>	<p><u>Friday 17th April</u></p> <p>9am Year 6 & Reception Class Photographs</p>	<p><u>Friday 1st May</u></p> <p>May Day Celebrations at 9am on the playground</p>
<p><u>Friday 22nd May</u></p> <p>OPAL Stay and Play afternoon at 2.30pm All welcome to come and play!</p>	<p><u>Friday 19th June</u></p> <p>Fathers Day Lunches KS2 Coming soon to book on MCAS</p>	<p><u>Monday 22nd June</u></p> <p>Fathers Day Lunches EYFS & KS1 Coming soon to book on MCAS</p>
<p><u>Friday 10th July</u></p> <p>Sports Day at 1.15pm More details to follow</p>	<p><u>Tuesday 14th July</u></p> <p>Seaside Day KS2 More details to follow</p>	<p><u>Wednesday 15th July</u></p> <p>Seaside Day EYFS & KS1 More details to follow</p>
<p><u>Wednesday 15th July</u></p> <p>Year 6 Leavers Lunch with parents. More details to follow</p>	<p><u>Friday 17th July</u></p> <p>9am Year 6 Leavers Assembly for Year 6 parents.</p>	<p><u>Friday 17th July</u></p> <p>Break up for Summer 2.20/2.25/2.30pm</p>



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& GIRLS
RECEPTION - YEAR 6**

EASTER HOLIDAYS APRIL

**TUESDAY
31st March**

**WEDNESDAY
1st April**

**THURSDAY
2nd April**

Admission
£25 a day or book all 3
days for a discount!

Activities

- ✓ Easter Crafts
- ✓ Games
- ✓ Drawing & painting
- ✓ Easter Egg Hunts
- ✓ And many more!

Hosted at the Mosley Academy

Main Rd, Burton upon
Trent, Anslow, Burton-
on-Trent
DE13 9QD

Registration Link

Inclusive-Kids-Clubs.classforkids.io

8:30 - 15:30

Late pick up options
are available!

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Online Autism training:

A series of six, online training sessions for parents and carers of children who have, or may have autism

As part of Staffordshire County Council's 'Best Start in Life' project, Midlands Psychology is delivering a This six-week training series explores the common features of autism and gives you an understanding of why children with autism either struggle to do certain things, or need to do them differently. Each week, we'll explore a different area and they'll be suggestions for ways of encouraging your child to develop skills where they have gaps or to help think about ways you might help them to better manage by making changes to the environment or reducing demands on them.

*Tuesday evenings, 5:30pm
Starting April 14th 2026
Sessions are 1½ hours including time for questions*

SESSION 1: Social Imagination

Learn how deficits in social imagination impact on children's ability to think flexibly, adapt to change and use social prediction and perspective taking, and how to help children cope with the unpredictable world in which they live.

SESSION 2: Social Interaction

Find out about the social challenges faced by children and young people on the autism spectrum and ways in which you can help your child to develop their social understanding and improve the success of their social relationships.

SESSION 3: Social Communication

Learn about the common communication difficulties experienced by children on the autism spectrum and get some hints and tips for improving communication.

SESSION 4: Sensory and Self-esteem

Two for the price of one this week. We'll talk about the sensory and motor differences affecting many children on the autism spectrum whilst sharing advice for managing sensory needs. We'll also talk about building your child's confidence and self-esteem, to help make them more resilient for the challenges in life.


SESSION 5: Understanding emotions


Find out why children on the autism spectrum experience heightened emotions, in particular anxiety and anger, and ways to increase emotion regulation and coping.

SESSION 6: Managing behaviour

An introduction to using behaviour modification techniques to help reduce challenging behaviour in children and young people with autism

To enrol, please email or call:

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