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## Year 6 have been amazing this week!

Many of you will know that Year 6 have had four mornings of tests this week... they have all approached the tests incredibly well. They worked hard, focused and supported each other. Very well done to you all. 😊  
Thank you to everyone in school who has supported Year 6 this week by staying quiet while the tests were being held. 🙏

## A message from Miss Harris

Where has the sunshine gone?! After suggesting that hats and water bottles were a good idea a couple of weeks ago, we have returned to wearing coats! Hopefully, the sunshine will return soon.

This week has been full of the Year 6 SATs and we are excited that next week will be the residential and activity week for the cohort to enable them to relax and do something totally different. It's lovely that Reception were out on a trip last week and that next week our Year 1/2 and 3/4 classes will also be going out... and it won't be long until Year 5 go out too. We really enjoy providing children with experiences out of school to enrich their learning.

## We have names for our new additions!

As we said last week, we have decided to name our new piggies after three of our school values – Kindness, Honesty and Respect. The children voted in the names last week so we could democratically choose the names. Classes will gradually meet the pigs as they grow a little older. They really are very sweet!

**Annora**

(Latin means Respect)

**Mila**

(Slavic means Kindness)

**Mokoto**

(Japanese means Honesty)



## Attendance Ted



Well done to all the classes with 96%+ attendance this week.

<b>Year R</b> Willow 91.5%	<b>Year 1/2</b> Ash 97.7%	<b>Year 1/2</b> Birch 87.5%	<b>Year 1/2</b> Elm 91.2%
<b>Year 3/4</b> Chestnut 91.6%	<b>Year 3/4</b> Hazel 92.1%	<b>Year 3/4</b> Pine 93.8%	
<b>Year 5</b> Maple 91.3%	<b>Year 5</b> Sycamore 90.4%	<b>Year 6</b> Oak 97.0%	<b>Year 6</b> Yew 96.1%

## Punctuality Pup



Fabulous results for those classes achieving 100% punctuality this week.

<b>Year R</b> Willow 97.4%	<b>Year 1/2</b> Ash 98.4%	<b>Year 1/2</b> Birch 95.4%	<b>Year 1/2</b> Elm 97.3%
<b>Year 3/4</b> Chestnut 100%	<b>Year 3/4</b> Hazel 95.2%	<b>Year 3/4</b> Pine 98.3%	
<b>Year 5</b> Maple 100%	<b>Year 5</b> Sycamore 100%	<b>Year 6</b> Oak 97.8%	<b>Year 6</b> Yew 100%

# Calendar for next year

With the end of this year fast approaching, we thought you might like to have the calendar for the next academic year to enable you to forward plan.



## St Matthew's High Brooms CE Primary School Term Dates 2026-2027

### Autumn Terms

Sep-26						
M	T	W	Th	F	S	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

Oct-26						
M	T	W	Th	F	S	S
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

Nov-26						
M	T	W	Th	F	S	S
						1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30						

Dec-26						
M	T	W	Th	F	S	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

### Spring Terms

Jan-27						
M	T	W	Th	F	S	S
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

Feb-27						
M	T	W	Th	F	S	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28

Mar-27						
M	T	W	Th	F	S	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

### Summer Terms

Apr-27						
M	T	W	Th	F	S	S
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

May-27						
M	T	W	Th	F	S	S
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31						

Jun-27						
M	T	W	Th	F	S	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

Jul-27						
M	T	W	Th	F	S	S
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

### Summary of Term Dates for Children:

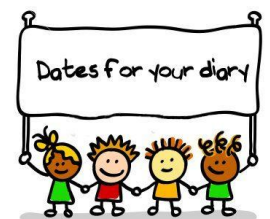
- Term 1: Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> September – Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> October
- Term 2: Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> November – Friday 18<sup>th</sup> December
- Term 3: Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> January – Friday 12<sup>th</sup> February
- Term 4: Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> February – Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> March
- Term 5: Monday 12<sup>th</sup> April – Friday 28<sup>th</sup> May
- Term 6: Monday 7<sup>th</sup> June – Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> July

Key	
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## Dates for your Diary

### Term 5:

- Monday 18<sup>th</sup> May – Year 1/2 trip to Hever Castle
- Monday 18<sup>th</sup> May – Year 6 Residential and Activity Week
- Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> May – Year 3/4 Welly walk!
- Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May – End of Term 5



Monday 25<sup>th</sup> May – Friday 29<sup>th</sup> May: Summer Term break – School closed for children

### Term 6:

- Monday 1<sup>st</sup> June – INSET Day; school closed for children
- Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> June – Term 6 begins for children
- Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> June – Sports Day for Year 3/4/5/6 classes
- Friday 26<sup>th</sup> June – Sports Day for Reception and Year 1/2 classes
- Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> July – End of Term 6

The calendar for 2026-2027 can now be found on our school website by following this link: [Term Dates](#)