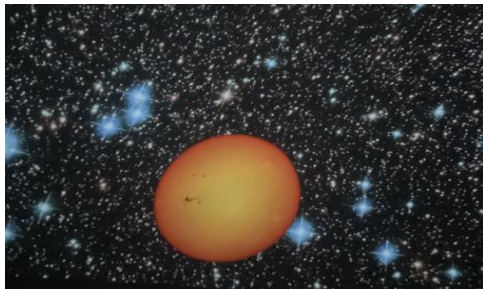


Upcoming events

Year 5 Space Dome Workshop

Our Year 5 children enjoyed a visit from the Space Dome this week, to complement their science topic of Earth and Space.

The children learnt about the different planets in our solar system and were able to view the cosmos in all its glory, with incredible views of different stars.



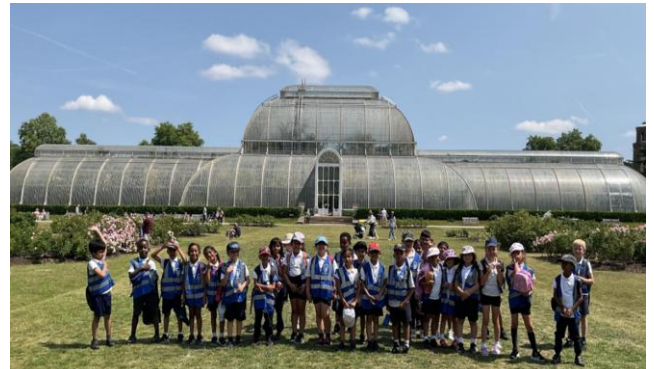
- Mon 16th June – Nursery sports day: 10.30am/2.15pm
- Mon 16th June – NSPCC 'Speak out, stay safe' workshops for Year 2, 5 and 6
- Tue 17th June – Year 1 sports day: 9.30am
- Wed 18th June – Year 2 sports day: 9.30am
- Thu 19th June – Reception sports day: 9.30am
- Fri 20th June – Year 4 trip to London Zoo
- WB 23rd June – Year 6 Residential trip/International Week
- Sat 28th June – Botwell School Summer Fete

Year 2 trip to Kew Gardens

Year 2 visited Kew Gardens on Friday as part of their Science topic on Plants. Whilst there, the children learned about seed dispersal in a workshop with a Kew plant specialist.

Later they were able to explore amazing plant life in the Palm House and Temperate House.

The day ended with fun in the Children's Garden!



Year 3 trip to Chessington

Year 3 had a great start to the week. For our Science topic, Predators, we were able to visit Chessington World of Adventures.

We had a workshop about Ferocious Food chains. During the workshop we discovered some incredible animals by using a variety of hands on and discussion-based activities and games, including being able to handle animal artefacts like replica animal skulls, and using cross-curricular skills like reading and mathematics to accurately create one of our zoo animal's diets!

Year 3 gained an understanding of food chains, and how every part of an ecosystem is important and relies upon each other. After the workshop we were lucky enough to play in the park and brave a few rides!



School Pilgrimage

As we celebrate our Catholic Jubilee Year theme, “Pilgrims of Hope,” our children embarked on a meaningful journey—right here on our school playground!

Guided by this theme, each year group took part in a joyful pilgrimage, visiting four sacred “destinations”: Rome, Lourdes, the Holy Land, and Walsingham.

Through this walking pilgrimage, our pupils came together as a school community, carrying with them messages of hope, faith, and unity. It was a powerful reminder of the spiritual journey we all share—and that sometimes, a pilgrimage of the heart can happen right on our doorstep.

Well done to all the children for their enthusiasm and reverence. We're proud to walk alongside them on this journey of hope!



Parent Taster Session

Last week, our school lunch provider, Accent, hosted a special taster session for parents of our new Reception pupils. It was a wonderful opportunity for families to sample a variety of dishes from the school menu and learn more about the nutritious meals their children will be enjoying.

From hearty mains to healthy sides and delicious desserts, the tasting showcased the balanced and child-friendly options available each day. The team also shared insights into how they cater to dietary needs and promote healthy eating habits in school.

Parents were pleased to see the quality and variety on offer, and many left feeling reassured and excited about lunchtime at school.


Thank you to our catering team for putting on such a welcoming and informative event!




Recipe of the Week

With Father's Day coming up this weekend, KiddiCook has provided a fantastic recipe for chocolate brownies that is sure to win the heart of every dad!

Thank you as always to Gigi Ferrer for this scrumptious recipe!




Berry Chocolatey Brownie




Have your utensils ready!


To make the Berry Chocolatey Brownie:




Step 1
Preheat the oven to 180c/Gas Mark 4.
In your bowl, mix all the wet ingredients: milk, berry puree and oil.




Step 2
Add the sugar and mix well and stir in the cocoa powder




Step 3
Add the chocolate chips and fold in the flour.



Step 4
Place the mixture into your tray and bake for 20 minutes. Leave to cool and enjoy with ice cream!



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Attendance

This week's attendance is shown below. It is great to see so many classes with attendance at 96% of higher. Well done in particular, to 1H who managed to gain 100% this week. Fantastic!

The classes with the best attendance in each phase, who will received extra play are:

Reception: Reception D

Year 1 & 2: 1H

Year 3 & 4: 4N

Year 5 & 6: 5B, 5J & 6S

Class	% Attendance
Reception C	97%
Reception D	98%
Reception I	94%
1B	94%
1H	100%
1W	98%
2C	98%
2L	99%
2P	99%
3B	96%
3M	96%
3P	94%
4A	95%
4B	96%
4N	98%
5B	98%
5J	98%
5S	94%
6B	94%
6S	98%
6W	97%

Well done
to 1H our
superstars!

Prayer and Reflection

This coming Sunday, 15th June, is the Feast of the Holy Trinity. Trinity Sunday teaches us about the oneness of God in his three forms of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. The Trinity is important as it helps Christians to understand the complex nature of God. The belief in The Trinity is a central doctrine of Christianity. The three persons of the Trinity teach Christians better about the nature of God and the roles he plays.

Let us pray together:

Glory be to the Father,

*Who by His almighty power and love created me,
making me in the image and likeness of God.*

Glory be to the Son,

*Who by His Precious Blood delivered me from hell,
and opened for me the gates of heaven.*

Glory be to the Holy Spirit,

*Who has sanctified me in the sacrament of Baptism,
and continues to sanctify me
by the graces I receive daily from His bounty.*

*Glory be to the Three adorable Persons of the Holy Trinity,
now and forever. Amen.*

