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Please remember that today is the last day of the Spring Term.

The Summer Term starts on Tuesday 22nd April. Have a very good Easter Break.

Year 4 Danbury Final Information Meeting

Please remember on Thursday 24th April @ 5.00p.m. @ AF, there is a final information meeting for all parents of children going to Danbury.

PTA Children's Disco's

All children will have received an invite this week for the school disco's on Friday 2nd May.

Please return this form with £2.50 in cash if your child would like to go.

Goodbye

We say goodbye this week to a few staff who are leaving us for pastures new.

Mrs. Williams has secured a teaching position/promotion at another local school. We wish Mrs. Williams the very best and thank her for all her hard work and commitment over the last couple of years.

Also, Mrs Thomason, who came to us in the short term in Year 1 in January 2024 and just never left.

Finally, Mrs. Rought who has been working two days a week in Year 4 this term, is also leaving us.

We wish them all the very best.



School Choir—Charter Hall

Last week Mrs. Rowe and Mrs. Gaine took our Year 5/6 School Choir to take part in a music festival with other local schools at Charter Hall.

After a day of rehearsals, the children made us proud with their beautiful singing and it was such a lovely experience for all involved. Thank you and well done.



Oliver with a Twist

A huge well done to our Year 4 children and teaching staff who regaled us all over three excellent performances this week. It's never easy to stand up in front of people and talk—but our Year 4 children were amazing and in some cases revolutionary and what a great twist it was at the end too. Very well done and thank you to all parents/friends who were able to come along and support.



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Term Dates

Monday 7th April—Monday 21st April—Easter Break

Monday 5th May—Bank Holiday—The School is Closed

Monday 26th May—Friday 30th May—Half Term

Friday 13th June—Non Pupil Day—The School is Closed.

Friday 18th July—Last day of Summer Term

Diary Dates

Thursday 3rd April—AP2 Reports to Parents..

Friday 4th April—Last day of Spring Term.

Tuesday 22nd April—First Day of Summer Term

Thursday 24th April @ 5.00p.m. - @ AF. Final Information Meeting for Year 4 Residential to Danbury.

Friday 25th April—Non Uniform Day—'Purple Pinkie' - As Pink/Purple as you like—£1—In support of Rotary Club 'End Polio Now!'

Wednesday 30th April—Year 4 Swimming Starts.

Thursday 1st May—Happy Days 'Class Photos' @ AF.

Friday 2nd May—Happy Days 'Class Photos' @ T.

Friday 2nd May—PTA School Disco's:

EYFS in School Time

Year 1/2; 4.30-5.15p.m. @ AF

Year 3/4; 5.30p.m.—6.15p.m. @ AF

Year 5/6; 6.30p.m.—7.15p.m. @ AF

(More Details will follow)

Tuesday 6th May—Friday 9th May—Year 4 Danbury Residential.

Rights Respecting Schools

Article 28 (right to education) Every child has the right to an education. Primary education must be free and different forms of secondary education must be available to every child

Year 5 Bikeability

1st Group - Wednesday 23rd April and Thursday 24th April.

2nd Group - Friday 25th April and Friday 2nd May

3rd Group - Monday 12th May and Tuesday 13th May (pupils to be notified after Easter Break)

4th Group - Thursday 15th May and Friday 16th May (pupils to be notified after Easter Break)

Awards

STAR— Weston (RREX),

CHARIOT— Hallie (RREX), JUMBO- Nina (RREX).

EAGLES— Georgie (MLM), ROSES— Chloe (MM), CIRCUS— Whole Class (CC).

MERCURY— Hermione (MM), CLAUDIUS— Franklin (MM), ROMANS— Arabella (MM).

DUTCH— Boyd (MLM), ICENI— Alfred (RROX), PAXMAN— Alice (MM).

CASTLE— Whole Class (MM). GARRISON— Whole Class (MM), CAVALIER— Whole Class (MM).

OYSTERS— Daisy (MM), RAEDWALD— Ethan (MM), MAGNETS— Theresa (RROX).

TRINOVANTES— Joe (RREX), CYMBELINE— Alex (MLM), LATHES— Ollie (MM).

ATTENDANCE— Magnets

St John's Green PTA

SCHOOL DISCO

Friday 2nd May

Abbey Field Site

4.30pm-5.15pm ~ Years 1/2

5.30pm-6.15pm ~ Years 3/4

6.30pm-7.15pm ~ Years 5/6

£2.50

Per child

(Children will be given squash/water and a snack)

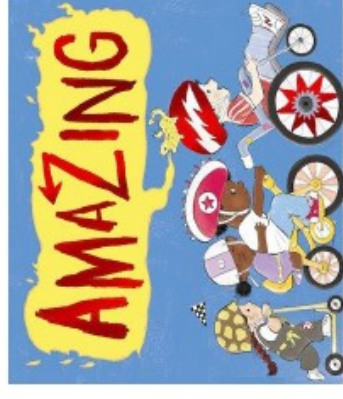
Please complete the form sent home, place it in an envelope along with the correct money and drop it into the office letter boxes.



UNICEF Rights Respecting School

We are continuing to increase awareness among children about UNICEF rights and children have been asked to write a story/poem/song that relates to UNICEF articles. If your child is interested in participating, please hand in the entries by 25th April 2025.

Alexandra Penfold • Suzanne Kaufman



Steve Antony



Ibtisam Muhammad

and Aram Ali

THE PRODEST BLUE

Children Are . . .

• Respecting, cherish them.
• Believable, trust them.
• Children, let them.
• Distinct, respect them.
• Energetic, nourish them.
• Faithful, embrace them.
• Gifts, uncover them.
• Gracious, treasure them.
• Joyful, delight in them.
• Kindhearted, join them.
• Possible, leave them.
• Magical, fly with them.

• Noble, adorn them.
• Open-minded, hear them.
• Precious, treasure them.
• Questioners, encourage them.
• Spontaneous, enjoy them.
• Sustained, believe in them.
• Unpredictable, protect them.
• Whole, recognize them.
• "Aren't Special", celebrate them.
• Yearning, notice them.
• Zesty, laugh with them.

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Child Right To Play

All children need to play,
they should play once a day,
All children should go outside,
even if they are small and wide,
All children should have fun,
it's well worth it to all the work they've done,
if children stay inside they can be snappy,
if they go out they will be happy!

BrainPowerBoy.com

Amelia Gardiner

[LINK TO THE LIST OF BOOKS ON UNICEF RIGHTS](https://www.unicef.org.uk/rights-respecting-schools/wp-content/uploads/sites/4/2024/02/Books-for-children-aged-3-7.pdf)

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