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WHITEKNIGHTS ARROW



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WHAT'S ON NEXT WEEK

| MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY |
|---------|---|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---|
| 09 JUNE | 10 JUNE | 11 JUNE | 12 JUNE | 13 JUNE |
| | School Tour 13:30 | New Reception Parents Meetings 10:00 | New Nursery Parent Meetings 10:00 | Year 5 & 6 SPLAT 14:00 Start in School Hall |
| | Amethyst Class Trip to Lower Earley Library 13:30—15:00 | | REInspired Visit—Year 5 | Jasper Class Trip to Lower Earley Library 13:00—15:00 |
| | | | | Year 5 Debate Competition at Heights Primary School (invited pupils only) |
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+ONLINE SCHOOL CALENDAR

KEY:

WHOLE SCHOOL

YEAR GROUP SPECIFIC

OTHER

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

OVERALL TOTAL: 94.2%

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|-------------|-------|----------------|-------|
| REC—Crystal | 96.0% | Y4—Amethyst | 96.0% |
| REC—Pearl | 96.3% | Y4—Jasper | 93.7% |
| Y1—Amber | 94.7% | Y5—Emerald | 95.3% |
| Y1—Jade | 96.3% | Y5—Onyx | XX% |
| Y2—Opal | 96.2% | Y5—Sapphire | 95.3% |
| Y2—Topaz | 95.7% | Y6—Obsidian | XX% |
| Y3—Diamond | 92.0% | Y6—Ruby | 94.0% |
| Y3—Garnet | 90.0% | Y6—Tiger's Eye | 90.7% |

ATTENDANCE MATTERS!

Every Child | In School | On Time | Every Day



DATES FOR THE DIARY

Summer 2 Term 2025

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|----------------------|---|
| Monday, 16th June | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> REInspired Nursery Visit Pearl Class Trip to Lower Earley Library 13:00—15:00 |
| Tuesday, 17th June | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 6 BIKEABILITY |
| Wednesday, 18th June | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 6 BIKEABILITY Year 4 SPLAT 14:00 Start in School Hall Year 5 Debate Competition (selected pupils only) |
| Thursday, 19th June | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 6 BIKEABILITY Reception SPLAT 13:45 Start School Hall |
| Friday, 20th June | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Final Session Lara Drama (Y3-Y6) Crystal Class Trip to Lower Earley Library 13:00—15:00 |
| Wednesday, 25th June | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reception SPLAT for New Cohort Starting September 2025 13:30 (1 of 2) Final Session Lara Drama (Reception—Y2) |
| Thursday, 26th June | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 1 Trip to Butterfly World Reception SPLAT for New Cohort Starting September 2025 13:30 (2 of 2) Year 3 First Swimming Lesson—Garnet Class Year 6 REInspired Visit |
| Friday, 27th June | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nursery SPLAT for New Cohort Starting in September 2025 14:00 |
| Monday, 30th June | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Final 11+ Club Session Final Session Colouring Club Final Session (Reception—Y2) |
| Tuesday, 1st July | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Y2 Trip to Windsor Castle New Parent 1;1 Meetings for Pearl Class After School Chess Club Final Session |
| Wednesday, 2nd July | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> New Parent 1:1 Meetings for Crystal Class |
| Thursday, 3rd July | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> New Parent 1:1 Meetings for Nursery School Disco—All Year Groups. TTBC |
| Friday, 4th July | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> INSET DAY—SCHOOL CLOSED FOR PUPILS |
| Monday, 7th July | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Final French Club Session (Y2-Y6) Final Colouring Club Session (Reception—Y2) Year 6 Swimming Assessments |
| Tuesday, 8th July | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Final French Club Session (Reception—Y2) Final Funky Feet and Fingers Session (Reception) Final Arts and Crafts Club Session (Y1-Y2) |
| Wednesday, 9th July | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Final Arts and Crafts Session (Y3-Y6) |

Just as a reminder, here are the other medications we hold in school for **EMERGENCY SITUATIONS ONLY**:



