

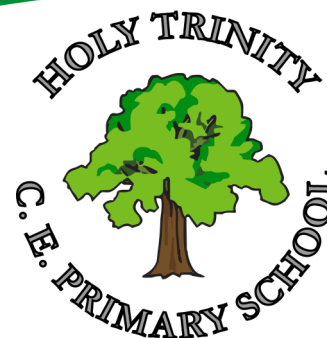
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To Flourish & Grow

TERM DATES: 25/26

Term Dates: 13/04/26—22/05/26

May

Wednesday 20th May—Interschool Athletics at Chappel

Thursday 21st May—Beech and Maple DT Project Day

Thursday 21st May—Chestnut Class trip to Fingringhoe Wick

Friday 22nd May—PTFA Colour Day

Monday 25th May—Friday 29th May—MAY HALF TERM

June

Monday 1st June—Back to School

Monday 1st June—Year 4 Multiplication Tables Check Week

Thursday 11th June—Year 6 World of Work Hub Day

Wednesday 17th June—Year 6 Retreat Day



Dear Parents and Carers,

This week in school, we have had our year 6 children sitting their SATS. Many of them made good use of our free SATS breakfast club and were generously rewarded with a little 'good luck' gift each morning by Mrs Hammond. We have been impressed with the children's focus during each of the tests. Well done year 6 and thank you to Mrs Hammond, Miss Cregan and Mrs Charles for coming in extra early to organise breakfast for the children.

Today, we have had a lovely day celebrating our school Vision and Values. It is always nice to see the children working in different age groups, supporting each other with tasks and being reflective on what our values mean to them, their time in school and the wider world. Thank you to those parents who kindly donated extra bulbs for planting and stones for painting. Your support is always very much appreciated.

Next week there is much to look forward to. On Wednesday, it is our interschool athletics tournament and we are certain that our selected children will represent our school brilliantly at Chappel. On Thursday, Chestnut Class are off on their class trip to Fingringhoe Wick as part of our Science learning on living things and their habitats. I am sure that they will all have a fantastic time. Whilst they are there, Beech and Maple classes are taking part in a joint STEM enrichment day with a focus on railway engineering.

Finally, next Friday is our PTFA colour day. We look forward to seeing how creative everyone is with the colourful raffle prizes that are brought in. As a reminder the colours are as follows: Willow—Blue, Beech—Yellow, Chestnut—Red and Maple—Green. Thank you in advance for all your generous donations.

Wishing you all a great weekend,

Kind regards

Katie Welsh

Head of School

Attendance

Week Commencing 04/05

Willow	Beech
86.9%	94.8%
Chestnut	Maple
84%	94.9%

Attendance

Week Commencing 11/05

Willow	Beech
91.8%	96.2%
Chestnut	Maple
87.5%	93.7%

SAFEGUARDING

If you have any safeguarding concerns regarding a pupil, please contact our **Designated Safeguarding Lead (DSL) - Mrs Katie Welsh**, or our **Deputy Safeguarding Leads—Mrs Claire Matless, Miss Molly Cregan, Mrs Zoe Hammond.**

Thank you.



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

Willow: **Ashley**

Beech: **Fred**

Chestnut: **Jack B**

Maple: **Bonnie-Rose**

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



Our 'Presentation Pro' award
for this week goes to....

Sukhmani!



Book Bingo Congratulations...

Rose and Elwood for both accomplishing 10
books read!



MVPS:

Tadi (1655)

TJ (957)

Penelope (792)



CLASS SCORES

**CHESTNUT
(125)**

MAPLE (90)

BEECH(54)

WILLOW CLASS NEWS!

The children in Willow Class have continued to enjoy learning about Minibeasts via stories such as Betsy Buglove Saves the Bees, What the Ladybird Heard and The Very Bust Spider and some of our non-fiction minibeasts text. They have been fascinated by photos and discussions of bug hotels and so we have used this interest to inspire further learning. The children have designed and labelled their own bug hotels and initially made models of them with various construction materials. We then researched what would be needed for a real bug hotel and set to work finding natural items in our school field. Our bug hotels are proudly hanging in our outdoor classroom!



MAPLE CLASS NEWS!

In Maple Class this week, Year 6 have been working incredibly hard through their SATs exams and we have been so proud of the effort, resilience and determination that they have shown throughout. Our year 5 pupils spent the mornings in other classes around the school, working on a project creating their own countries. They have been very supportive of their year 6 peers and we are very grateful for their patience this week.



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The school will close at 1:15pm on Friday 17th July, 2026. All children must be collected at this time.

As we approach the end of the academic year, we are seeing an increasing number of children not adhering to our uniform policy. As a reminder:

- All children should have their hair tied back.
- Nail varnish or false nails are not permitted in school.
- For pierced ears, plain stud earrings only—no hoops or dangly earrings and all earrings must be removed on PE days.
- P.E kits should consist of plain black shorts or tracksuit bottoms, plain house coloured t-shirt and a plain black hoodie or zip-up top.

Wearing a school uniform provides a sense of belonging and community. It is practical and smart and enables a sense of equality in terms of appearance between peers. Please refer to our school uniform policy for verification if you aren't sure. This can be found on our website. Thank you for your support with this!

Vision & Values Day!

