

# Newsletter

**Friday 20th June 2025**

## **Police Visit**

Thank You to PC White and Team  
PC White and his colleagues delivered engaging and informative sessions this week. The children enjoyed the experience and learned a great deal. We are grateful to our local officers for their continued support.

## **Transition Sessions - Meeting New Teachers**

Children will find out their new class on Wednesday 2 July before attending a transition session with their new teacher.

### **Session Dates and Times:**

Wednesday 2 July: 10:00 - 11:30

Wednesday 9 July: 13:30 - 14:30

## **Year 6 Updates**

We have received very positive feedback from Year 6 parents and pupils following last week's gangs awareness sessions. It is reassuring to know these sessions have had an impact. We have already arranged for them to be delivered again to next year's Year 6 cohort.

Rehearsals for the Year 6 production are now well underway, and the children are looking forward to their performance.

### **Pupil Survey Results - 71 Responses**

I enjoy school - 99%

I feel safe in school - 97%

There are a wide range of clubs available - 86%

Behaviour in school is good - 81% (compared to 62% in the previous year)

The new playground equipment has improved lunchtime behaviour - 85%

### **Clubs and Activities Pupils Would Like to See:**

Tennis, Lego therapy (particularly for children with SEND), gymnastics, cheerleading, cooking, basketball, Morris dancing, football, painting, yoga, cricket.

We will use this feedback to inform our planning for extra-curricular provision in the next academic year.



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## **Parent Survey Results - 67 Responses**

My child enjoys school - 94%

My child feels safe at school - 94%

Overall, communication has improved this year - 92%

PE kits have been more consistent this year - 95%

There have been more enrichment opportunities (clubs, trips, visits, visitors, workshops) - 86%

## **Dragon Lane Entrance - Outcome of Parent Feedback**

Thank you to all who responded to our consultation on the Dragon Lane entrance. The responses were as follows:

54% would like it to remain closed

46% would like it to reopen

We understand concerns around parking and the relocation of the lollipop lady to Pennywood. Traffic wardens have been informed and there has been a recent increase in presence to help address these issues.

Decision: As a leadership team, we have decided that the Dragon Lane entrance will remain closed at the start of the next academic year. We believe this is the safest option for our children.

## **Attendance and Punctuality**

Thank you for continuing to support good attendance. Class 3-4H have achieved four consecutive days of 100% attendance. If every pupil attends on Monday, the class will be awarded a non-uniform day.

## **Tough Runner - Tuesday**

We are looking forward to hosting the Tough Runner event on Tuesday. Information has already been shared with families. If you have not already signed the waiver, please can you do so.

### **About the Event:**

Tough Runner is a mobile obstacle course designed specifically for primary school pupils. It transforms our school field into an exciting and challenging course featuring up to 15 obstacles, including spider webs, slack lines, tunnels, net climbs, tyre runs, and balance beams. The purpose of the event is to promote physical fitness, teamwork, and resilience among pupils.



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## Dates for your diary

Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> June- Tough runner, A fun and challenging physical activity day on the school field (whole school) (9.00am-3.00pm)

Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> June- Parent and Carer coffee morning

Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> July- EYFS and key stage 1 sports day at 1.30pm

Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> July- Key stage 1 trip (Farmer Teds)

Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> July- Key stage 2 sports day at 1.30pm

Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> July- Year 6 trip Ninja Warrior and Bowling

Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> July- Leavers disco 5pm

Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> July- Leavers assembly 2pm



