



THE GRAPEVINE

Week 7– Oct 2025

It was lovely to see so many pupils walking, cycling and scooting to school in our 'Walk to School Week'. Our Year 4 pupils have enjoyed a fantastic (and tiring) three days at Burwell and our Year 5 pupils had a great Careers Convention at Cambourne Village College! Next week our parent consultation slots will go live on Wednesday at 8pm, so please make sure you take the time to book on. These will be held at the school across the week—10th November. Mr Hynes

Riddle of the week: Nothing empties me, but I never stay full for long. What am I?

Diary Dates

Autumn Term 2025

- 20 Oct Y1 Phonics Workshop 8:50am
- 22 Oct Y6 Hilltop Meeting 5pm
- 24 Oct Break the Rules Day
- 27—31 Oct Half Term
- 6 Nov Photo Day
- 10–14 Nov Parent Consultations
- 14 Nov Children In Need
- 26 Nov—3 Dec Winter Book Fair
- 9–11 Dec Y6 Hilltop
- 19 Dec Autumn Term Ends 1:30pm

Spring Term 2026

- 5 Jan Spring Term Starts
- 16—20 Feb Half Term
- 27 March Spring Term Ends 1:30pm

Summer Term 2026

- 13 April Summer Term Starts
- 4 May May Day
- 25 May—5 June Half Term
- 21 July Summer Term Ends 1:30pm

SCHOOL SUCCESSES

Congratulations to the following children:

Our **Lead Learners** have been celebrated for being Jemima (Amber) Hunor (Topaz) Harry (Emerald) Kayan (Jade) Sofia (Jasper) Ivy S (Turquoise) Thomas (Amethyst) Eden (Tanzanite) Alan (Opal) Esme C (Pearl)

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

Eli (Coral) Daksh (Ruby) Karina (Amber) Nina (Topaz) Lois (Emerald) Maryam (Jade) Aleena (Jasper) Samarth (Turquoise) Avah (Amethyst) George (Tanzanite) Aya (Opal) Osman (Pearl)

WANTED—we need more empty plastic pop bottles (like coke) for a special Remembrance art project.

Accelerated Reader Update



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

Congratulations to the following:

Children who have reached their Autumn 2 target:

- Elsa (Y2) Sofia and Zara (Y3)
- Franck, Reyaansh and Willow (Y4)
- Arthur, Krum, Owen, Shourya and Zikora (Y5)
- Holly, Max and Pia (Y6)

Don't forget, you have until the last day of the half term holiday to get your target, so keep reading!

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

KINDNESS LEAVES

Congratulations to the following children (and staff) who have been awarded a 'Kindness Leaf'. We know that Kindness grows – just like a vine! Oscar for tidying away the rubbish. Miss Smalley for leading 'Time to Move' this morning. To all the staff who have been with year 4 at Burwell this week, these trips do not happen without our dedicated staff.



Community Chicken Helpers!

Do you know all about keeping chickens? Would you be able to help with looking after them at weekends / holidays? Please let the office know if you can help.

ATTENDANCE AWARD - WEEK 7

WHOLE SCHOOL YEARLY ATTENDANCE— 96%
YEAR GROUP WINNER—Year 3
CLASS WINNER – Turquoise / Opal