



THE GRAPEVINE

Week 2– Sept 2024

Our first full week back! The pupils have had an excellent start to the term and have settled brilliantly with their new teachers. I hope you enjoyed taking the time to meet your child's new teacher in our drop in session yesterday. A very warm welcome to our Reception families too—we hope your child has enjoyed their first week at school! The new House Point system—where pupils earn House Points when they demonstrate our school values—is already having an impact. I look forward to hearing more from the children themselves about how we can improve this.

Diary Dates

Autumn Term 2024

16 –22 Sept Travel Wise Week
17 Sept – Clubs go live on Parent Pay
23rd Sept—School Clubs starts
27th Sept—Autumn Fundraiser
28 Oct—1 Nov Half Term
10–13 Dec Y6 Hilltop Trip
20 Dec Autumn Term Ends

Spring Term 2025

6 Jan Spring term Starts
17—21 Feb Half Term
4 April Spring Term Ends

Summer Term 2025

22 April Summer Term Starts
5 May May day
26 May—6 June Half Term
24 July Summer Term Ends

SCHOOL SUCCESSES

Congratulations to the following children:

Our **Lead Learners** have been celebrated for showing off good oracy skills (asking great questions, collaborating in group discussions)

Ana (Little Gems) Olivia (Coral) Oliver (Ruby) Hugo (Amber) Maria (Topaz) Amelia (Emerald) Indi (Jade) Idris (Jasper) Max (Turquoise) Dylan (Moonstone) Henry (Sapphire) Debnandini (Amethyst) Jacob (Tanzanite) Khalil-Quan (Opal) Jack (Pearl)

Our **Courageous Advocates** have embodied the core virtues of Marcus Rashford who we discussed in Worship on Friday.

Theo (Coral) Patrick (Ruby) Harry (Amber) Jack (Topaz) Aleena (Emerald) Naeem (Jade) Evie (Jasper) Tilly-Mai (Turquoise) Roseanna-Marie (Moonstone) Florence (Sapphire) Aya (Amethyst) Joshua (Tanzanite) Lillie (Opal) Ollie (Pearl)

HEAD PUPILS

An enormous well done and congratulations to Shona and Joshua



who are our new Head and Deputy Head Pupils!

Courageous Advocate Quote Week

"Stars only become heroes when they inspire others to stand together for what is right"
Marcus Rashford

Accelerated Reader Update



Keep up the excellent work with your reading! We have already had lots of children reading regularly.

Huge congratulations to the pupils who have **already** completed their Autumn 1 target!

Jude (Y3)

Emilia, Lukas and Sharada (Y4)

Alexandria, Amelie, Evelyn, Isabelle, Jasleen, Peter, Swara and Vishruth (Y5)

Anu, Ebrahim, Elena, Harrison, Jack C, Nakshtra and Shona (Y6)

The more that you read,
the more things you will know.
The more that you learn,
the more places you'll go.
-Dr. Seuss

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ATTENDANCE AWARD - WEEK 2

WHOLE SCHOOL YEARLY ATTENDANCE— 97.5%

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YEAR GROUP WINNER— Year 1

CLASS WINNER - Coral & Amethyst