Calpol Infant 2+ month
 Calpol SixPlus 6+ years
 Nurofen for Children 3 months—12 years
 Piriton 1+ years
 Nivea Kids Sensitive 50+ Sun Cream.
 Please also refer to our Administering Medication Policy (page 7) [Administration of Medicines](#)

WHOLE-SCHOOL NOTICES

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|----------------------|---|
| Thursday, 10th July | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 5 Greek Day Final After School Tennis Session (Y1-Y2) Final Arts and Crafts Club Session (Y3-Y6) Year 3 Garnet Class Final Swimming Session |
| Monday, 14th July | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 6 Dress Rehearsal for Production 09:00 |
| Tuesday, 15th July | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 6 Performance to Parents 18:30 |
| Wednesday, 16th July | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 6 Performance to Parents 09:00 Final Girls Football Session (Y3-Y6) Year 3 Egyptian Day |
| Thursday, 17th July | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> School Reports to go Home Moving Up Morning Year 6 Fun Afternoon Year 6 Leavers Banquet 18:30—21:30 Year 6 Leavers Assembly |
| Friday, 18th July | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> LAST DAY OF TERM FINISH PROMPTLY AT 13:00 NO EXTENDED CARE AFTER SCHOOL CLUB RUNNING |

FURTHER PLEA FOR CHESS AND DRAUGHTS SETS:



Despite our plea before Half Term, we are still desperately seeking some chess and draughts sets for pupils to play with at lunchtime. If you have a set to spare, please could you pop it into the school office.

Thanking you in advance from the lunch time team!

- RIDING BIKES AND SCOOTERS:** We have noticed that children are arriving to school on their bikes and scooters not wearing helmets! Can you ensure that they wear the correct protective headgear, and remind them to take due care and consideration to parked cars and other pedestrians.



- AMENDMENTS TO END OF DAY ARRANGEMENTS:** If there are changes to end of day arrangements e.g. different adult picking up children, these need to be communicated to the school office by 14:30 **at the very latest**. We cannot guarantee that messages received after this time will reach the teacher.

TEMPEST CLASS PHOTO ORDERING:



Have you ordered your school group photo yet? A polite reminder that the closing date for **free delivery** back to school is **Sunday 8th June 2025**. Order through the Tempest website using your unique link or visit: www.tempest-orders.co.uk

If you need any assistance in ordering your photos, feel free to contact Tempest on 01736 751555 (option 3).
https://http.st/WhiteKnights_2025_Gallery

https://http.st/WhiteKnights_Yr6



What's on the menu?

