

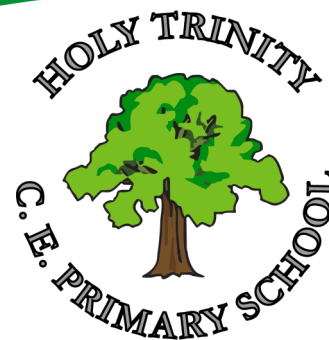
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## To Flourish & Grow

**TERM DATES: 25/26**

**Term Dates: 05/01/26—27/03/26**

**February**

**Monday 16th February—Friday 20th  
February—HALF TERM**

**Monday 23rd February—Non Pupil  
Day**

**March**

**Thursday 5th March— World Book  
Day**

**Wednesday 11th March—  
Interhouse Cross Country (Chappel)**

**Thursday 12th March—Parents  
Road Safety Talk (EYFS & Yr5)**

**Friday 20th March—Comic Relief  
Day**

**Wednesday 25th March—  
Rocksteady Concert 2:30pm**

**Wednesday 25th March—Parents  
Evening 3:40pm—6pm**

**Thursday 26th March—Parents  
Evening 3:40pm—5:50pm**

**Friday 27th March—PTFA Break the  
Rules Day**

**Monday 30th March—Friday 10th  
April—EASTER HOLIDAYS**

Dear Parents and Carers,

I can't believe we have reached the end of another busy half term already! This final week has been a particularly full one, with lots of exciting learning taking place across the school.

Willow Class have had an exciting afternoon celebrating Chinese New Year. The children enjoyed tasting a range of different Chinese foods and making colourful paper lanterns as part of their learning.

Beech and Chestnut classes have taken part in the Peter Bruff: The Forgotten Engineer Project, joining a virtual art workshop which the children thoroughly enjoyed. It was lovely to see their creativity and enthusiasm throughout the session.

Maple Class have had a fun and engaging end to their Crime and Punishment unit with a DT day, which allowed the children to apply their learning in a practical and enjoyable way. Keep a look out for their fantastic models coming home!

You may be aware that we have had some staff absence this week. I would like to thank both staff and pupils for their flexibility and resilience during this time.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support. I would like to wish everyone a happy and restful half term break.

Kind Regards

*Zoe Hammond*

*Maple Class Teacher*

Attendance Week Commencing 02/02		Attendance Week Commencing 09/02	
<b>Willow</b>	<b>Beech</b>	<b>Willow</b>	<b>Beech</b>
92%	<b>94%</b>	89%	<b>99%</b>
<b>Chestnut</b>	<b>Maple</b>	<b>Chestnut</b>	<b>Maple</b>
91%	<b>94%</b>	95%	<b>99%</b>

Please note that Bookings for Parent's Evening slots open on the 16th March at 7:30pm and close at midnight on 20th March. Thank you in advance!

# Celebration Time

A big **congratulations** to the following pupils who will receive star of the week certificates in our celebration assembly **last Friday!**

Willow: **Millie-Rose**

Beech: **Frankie**

Chestnut: **Aurora**

Maple: **Oscar M**

A **huge well done** to **Chayton** who won our Zoe Bear award!



A big **congratulations** to the following pupils who will receive star of the week certificates in our celebration assembly **today!**

Willow: **Isla H**

Beech: **Sahib**

Chestnut: **Oscar S & Lola**

Maple: **Freya**

A **huge well done** to **Olivia W** who won our Zoe Bear award!



Congratulations to the following children for their *Book Bingo* accomplishments!

4 In a Row: Aloreah-Lee, Rosalee, Coby, Kojo and Chayton

10 Books: Rosalee, Aloreah-Lee and Ella-Rose W

A huge well done to the following children who have COMPLETED Book Bingo for this year:

Makena and Lottie!

## MVPS:

(week ending 06/02)

**Bonnie (1545)**

**Tadi (1113)**

**Fred (529)**

## MVPS:

(week ending 13/02)

**Molly G (1303)**

**Tadi (965)**

**TJ (935)**



## CLASS SCORES

Week Ending

06/02

**MAPLE: 114**  
**CHESTNUT: 74**

**BEECH: 30**

## CLASS SCORES

Week Ending

13/02

**CHESTNUT: 92**  
**MAPLE: 62**

**BEECH: 0**

Congratulations to Maisie and Theo who have both achieved their pen licenses!



## CHESTNUT CLASS NEWS!

On Tuesday afternoon, Chestnut Class was able to participate in a live-streamed art workshop based around the forgotten engineer, Peter Bruff. To warm up their hands and brains, the children first drew abstract patterns on a piece of paper and tested to see if they could draw with their weaker hand as well as their stronger hand. They then had a paper-based engineering riddle to solve in which they used their knowledge of fractions to try to create a specific structure. Finally, the children were challenged to create a four-panel comic strip which had to be based on a problem with an engine, for example a car breaking down and a character who solved the problem. The children were very positive about being able to participate in this special art workshop!



## BEECH CLASS NEWS!

Beech Class had great fun designing, building and painting Roman shields to link in with our topic: The Romans. We learnt which colours should be used and made sure our designs were symmetrical.



## Free Family Fun Day!

Blow away those winter blues!

Join us in the Kingsland building and car park with a whole day of community fun!

- ★ Live Music
- ★ Bouncy Castle
- ★ Games
- ★ Face Painting
- ★ Arts & Crafts
- ★ Dance Performance
- and much, much more!

Saturday 21st February  
11am - 4pm



**NANNAS DAY NURSERIES**

**NATURECREW**

**HOLIDAY CLUB**

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