



Newsletter – 2nd April 2026

HAPPY EASTER HOLIDAYS

HEADTEACHER MESSAGE

As we come to the end of another busy term, can I thank you all for your continued support.

I hope that you and your families are able to have a restful and enjoyable Easter Holiday.

We are looking forward to the pupils returning to school on Monday 20th April, in the meantime, please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any worries or concerns over the break.

Take Care,
Mark Senior



DATES FOR THE DIARY:

Thursday 2nd April- End of Term 4

Monday 20th April- Term 5 Starts

Wednesday 22nd April- P16 College

Thursday 23rd April- Primary Swimming (Not Duck & Puffin)

Friday 24th April- Year 11 College

Wednesday 29th April – Friday 1st May – DofE Practice Expeditions.

Monday 4th May – **BANK HOLIDAY**



MEDICATIONS

As it is the end of term 4, all medications which we hold in school will have been returned home where possible. If your child's medications have been sent home, please check them and then return any you wish us to administer in term 5 on your child's return to school, with a completed Administration Request form for each.

Please note, all medications should be brought in to school by an adult (for example the bus escort), be in the original packaging and clearly labelled with your child's name. If it is a prescription medication the prescription label must be clearly visible and unaltered.

Thank you

FREE BUS TRAVEL FOR UNDER 16s

Free bus travel for under-16s is back this Easter, running from 3rd to 19th April.

Thanks to funding from the West of England Mayoral Combined Authority, under-16s can hop on almost all local buses at no cost throughout the holiday period, with no need to book or prepare anything in advance - simply board the bus for free.

FAQ - [Free bus travel for kids this Easter - WEST](#)



EASTER BINGO

Thank you to everyone who came and joined in with the fun of Easter Bingo. It was lovely to see so many families old and new.

We raised an amazing £725.49!





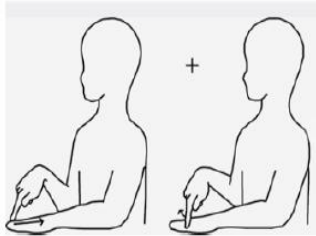
SIGNS OF THE WEEK:

Time To Talk - Easter and Eid ul Fitr

Eid ul Fitr

Easter

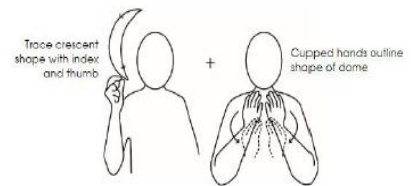
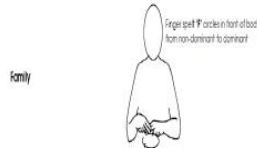
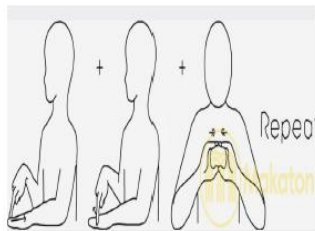
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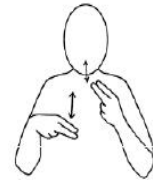
Easter Eggs

Family



Mosque

Iftar/
Evening
meal to end
fasting for
the day
(Dinner (1))



To Pray (2)



Allah (God)



VACCINATION CLINIC

In school vaccination clinic 1st May 2026.

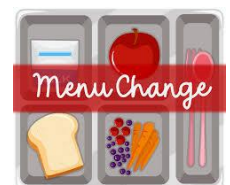
Meningococcal ACWY and Diphtheria, Tetanus and Polio vaccinations are for all Year 9 students, please remember to complete the consent form whether you do or do not want the vaccination at <https://imms.sirona-cic.org.uk/dtp/2025/consent?v=2>

MENU CHANGES

Both Menus are changing after the Easter Holidays:

Aspens Menu (Main kitchen) – New menus have been sent home and meals are available to book on SWIFT now.

Iles Menu (Post 16 Kitchen) – New menus have been sent home and need to be paid for on ParentPay.





DUCK CLASS NEWS

This term, Duck Class have had a wonderful time exploring the exciting topic of dinosaurs. The children have shown great enthusiasm in their learning, especially when pretending to be dinosaurs themselves! Through these imaginative activities, they have been developing their understanding of sound, practising how to use both loud and quiet voices as well as experimenting with different instruments.

As part of our topic, Duck Class also enjoyed visits to the local park, where they explored the environment and continued their learning outdoors. Back in the classroom, the children had lots of fun using dinosaur figures to make footprints in paint and play dough, carefully observing the patterns and effects they created.

Throughout all of these activities, Duck Class have continued to follow our school aims by being safe, happy, and prepared every day. We are very proud of their curiosity, creativity, and positive attitudes to learning this term!



OWL CLASS NEWS



In Owl class this term we have been exploring



our Dreams for the future.



Through this we have been learning about



life skills such as shopping and cooking.



We have enjoyed trips out too to build on our



understanding of different jobs!





SEND EMPLOYER OUTREACH TRAINING

Local employers you are invited to our:

SEND Employer Outreach Training - 10am-12pm Thursday 7th May 2026 @ Ravenswood School, Nailsea

Join us at Ravenswood School for an informative SEND Employer Outreach Training session designed to help employers better understand how to support young people with Special Educational Needs and Disabilities in their school's outreach.

During the session, you'll hear directly from SEND learners as they share their experiences of Work Experience (WEX) placements, offering valuable insight into the skills they bring and the impact of inclusive opportunities. The event will also include a guided tour of Ravenswood School, giving attendees the chance to see the learning environment and meet staff who support students in preparing for employment.

This practical training session will help you:

- ✓ Build confidence in engaging with young people in Special Educational Needs & Disabilities (SEND) and Alternative Provision (AP) schools
- ✓ Combat SEND myths
- ✓ Learn how work with young people with SEND
- ✓ Listen to an employer Case Study
- ✓ Adapt your own programme or offer to SEND young people

[Book here](#)

Ravenswood School Summer Fayre

Saturday 27th June 2026

Would you be interested in renting a stall at our Summer Fayre or know someone who might?

Or

Would you like to donate a prize to the raffle?

Please contact;

familysupport@ravenswoodonline.org.uk



Ravenswood School



PFA MEETING

Monday 11th May 2026
at 5 PM

Come along to the PFA meeting at Ravenswood School or join online to help us plan out the great events and fundraisers that help make the school community what it is today.

For more information contact;
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