Monday 9th June—Friday 13th June 2025

| | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY |
|---|---|---|--|---|---|
| Next Week | Macaroni Cheese with Garlic & Herb Bread Margherita Pizza with Potato Wedges Jacket Potato with Baked Beans & Cheese Chocolate Sponge with Chocolate Sauce | Chicken & Sweetcorn Pie with New Potatoes Chickpea & Vegetable Korma with Rice Vanilla Cake & Custard | Chicken Sausages with Roast Potatoes & Gravy & Yorkshire Pudding Vegetable Sausages with Roast Potatoes & Gravy & Yorkshire Pudding Jacket Potato with any two of Baked Beans, Cheese or Tuna Mayonnaise Apple Flapjack & Custard | Beef Keema Curry with Basmati Rice Vegetable Bean Chilli with Soft Taco, Rice & Salsa Jacket Potato with any two of Baked Beans, Cheese or Tuna Mayonnaise Chocolate Krispy Cake | Battered Fish Fillet with Chips & Tomato Sauce Cornish Style Vegetable Pasty with Chips & Tomato Sauce Jacket Potato with any two of Baked Beans, Cheese or Tuna Mayonnaise Lemon Sponge Cake with Custard |
| WEEK TWO w/c 28 Apr w/c 19 May w/c 16 Jun w/c 7 Jul | Tomato & Basil Pasta Cheese Pinwheel with Potato Wedges Sweetcorn & Green Beans Berry Sponge & Custard | Beef Burger with Potato Wedges Margherita Pizza with Potato Wedges Broccoli & Sweetcorn Oat Cookie & Fresh Fruit Slices | Roast Turkey with Sage & Onion Stuffing & Roast Potatoes & Gravy Quorn Roast with Sage & Onion Stuffing & Roast Potatoes & Gravy Green Beans & Carrots Ice Cream with Fruit Slices | Beef Lasagne with Garlic Bread Lentil & Vegetable Lasagne with Garlic Bread Carrots & Sweetcorn Chocolate Mousse | Battered Fish Fillet with Tomato Sauce & Chips Cheese & Tomato Quiche with Tomato Sauce & Chips Peas & Green Beans Marble Cake & Custard |
| WEEK THREE w/c 6 May w/c 2 Jun w/c 23 Jun w/c 14 Jul | Margherita Pizza with Steamed New Potatoes Vegetable Pizza with Steamed New Potatoes Carrots & Sweetcorn Apple Crumble & Custard | Chicken Sausage with Mashed Potatoes & Gravy Spring Vegetable Cottage Pie & Gravy Green Beans & Broccoli Jelly with Fresh Fruit Slices | Roast Gammon, Roast New Potatoes & Yorkshire Pudding Vegetable Loaf with Roast New Potatoes & Yorkshire Pudding Carrots & Peas Chocolate Cake & Custard | Spaghetti Bolognese with Garlic Bread Quorn Bolognese with Garlic Bread Green Beans & Sweetcorn Ice Cream & Fresh Fruit Slices | Breaded Fish Fillet with Tomato Sauce & Chips Quorn Nuggets with Tomato Sauce & Chips Peas & Baked Beans Chocolate & Oranges Sponge with Chocolate Sauce |

Available daily: Freshly Baked Bread, Jacket Potato with a Choice of Fillings, Salad Selection, Fresh Fruit, Yoghurt

IMPORTANT—Whiteknights Primary School & Nursery—Annual Parent Survey

Dear Families,

I would like to invite you to complete the annual parent questionnaire, to share your views on different aspects of our school.

This is an important part of the school's planning process and your feedback is very valuable as it will assist with our School Development Plan, along with the strategic planning of our trust, The Bellevue Place Education Trust.

As a school we consider your views very carefully. We request that your feedback is constructive and expressed with the intention of being useful, and not aimed to be personal against any members of staff. Aggressive and personal wording will not be tolerated, and the whole response will be disregarded.

The survey can be accessed at the following link: www.surveymonkey.com/r/WKS_APS_2025

Please complete it by **Friday 13 June at 5pm** to ensure that your views are taken into account.

It should take no longer than 7-10 minutes of your time, it is **anonymous** and kept in the strictest confidence.

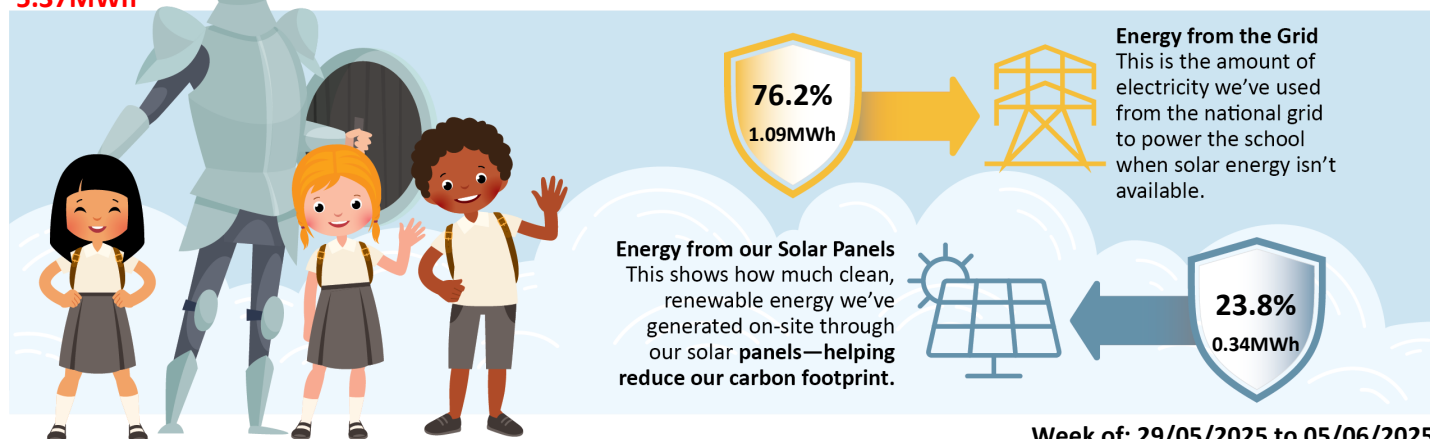
Thank you in advance for taking part.

