



Message from Mrs Kinsley As we reach the end of this short but busy half term, I'd like to take a moment to celebrate the hard work of our children, staff, and families. It's been a productive few weeks, filled with learning, growth, and a strong sense of community—the mini marathon, VE Day picnic, and this week's football tournament are just a few highlights! An extra bonus was this week's School Council meeting, where our Year 2 pupils shared thoughtful ideas to help shape the Burnt Oak transition timetable. Their contributions showed real maturity and insight, and we're excited to incorporate their suggestions into our planning. Everyone has earned a well-deserved rest, and we hope the break brings a chance to relax and recharge before we return for the second half of the term—and head full-on into summer!



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WEST STREET ERITH FAMILY HUB

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Opening hours: 10am - 5pm
Monday - Friday

The Erith Family Hub is here to support you and your family from pregnancy through to your child's 18th birthday. Whether you're a new parent, a growing family, or just looking for advice, we're here for you.



Whether you need a quick chat, practical help, or a safe place to connect with other parents, the Family Hub is your local starting point.

No judgement, no pressure – just support, right when you need it. Feel free to walk in or drop us a call, we're here to help.



We're here for you
"REAL HELP. REAL PEOPLE
RIGHT HERE IN OUR COMMUNITY"

We offer:

- Friendly, one-to-one support and guidance
- Parenting, relationship and family advice, workshops and play sessions
- Connections to local services – all in one place
- Help with health, development, Education and Well-being.



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PA Ice-cream

The Parents Association will be selling ice creams after school today, and other Fridays until the end of term. A big thank you to our amazing PA for organising more opportunities to raise money for our school – and for providing such a lovely Friday treat!



Diary Dates

BREAK UP Friday 23rd May

Mon 2nd June–INSET day

BACK TO SCHOOL Tues 3rd June

Thurs 5th June– World Environment Day Nourish menu

Mon 9th June–
Phonics Screen Check
begins in Y1



Fri 13th June–Cystic Fibrosis Day (wear **yellow**) and Father's Day Sale

HAPPY The Chatsworth Lions were victorious in the TPA KSI football tournament yesterday, beating the other TPA schools in the round robin! Congratulations also to the team from Southborough Primary who lifted the girls' trophy, and the other Chatsworth teams that did themselves proud with impressive teamwork and sportsmanship–well done!



Staffing changes



We will be very sorry to say goodbye to Mrs Patel at the end of the year, as she will be relocating to be closer to her family up North. While we

will miss her greatly, we are excited for the new adventures that lie ahead for her and her family. Looking ahead to September, we are delighted to welcome Miss Skinner, who will be joining us from one of our Croydon TPA schools to lead the EYFS team. Miss Skinner is an experienced Reception teacher and is thrilled to be joining our community. We look forward to the enthusiasm and expertise she will bring to the team.



LEARNING

This week the children in nursery have been working very hard at practising their name writing. They've enjoyed exploring the indoor and outdoor writing opportunities and we are very proud of their progress!

