



Welcome back to the Spring Term and to 2025.



It hasn't been the best start to the New Year with the weather, but we have made it regardless.

Y5K/S Swimming

Next Wednesday, Y5K/S start their swimming lessons. Please make sure that you send your child with their kit and a towel. If you have any questions, please contact Miss Knowles.



Last Week's Attendance

Y6D	99%	Expected Attendance
Y6K	97%	Expected Attendance
Y1Di, Y3Kn	96%	Expected Attendance
Y3Ke, Y4G, Y5K/S	95%	Concern of under achievement
Y1Dr	94%	Concern of under achievement
Y2W,	92%	Risk of under achievement
Rec P, Y2M	90%	Risk of under achievement
Y5C	89%	Serious risk of under achievement
Y4H	85%	Serious risk of under achievement
Rec C	84%	Extreme risk of under achievement

Lost Property

At the end of the Autumn term, we went through all the lost property and collected **6** bin bags full of jumpers, hoodies and coats. None of the clothes have names in.



Please can I ask that you write your child's name in their clothes to avoid piles of clothing and no way of returning things to the rightful owner.

February Disco

Our fundraising team are in the process of planning a Valentines Disco which will take place on Wednesday the 12th February.



The Disco will be split into two time slots:

- Y1, Y2, Y3 – 3:30pm - 4:45pm
- Y4, Y5, Y6 – 5:00pm - 6:00pm

Look out for a poster coming soon on Class Dojo, from Miss Hallam, with more information on tickets, snacks and much more.

Reception September 2025

If your child was born between 1st September 2020 and 31st August 2021, they will be eligible to start school in September 2025.



The deadline to apply for a Reception place is midnight on Wednesday, January 15th 2025.

Please follow the link for more information <https://www.derbyshire.gov.uk/education/schools/school-places/apply-for-a-school-place.aspx>

Important Dates



- **15.01.25 – Y5K/S swimming starts**
- **17.01.25 – World Religion Day**
- **11.02.25 – Y3 to Magna**
- **12.02.25 – Y1 to Sudbury Hall**
- **12.02.25 – Valentines Disco**
- **13.02.25 – Y5 to Cromford Mills**
- **28.02.25 – International Mother Languages Day**

Headteacher Awards

Nursery		Rec C	Rec P	Y1Dr	Y1Di	Y2M	Y2W
Oakley-Thomas		Rosie	Kai	Bailey	Alice	Millie	Ella
Arthur		Ted	Bradley	Millie	Tyzan	Hetty	Mason
Y3Ke	Y3Kn	Y4H	Y4G	Y5C	Y5KS	Y6D	Y6Ki
Branice	Eden	Jack	Alfie	Amelia	Jamie	Cayson	Kaysan
Ollie	David	Shalom	Erica	Kodey	Aeron	Wisdom	Kairo