Kind regards,

Mrs Reynolds

Total renewable energy since installation:
5.37MWh

The Whiteknights NET ZERO Quest



Week of: 29/05/2025 to 05/06/2025



SUMMER SALE

**15% OFF EVERYTHING
THIS WEEKEND 7-8 JUNE**

**THIS WILL BE OUR LAST
DISCOUNT BEFORE THE
SUMMER RUSH**

**ORDER EARLY AND TAKE
ADVANTAGE OF OUR OFFER!**



ENTER PROMO CODE:

LASTCHANCE15

AT CHECKOUT



This will be the last discount we offer before summer so avoid the rush and order this weekend. **This offer runs from 7th to 8th June 2025 ONLY.**

order now



Parent/Carer Workshop: Transition to secondary school - webinar for parents/carers

Wokingham Mental Health Support Team

The transition to secondary school can be a worrying time for Year 6s and their parents/carers. We are **delivering workshops for parents/carers of Year 6 students in primary school** to give you some ideas of **how you can support your child to manage the transition to secondary school**. We will also be talking about how you can manage your own emotions about your child moving to secondary school.

Who?

The Wokingham MHST is a service designed to support the wellbeing of children and young people in education settings, aiming to provide evidence-based support at the earliest signs of difficulties and promote life-long positive mental health.

What?

We are offering an online workshop providing information to help you support your child with transitioning to secondary school.

When?

The workshops will take place on:
Tuesday 10th June 09.30-10.45
Tuesday 24th June 09.30-10.45
Wednesday 9th July 18.00-19.15
via Microsoft Teams video conferencing software. The workshop will be a presentation which will last one hour followed by 15 minutes for questions.

How?

To book a place at the workshop please email: *Your name *Email address *Date/time of preferred session *School your child currently attends to MHSTAdmin@wokingham.gov.uk and we will send you a link for the workshop.

Microsoft Teams can be downloaded as a free app for phones, iPads/tablets or laptops/desktop computers. We ask that you kindly mute yourself during the presentation and then we will invite you to unmute in the last 15 minutes. Feel free to add questions in the chat box as we go.

GROUP-SPECIFIC NOTICES

NURSERY : Notices and Reminders

- [NURSERY TERMLY LETTER](#)
- [NURSERY TERMLY OVERVIEW](#)
- [NURSERY KNOWLEDGE ORGANISER](#)

RECEPTION : Notices and Reminders

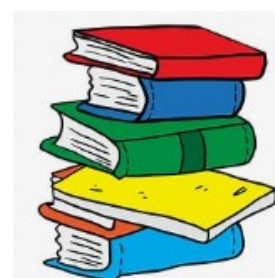
- [RECEPTION TERMLY LETTER](#)
- [RECEPTION TERMLY OVERVIEW](#)
- [RECEPTION KNOWLEDGE ORGANISER 1](#)
- [RECEPTION KNOWLEDGE ORGANISER 2](#)

- **BABY PHOTOS:** Could we kindly ask that you all bring in a photo of your child as a baby for next week please!



