

Issue 9
10 January 2020



"Trust in the Lord with all your heart"
Proverbs 3:5



Our value for this term is "Trust"



Welcome back! I hope you all had a wonderful Christmas. Many thanks for the gifts you gave to me and the staff. They were very generous and much appreciated.

It is really lovely to see parents and families at our weekly 'Celebration Worship'. These take place at 9.00am in the hall every Friday. During this special celebration we hear about some of the achievements made by pupils during the week and join together in supporting and recognising their efforts. If you haven't yet come along and would like to, you will be more than welcome.

If you are planning on using our Early Birds Breakfast Club for your child, please note that it is now necessary to pre-book the session to ensure that we are able to provide the correct number of staff. Booking forms are available from the school office. We still offer a 'drop and go' option from 8:30am which is payable on the day (£1). There is no need to pre-book 'drop and go', just turn up!

I would like to remind parents that footwear for school should be **black or dark coloured school shoes, not trainers or boots**. Also hair accessories should be **discrete and plain in colour, not excessive or brightly coloured**. Your support with this is appreciated.

Finally, we would like to wish you and your families a very happy and healthy 2020.

Yours sincerely

Judith Bloomfield
Headteacher

Attendance Matters

(From to)

Year Group	Attendance %
R	99.1
1	96.7
2	99.1
3	100
4	94.8
5	100
6	97.7

Based on attendance for this week Years 3 & 6 have achieved 100%. Well done!



TERM DATES –2019/20 and 2020/21

Autumn Term 2019	Wednesday 4 th September 2019 Monday 4 th November 2019	Friday 25 th October 2019 Thursday 19 th December 2019
Spring Term 2020	Tuesday 7 th January 2020 Monday 24 th February 2020	Friday 14 th February 2020 Friday 3 rd April 2020
Summer Term 2020	Monday 20 th April 2020 Monday 1 st June 2020	Friday 22 nd May 2020 Friday 17 th July 2020
Autumn Term 2020	Wednesday 2 nd September 2020 Monday 2 nd November 2020	Friday 23 rd October 2020 Friday 18 th December 2020

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Monday 13th January	New	Year 5 & 6 Enterprise Visit
Wednesday 15th January		3.00pm Deadline for Reception 2020 Primary School Applications
Thursday 16th January		Chartwells 'New Year Celebrations' Menu
Thursday 16th January	New	FOTS Committee Meeting 18:30
Friday 17th January		First Cheerleading session of the spring term
Monday 20th January	New	School Clubs start this week
Friday 14th February		School breaks up for half-term
Monday 24th February		School re-opens after half-term
Monday 2nd March		Secondary Schools National Offer Day
Thursday 5th March		World Book Day
Friday 6th March	New	FOTS Bingo Night
Friday 27th March	New	School Clubs finish
Thursday 2nd April		Easter Service at St. Mary's Church, Twyford. 9.30am
Friday 3rd April		Last Cheerleading session for the spring term
Friday 3rd April	New	FOTS Easter Tombola
Friday 3rd April		Spring Term ends
Thursday 16th April		Primary Schools National Offer Day
Monday 20th April		Summer Term begins
Friday 24th April		First Cheerleading session for the summer term
Friday 22nd May	New	FOTS Break the Rules Friday
Friday 22nd May		School breaks up for half-term
Monday 1st June		School re-opens after half-term
Friday 19th June	New	FOTS Cream Teas
Mon 29th June – Fri 3rd July		Year 5/6 Residential Trip
Tuesday 7th July		School Transition Day
Thursday 16th July		End of Year Celebration at St. Mary's Church, Twyford. 2pm
Friday 17th July		Last Cheerleading session for the summer term
Friday 17th July		Summer Term ends
2020/2021		
Tuesday 8th September		Secondary Transfer Testing – Practice Test
Thursday 10th September		Secondary Transfer Testing – Transfer Test
Wednesday 7th October		Individual School Photographs
Friday 16th October		Secondary Transfer Testing – Qualification Day