



Headteacher Update



2025 - 2026

Monday 29th June – General Update

Hot Weather

Thank you for your support during last week's hot weather. All staff and pupils coped exceptionally well. We made good use of the air-conditioned room and the shaded outdoor areas to help keep everyone comfortable. With slightly cooler conditions now returning, we are hopeful this will make the school day easier for everyone.

Dates

The final four weeks of term are always very busy. Please ensure you have checked the dates that have been shared so you are able to take part in the wide range of activities planned, as well as the opportunities to spend time in school with your child.

Free Breakfast Club

From September 2026, we will be opening a free Breakfast Club for all pupils, in line with new Department for Education guidance. The club will run from 8:20am to 8:50am each day. A weekly booking system will be in place, and further details—particularly for the first week back—will be sent out before the end of term.

We will also continue to offer our paid Breakfast Club from September. This provision will now begin earlier, opening at 7:30am each day (instead of 7:45am). Pupils who attend the paid club will then move seamlessly into the free Breakfast Club provision, ensuring a smooth and extended start to the school day for those who require it.

Summer Fair

With the Summer Fair taking place this Wednesday (1st July) and England progressing to the next stage of the World Cup, we are aware that many families and staff will want to be home in time for the 5:00pm kick-off. Therefore, the Summer Fair will begin at 3:10pm and finish promptly at 4:20pm. If possible, we ask that all children are collected 10 minutes early on Wednesday. Please also remember that Wednesday is a non-uniform day, and we kindly ask each child to bring in a bottle for our bottle tombola. This can be any new, unused, sealed item such as shampoo, fizzy drinks, water, or bubble bath.

Raffle tickets are available to buy via Arbor – you have to be in it to win it!! 😊

Bikes and Scooters

A reminder about the use of bikes and scooters before and after school. We continue to receive concerning reports about unsafe riding on roads and pavements. If your child travels independently on a bike or scooter, it is your responsibility to ensure they understand the Highway Code and demonstrate safe, appropriate behaviour.

Class Teachers – September 2026

Please see the table below for staffing arrangements for September 2026. On Wednesday 8th July, pupils will spend the day with their new class teacher. Over the past six weeks, staff have worked carefully to organise the new class groups for the next academic year. Please note that after 8th July, no further changes will be made to class lists. If you have any significant concerns, please ensure you have spoken to your child's current class teacher by Wednesday 1st July.

Nursery	Miss Rosindell	Miss Ahern – Phase Leader
Class 1	Miss Singh	
Class 2	Miss Ahern	
Class 3	Mr Ross	Mrs Kelly – Phase Leader
Class 4	Mrs Kelly	
Class 5	Miss Chauhan	
Class 6	Mrs Smythe	
Class 7	Mrs Baguley & Miss Booth	
Class 8	Miss Beard	Mr Harper – Phase Leader
Class 9	Mr Brown	
Class 10	Miss Tarlowski & Mrs Heywood (Mon)	
Class 11	Mr Harper	
Class 12	Miss Marrow	
Class 13	Miss McCulloch	
Class 14	Miss Strathmann	
Willow	Miss Burrell	Mrs Heywood - SENDCO

Medication in School

As we move towards the end of the school year, if your child requires medication such as Piriton or Calpol to be administered during the school day, please ensure it is brought into the school office and that a medication consent form is completed before we are able to administer it.

Wraparound Club Balances

As we approach the end of the school year, we kindly ask all families to ensure that any outstanding balances for Breakfast Club, After School Club and Stay and Play are cleared as soon as possible. Thank you for your support.

School Lunch Accounts

Please also check your child's school lunch account and ensure there are sufficient funds to cover any meals taken before the end of term.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
29 th June	Y5 (pupils) Science Day @ Ellis Guilford School		Summer Fair 3:10 – 4:20pm (parents)	Y5 (parents) showcase of work 3:00pm	
6 th July			Meet the New Teacher Day Year 3 Camp – overnight @OBS (pupils)	** Date change ** Willow (parents) sports morning 9:00am Year 5 (parents) PGL residential meeting (Y6 trip to learn all about it) 3:30pm Year 2 Camp – overnight @OBS (pupils)	
13 th July	Class 14 (pupils) End of school celebration @ Bulwell Gardens	Y5 Drama Club (pupils) performance at Squires Theatre	Y4 & Y5 (pupils) Fun Run @ Ellis Guilford School Class 13 (pupils) End of school celebration @ Bulwell Gardens Y5 Drama Club (pupils) performance at Squires Theatre Y6 (parents & pupils) End of Year Show 6:00pm		
20 th July		F2 PROUD assembly (parents) 9:00am Y2 PROUD assembly (parents) 2:45pm	Y1 PROUD assembly (parents) 9:00am Y4 PROUD assembly (parents) 2:45pm Year 6 pupils leavers disco 6:00 – 8:00pm	Y3 PROUD assembly (parents) 9:00am F1 PROUD assembly (parents) 10:50am Y5 PROUD assembly (parents) 2:45pm	Year 6 Leavers Assembly (Y6 parents) 9:00am School finishes at 3:20 for the Summer break