

‘Exceptional learners who are nurtured and prepared for tomorrow’

Friday 16th May 2025



Message from Mrs Morgan

As we approach the end of another eventful week at our school, I am pleased to share with you the various activities and accomplishments this week. The improved weather conditions have afforded our pupils the opportunity to enjoy our outdoor spaces, providing a welcome respite from the confines of the classroom and allowing them to engage more fully with their natural surroundings.

We were delighted to have CM Sports at Mill Hill for another afternoon of enriching activities. These sessions not only contribute to our pupils' physical development but also reinforce the importance of teamwork.

This week has been particularly significant for our Year 6 pupils, who have completed their SATs. I am immensely proud of the resilience, focus, and determination they have demonstrated throughout this challenging period. The manner in which they approached these tests has been impressive.

Looking ahead, we have an exciting opportunity on the horizon for our Year 3 and 4 pupils. Next week, they will be embarking on a residential trip to Fort Purbrook. This excursion presents a valuable chance for many of our pupils to experience staying away from home, potentially for the first time. Such experiences are integral to developing independence, building confidence, and creating lasting memories with their peers.

Year 6 enjoying breakfast before they start their SATs test.



Extra PE day with CMSports – Fridays

Years 5 & 6 23rd May 20 June
18 July

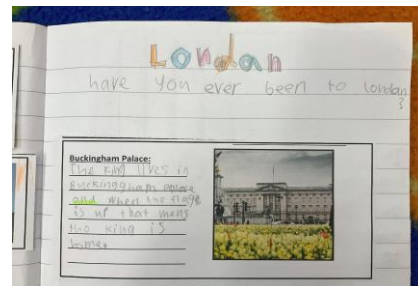
Years 3 & 4 6 June 4 July

Years 1 & 2 13 June 11 July

Owls Class Article

It has been a shorter half term, but the Owls have been working extremely hard in class. We would like to share with you some of the amazing writing we have been working on, as we are very proud.

Last week we shared images of London landmarks, found them on maps, learnt interesting facts about them so that we could create our very own London landmark posters!



We tried to use our year 1 writers' skills: Correct punctuation, Capital letters, joining sentences with 'and'. Can you spot these in Hunter's and Lil's work?

We have learnt a lot about London, and at the end of the week enjoyed joining in with the VE celebrations



Important dates

May

Monday 19th to Tuesday 20th – Years 3 & 4
Residential

Wednesday 21st & Friday 23rd – Yr 6 Bikeability

Monday 26th to Friday 30th – **Half term**

June

Thursday 5th – New Year R parent meeting @ 6pm

Friday 27th – INSET day

July

Wednesday 2nd – Transition day

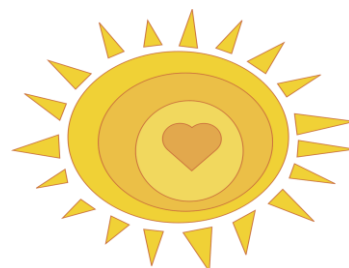
Tuesday 22nd July – Last day of term, finishing @
1.15pm

PE Days

Tuesdays – Hedgehogs (Year 3),
Rabbits (Year 4)

Wednesdays – Squirrels (Year 2)
& Frogs (Year R)

Thursdays – Owls (Year 1),
Bats (Year 5)
& Foxes (Year 6)





**Tennis, Basketball, Tag Rugby
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Healthy snacks

When preparing lunches and snacks for your child please can we remind you of a few things -

First we are a **NUT FREE** school - we do have children and members of staff who have nut allergies, so please can you make sure that no items of food containing nuts come into school. This includes chocolate spread.

Children who bring in a packed lunch - we have asked that they bring home the contents of their lunch boxes, as last term we noticed that a lot of food was wasted, that hadn't been touched and was being thrown away. This way you can see what has and hasn't been eaten.

Please consider the contents of your child's lunch box, is there enough variety and healthy options? Large packets of crisps, chocolate bars and sweets are not allowed.

<https://www.nhs.uk/healthier-families/recipes/healthier-lunchboxes/>

Snacks at break time –

Fruit is provided for KS1 (Yrs R-2).

If your child is in KS2 (Yrs 3-6), please can you provide them with a healthy snack i.e. a piece of fruit or cereal bar.

Afternoon Coffee

Wednesdays

@ 2pm

Everybody welcome

Come along for a chat and enter our raffle.

Volunteers needed – for PTA events, organising second hand uniform sales, helping in class.

Please let the office know if you would like to help.

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104 COPNOR ROAD,
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