

CAPTAIN COOK PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER MARCH 2026



Message from Head Teacher

Welcome back to all of our children for the second half of Spring Term. It is only a short term but a very busy one in school. We would like to wish all of our families as the end of Ramadan approaches this month a happy Eid Mubarak.

As the better weather begins please can we ask parents to ensure that children do not use the play equipment or astro turf outside school before and after school each day. Children must dismount from scooters/bikes and refrain from throwing balls when the playground is busy.

We want to ensure all of our school community are safe.

Details on how to book a parents evening appointment will follow in the coming weeks by e-mail.

Many thanks
Mrs L Acheson
Acting Head Teacher

Easter Egg Decorating Competition & Raffle

Our hugely popular egg decorating competition will be running once more, giving children and adults a perfect opportunity to get creative!

Entries must be submitted to class by Tuesday 31st March, and will be displayed in Upper School Hall on the afternoon for everyone to view.

We will also be holding our annual Easter Eggstravaganza raffle, which will be drawn on Thursday 2nd April. If you are able to make a donation for the raffle please leave eggs at the school office. Tickets will be on sale every morning from Monday 30th March on US playground – priced at £1 per strip.

Thank you for your support.



World Book Day

The book fair will be in school from Wednesday 4th March until Friday 6th of March. It will be open from 8am until 8.30am and 3.30pm until 4pm in the upper school hall.

Many of our families enjoy a visit to the book fair each year to treat themselves to new books.

We also have a costume swap shop. On World Book Day children are invited to come dressed as a book character but this is not compulsory.

On Thursday 5th March our Book Cafe will be open from 3.30-4.30pm in the upper school hall. Come along and join in the fun! Everyone is welcome.



Key Dates

- 5th March - World Book Day
- 20th March - Comic Relief
- 27th March - Y6 Trip
- 30th March - Parent Teacher Consultations
- 31st March - Parent Teacher Consultations
- 31st March - Easter Egg Competition
- 2nd Apr – Break up for Easter
- 20th Apr – Return to School
- 11th May – KS2 SATs Week
- 22nd May – Break up for Half Term
- 1st June – Return to school
- 1st June - Y4 Multiplication Test Week
- 8th June – Y4 Multiplication Test Week
- 8th June – Y1 Phonics Screening Week
- 19th June – PD Day
- 17th July – Break up for Summer
- 31st Aug - Bank Holiday
- 1st Sept - PD Day
- 2nd Sept - School Reopens New Term