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WHITEKNIGHTS ARROW



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WHAT'S ON NEXT WEEK

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
16 JUNE	17 JUNE	18 JUNE	19 JUNE	20 JUNE
REInspired Nursery Visit	Year 6 BIKEABILITY	Year 6 BIKEABILITY	Year 6 BIKEABILITY	Final Session Lara Drama Performance to Parents (Y3-Y6)
Pearl Class Trip to Lower Earley Library 13:00—15:00		Year 4 SPLAT 14:00 Start in School Hall	Reception SPLAT 13:45 Start School Hall	Crystal Class Trip to Lower Earley Library 13:00—15:00
		Year 5 Debate Competition (selected pupils only)		

+ONLINE SCHOOL CALENDAR

KEY:

WHOLE SCHOOL

YEAR GROUP SPECIFIC

OTHER

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

OVERALL TOTAL: 97.9%

REC—Crystal	100%	Y4—Amethyst	97.7%
REC—Pearl	99.7%	Y4—Jasper	96.3%
Y1—Amber	99.3%	Y5—Emerald	99.3%
Y1—Jade	98.0%	Y5—Onyx	XX%
Y2—Opal	96.9%	Y5—Sapphire	96.3%
Y2—Topaz	97.3%	Y6—Obsidian	XX%
Y3—Diamond	99.0%	Y6—Ruby	99.3%
Y3—Garnet	98.3%	Y6—Tiger's Eye	93.9%

ATTENDANCE MATTERS!

Every Child | In School | On Time | Every Day



DATES FOR THE DIARY

Summer 2 Term 2025

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 Y3-6 District Sports Competition
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 Year 6 Zoology Workshop at University of Reading
Thursday, 3rd July	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> New Parent 1:1 Meetings for Nursery School Disco—All Year Groups. TTBC Local Dentist to Visit Reception to give Healthy Teeth Talk and Presentation
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)

- HAYFEVER MEDICATION:** As the weather is becoming warmer, hay fever symptoms are expected to worsen over the next few weeks. If your child suffers with hay fever, and requires medication, then please supply this to the school office along with the completed 'Consent to Administer Medication Form'. The one-a-day tablets taken first thing in the morning are particularly useful in a school day scenario!

We thank you in advance for your understanding that the medication we hold in school is for EMERGENCY use only.

[CONSENT TO ADMINISTER MEDICATION FORM](#)

- BREAKFAST CLUB:** Breakfast Club are nearing capacity and cannot ensure a place unless booked in advance. The booking system has changed and the school requires you to book 48 hours in advance, therefore please book early in order to avoid disappointment. On the further note, can we please ask parents to stay with their child/children until they are handed over to a member of the Breakfast Club staff. Thank you for your continued cooperation.

WHOLE-SCHOOL NOTICES

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
Friday, 11th July	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 3 Plants Science at University of Reading
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

- 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.



- ABSENCES CAN NOW BE LOGGED VIA THE ARBOR APP:** If your child is unwell and unable to attend school, you are now able to log same-day absences using the Arbor app.

To record an absence, click on the **Quick Actions** button (≡) at the bottom left hand corner in your app, and then click **Attendance**. From there, click the green **Log Absence** button.

Please ensure you provide a reason for the absence, including any symptoms your child is experiencing. Once the absence is logged in Arbor, school will approve or reject the absence. Approved absences will appear in the Attendance tab of your Arbor App. School will follow up all absences that are rejected.

For further information, please click on the link below:

[How to report an absence in Arbor](#)

- 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 22nd 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?

