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23/01/26

Big Outdoor Day

REMINDER: Our Big Outdoor Day to Herne Bay will be taking place next Tuesday, 27th January.

Please pay on Arbor if you haven't already done so.

Please ensure your child comes prepared for the day in warm non-school uniform with sensible walking shoes, a warm winter coat, hat and gloves and a pair of wellies. We will be outside all day so children need to be warm and comfortable.

Children also need to bring their packed lunch (please remember no NUTS or glass bottles), a drink (this can be warm, in a suitable water-tight drinking vessel) .

No spending money is required. **These are the times your child will be due back to school:**

Year 3 & 6I - 3.15pm

Year 4 & 6WG - 3.45pm

Year 5 & 6A - 4pm

Thank you.



Drop off zone

Reminder: The drop off zone in the morning is for a 1-minute turn around and **MUST NOT** be used for parking or to wait until your child is in school.

Please **DO NOT** park around the roundabout as this is extremely dangerous and interrupts the flow of traffic.

Thank you.



Breakfast Club

If your child attends Breakfast Club, please ensure that they arrived before **8.10am.**

If they arrive after this time, the gate will be locked and they will need to go to the office, where they will be sent round to be registered.

If your child attends a morning sports club, they should not arrive until 8am and parents should stay with their child until Mr Allen arrives to register them.

Thank you.



Dates for your diary



January 2026

Tues 27th Jan - Big Outdoor Day

Wed 28th Jan - 6A Science activity at Charles Dickens

February 2026

Fri 6th Feb - 6I Library visit

Tues 10th Feb - Safer Internet Day

Wed 11th Feb - 6I Science activity at Charles Dickens

Fri 13th Feb - 6A Library visit

Fri 13th Feb - Last day of Term 3

Mon 16th - Fri 20st Feb - Half Term



Mon 23rd Feb - Start of Term 4

Tues 24th Feb - Year 6 SALUS event

March 2026

Mon 2nd - Fri 6th March - Book Week

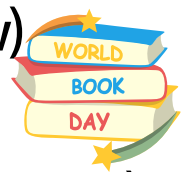
Wed 4th March - Parent Consultations (more info to follow)

Thurs 5th March - World Book Day

Tues 10th March - Shakespeare for Schools (Guilbenkian Theatre)

Wed 11th March - Parent Consultations (more info to follow)

Mon 23rd - Fri 27th March - Prayer Space



April 2026

Thurs 2nd April - Last day of Term 4 - **1.30pm finish**

Fri 3rd April - Mon 20th April - Easter Holidays



Mon 20th April - Inset Day

Tues 21st April - First day of Term 5

PTFA events this term

Please see the posters below regarding the PTFA events taking place this term.

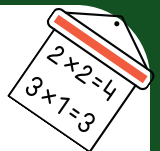


Rugby Star!

Sam B-H (6WG) was named Under 11's player of the week for Canterbury Rugby Club this week.
Well done Sam!



Times Table challenge



This week's times table challenge results are as follows:

3S: 29.77	5L: 45.76
3B: 37.82	5BN: 41.15
3L: 36.75	5S: 39.30
4B: 41.25	6I: 46.46
4S: 44.68	6A: 46.40
4W: 42.72	6WG: 43.57

First Sports Round-up of 2026!

Table Tennis

Last Tuesday, our Table Tennis team competed in the annual schools competition and came away with silver medals. Our team played some really good matches and enjoyed putting their skills to the test.



Handball

Last Friday, our Handball team took part in the qualifying round of the newly expanded Thanet Schools competition. We tried our best but we unfortunately did not progress to the finals. There's always next year!



Bowling

Yesterday, our Friday Morning Club members had an afternoon Bowling at Bugsys. It was a non competitive event, just a chance for our pupils to have some fun and play some bowling.



Year 4 Art

Year 4 have created mixed media volcano artwork this term.

They used a combination of marble paper and chine colle.

They have been building their volcano backgrounds in readiness for printing on top in their next lesson.

I'm sure you'll agree that there are some fantastic masterpieces!





Star of the week!



3L: Hudson J - for an incredible attitude this term to learning - I am so proud on you.

3B: Layla P - for always putting maximum effort into her learning and being role model to the class!

3S: Pip M - for fantastic ideas in English when writing a setting description.

4B: Arlo B - for producing great quality written work in all subjects.

4W: Harley S - for super engagement in his intervention groups this week.

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5S: Isla F - for fantastic instruction writing in English this week. Well done.

5L: Michael V - for always being such a fantastic, helpful member of the class!

5BN: Ramazan H - for always trying hard with his learning, for great ideas in English and for making us smile.

6I: Holly F-H - for her hard-work, enthusiasm and knowledgeable responses in every area of the curriculum. Well done.

6A: Freya W - for writing a fantastic alternative fairy tale.

6WG: Codie-May D - for trying really hard in English this week.



Good luck Theo!

Good luck to Theo Esses in 5L who is competing this weekend in the Kent County Swimming Championships 2026 at The London Aquatic Centre in Stratford. Can't wait to hear all about it next week Theo!