



Dear parents/ carers

We are very nearly at the end of the school year!

I will send a longer newsletter on Tuesday, but I wanted to send a few reminders today as we come to the final few days.

**PTFA:**

Don't forget – Monday and Tuesday are both non-uniform days! This is so you can wash any uniform that is still in good condition – but will be too small/ not needed in September – and it can be brought into school. Our PTFA will be running uniform sales from 2:30pm in the school hall on both Monday and Tuesday. Come and buy next year's uniform at the pre-loved sale!

**Carrier Bags:**

Please can all children bring in a carrier bag to bring home all of their books and belongings for this school year on Monday. Thank you.

**ParentPay:**

A reminder – please make sure you log in to ParentPay and make sure that all dinner money is paid. This will make sure the new year starts with a fresh slate for all.

**Term dates next year:**

Monday 8<sup>th</sup> September to Friday 24<sup>th</sup> October

Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> November to Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December

Monday 5<sup>th</sup> January 2026 to Friday 13<sup>th</sup> February

Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> February to Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March

Monday 13<sup>th</sup> April to Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May [Bank Holiday Monday 4<sup>th</sup> May]

Monday 1<sup>st</sup> June to Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> July

INSET Days: Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> and Friday 5<sup>th</sup> September; Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> November; Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> February and Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> July

Please make sure that any planned family holidays fall within the holiday dates above to make sure that your children miss as little education as possible and to avoid fixed penalty notices.



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*For I know the plans I have for you; plans to give you hope and a future – Jeremiah 29:11*



In September we will send out all the key dates for the year to include dates for trips, parent's evenings, performances, class Celebrations of the Word, whole school worship events and as many special events as we can.

Best wishes

Graham Lobb

**July:**

- Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> – Confirmation Mass at English Martyrs at 11am
- Monday 21<sup>st</sup> – Non Uniform Day
  - PTFA Uniform sale
- Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> – Non Uniform Day
  - PTFA Uniform sale
  - Final Day of school Year

**September:**

- Monday 8<sup>th</sup> – Children return to school