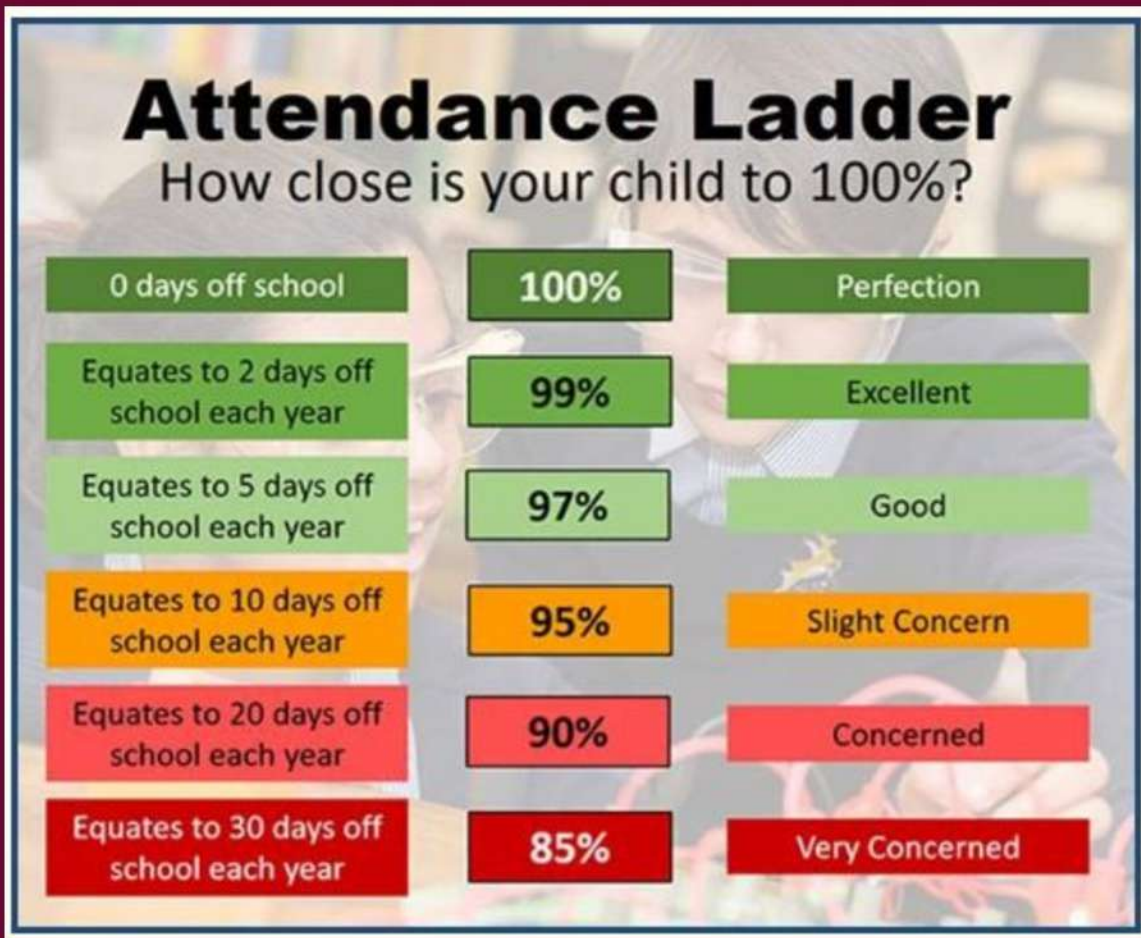
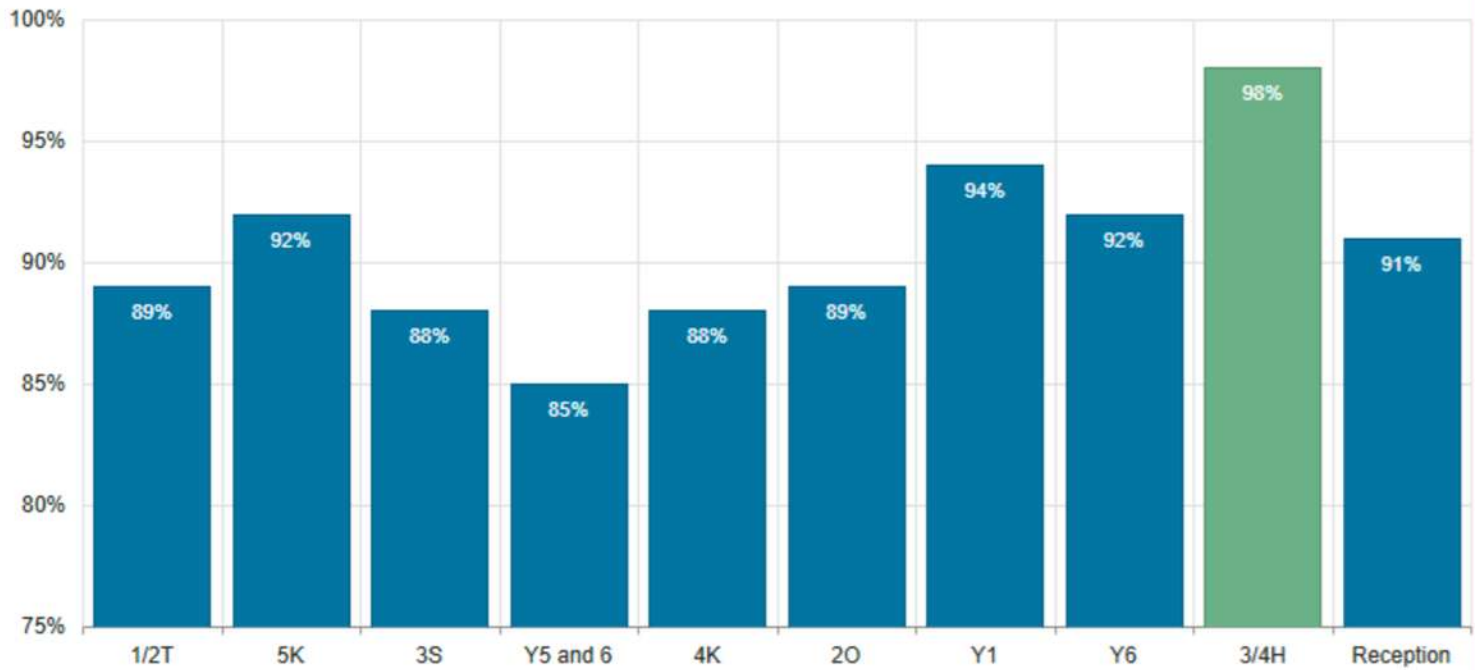
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# Lunch menu- 23.06.25-27.06.25

	Meal 1	Meal 2	
Monday	Pork meatballs in sauce pasta and garlic bread	Quorn meatballs in tomato sauce, pasta and garlic bread	Jacket potato/sandwich
Tuesday	BBQ chicken wrap and cous cous	BBQ Quorn wraps and cous cous	Jacket potato/sandwich
Wednesday	Chicken tikka rice and naan bread	Quorn tikka rice and naan bread	Jacket potato/sandwich
Thursday	Gammon, roast potato, veg and gravy	Quorn fillet, roast potato, veg and gravy	Jacket potato/sandwich
Friday	Fish fingers, chips and beans	Quorn nuggets, chips and beans	Jacket potato/sandwich



# Weekly attendance 16th June-20th June 2025



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## coffee morning



Come along for an informal chat over coffee/tea as we explore and share ideas around our school's vision and values. This is a great opportunity to connect, ask questions, and be part of the conversation shaping our school's future.

Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> June 2025  
9am