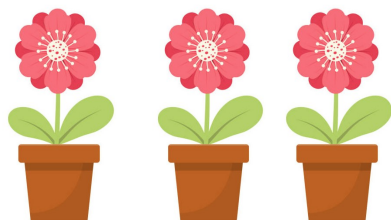
This week Crystal class will be attending the school library.

| Monday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday |
|--------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| Blue house (Bedevere) | Yellow house (Galahad) | Red house (Lancelot) | Green house (Melion) |



Please can your child bring their library book back to school on the day their house is due to visit the library. Then, they can return their book and take out a new one.

- **EXCITING NEWS:** Reception children are working hard towards our schools sustainability. To do this, they are going to create a bee friendly garden. YOU CAN HELP! We are asking if each child can donate one bee friendly plant to make this exciting new area for our local bees. Thank you in advance.



YEAR 1 and YEAR 2 : Notices and Reminders

- [YEAR 1 TERMLY LETTER](#)
- [YEAR 1 TERMLY OVERVIEW](#)

- **YEAR 1 MATHS HOMEWORK SCHEDULE:**

| Homework due date | Pages to complete |
|-----------------------|-------------------|
| 10 th June | 93 - 99 |
| 17 th June | 100 - 107 |
| 24 th June | 108 - 113 |
| 1 st July | 115 - 117 |
| 8 th July | 119 - 121 |
| 15 th July | 122 - 128 |

- [YEAR 2 TERMLY LETTER](#)
- [YEAR 2 TERMLY OVERVIEW](#)

- **YEAR 2 MATHS HOMEOWRK SCHEDULE:**

| Homework due date | Pages to complete |
|-----------------------|------------------------------------|
| 9 th June | 100 - 102 |
| 16 th June | 103 - 105 |
| 23 rd June | 107 - 109 (106 is a helpful page). |
| 30 th June | 110 - 112 |
| 7 th July | 114 - 116 (113 is a helpful page). |
| 14 th July | 117 - 119 |

GROUP-SPECIFIC NOTICES *Cont.*

YEAR 3 and YEAR 4 : Notices and Reminders

- [YEAR 3 TERMLY LETTER](#)
- [YEAR 3 TERMLY OVERVIEW](#)
- [YEAR 4 TERMLY LETTER](#)
- [YEAR 4 TERMLY OVERVIEW](#)
- **YEAR 4 MULTIPLICATION CHECK:** The Year 4 Government Multiplication Check is taking place between Monday 2nd June and Friday 13th June. Please make sure your child is continuing to practise using the pack that has been previously sent home, and Times Table Rockstars.
- **YEAR 3 EGYPTIAN DAY:** Egyptian day will take place on Wednesday, 16th July. It will involve a variety of activities (inside and out) and will relate to our topic learning. Children can wear any Egyptian themed clothing e.g. Egyptian God, an Egyptian character, a mummy or gladiator, to name but a few ideas!



YEAR 5 and YEAR 6 : Notices and Reminders

- **YEAR 6 SWIMMING ASSESSMENTS:** We are still awaiting a few questionnaires needed for the year group for the swimming assessment on Monday 7th July. It is **imperative** that we have a completed form for each child. Please can you complete as a matter of urgency:



<https://forms.office.com/e/XSdF35Nt> Norigin=lprLink
or scan the QR code

- [YEAR 5 TERMLY LETTER](#)
- [YEAR 5 TERMLY OVERVIEW](#)
- [YEAR 6 TERMLY LETTER](#)
- [YEAR 6 TERMLY OVERVIEW](#)

- **YEAR 5 GREEK DAY:** This half term, we are learning about the Ancient Greeks in our history lessons. We would like to host a Greek Day, as it is the perfect opportunity for the children to immerse themselves in history and bring the learning to life!

Greek Day will be held at school, during school hours, on Thursday 10th July. The children are welcome to come dressed as an Ancient Greek civilian or a Greek god/goddess for the day. It is important to ensure that the clothing is appropriate for school as we will be completing activities throughout the day. Trainers are recommended.

As we will be following the normal school timetable, the children will still need to pack a snack and lunch/school dinner as usual. However, we will be providing the children with snacks and a drink in the afternoon. Currently, looking at Arbor, we can see that all children have consent to taste food and of course, we will check allergies and dietary requirements. Please update these if necessary.