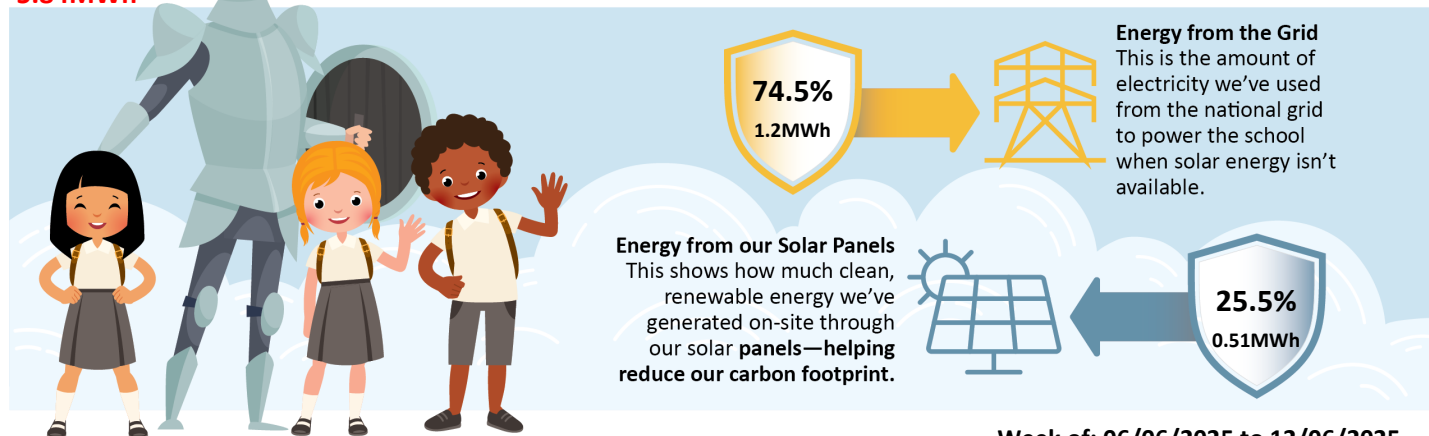
Monday 16th June—Friday 20th June 2025

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
WEEK ONE w/c 22 Apr w/c 12 May w/c 9 Jun w/c 30 Jun	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
Next Week	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

Total renewable energy since installation:
5.84MWh

The Whiteknights NET ZERO Quest



Week of: 06/06/2025 to 12/06/2025



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.



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

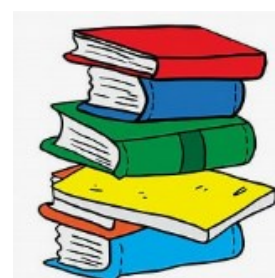
- [NURSERY TERMLY LETTER](#)
- [NURSERY TERMLY OVERVIEW](#)

RECEPTION : Notices and Reminders

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

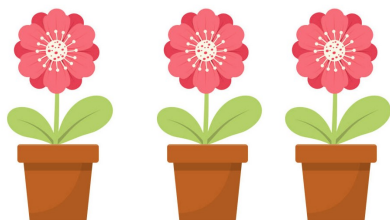
This week Crystal class will be attending the school library.

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:
- [YEAR 2 TERMLY LETTER](#)
- [YEAR 2 TERMLY OVERVIEW](#)
- YEAR 2 MATHS HOMEOWRK 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

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 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](#)
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- **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.

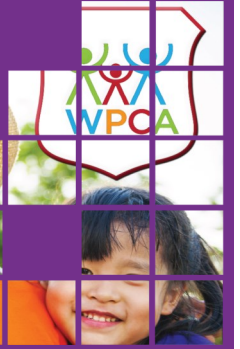


LEARNER SHOWCASE : SCHOOL LIFE , NEWS AND LEARNING ACHIEVEMENTS

Discover the latest school news, including classroom highlights, sporting events, school trips and more, click on the links below:-

- [WHITEKNIGHTS CELEBRATES SUSTAINABILITY AT SPECIAL NET ZERO EVENT](#)

WHITEKNIGHTS PARENT COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION NOTICE BOARD



EXTENDING A HEART FELT THANK YOU!

We are absolutely thrilled to announce that this year's Summer Fair raised a staggering **£4,000!** This is an incredible achievement and it simply wouldn't have been possible without the amazing support from our community.

A huge thank you to all the parents who generously volunteered their time—both in the lead-up to the event and on the day itself.

Thank you also to everyone who attended, took part, and helped create such a fun and vibrant atmosphere. And of course, a special thanks to the school staff for their dedication and teamwork in making it all happen.

The funds raised will go directly towards enriching your children's learning through exciting new projects and resources.

We couldn't have done it without you—thank you!

Congratulations to Amber Class — the winners of this year's raffle competition! They will be receiving their prize today. A reminder to all other raffle winners: please collect your prizes from reception.