



Message from Mrs Kinsley It feels like we've experienced four seasons in one week—with high winds, rain, chilly mornings and now a gloriously sunny Friday. The children have had another busy week and are continuing to settle into their new classrooms and routines. Please don't worry if your children are still feeling a little wobbly in the mornings, change can be bigger for some than others and we can work with you and your child to ensure they feel happy and safe coming into school. Please do let us know if there's any additional context that might help us support them if they're upset and we can work together to help. Enjoy your weekend, whatever the weather has in store!



SAFE The local authority has produced an information leaflet for parents and carers about the role of the **LADO** (Local Authority Designated Officer) who oversees concerns or allegations made against people who work or volunteer with children. Feel free to discuss any questions with a member of the Safeguarding team.



PTA AGM

Don't forget the PTA AGM to-night at Chatsworth—all members of the school community welcome from 3.45 for a 4pm start in the hall.

Forest School timetable

w/b 22/9 Week A (Att & Frank)
w/b 29/9 Week B (Pack & Benj)
w/b 6/10 Week A (Att & Frank)
w/b 13/10 Week B (Pack & Benj)
Half term (no FS Mon 3/11)



HAPPY EYFS had their first Forest School sessions this week and loved them! **To make the experience even better for Years 1 and 2, we are changing the timetable:** children will now attend fortnightly, with a double session. See across for the timetable. On their 'off week' the children should attend in school uniform.



Donation Station

The buttons are being used to great effect in Reception—thank you for all your donations so far! This week we are asking for any wool or string you might be able to donate. EYFS will use it for art projects, fine motor-skill activities, creative problem solving, early maths and more. Wool and string are incredibly versatile—every bit helps. Thanks in advance for your support.



Diary Dates



Thurs 25th Sept—[Flu immunisations](#)

Friday 26th Sept—Times Tables Rock Stars relaunch (dress like a rock star) **Year 1 and 2 only**

Mon 29th Sept—Book Fair after school—details tbc

Reception parents' phonics meeting 4.30

Tues 30th Sept—Reception parents' phonics meeting 8.45

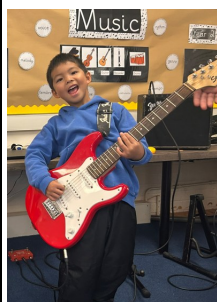
Thurs 2nd Oct—[Mr Nourish birthday](#) menu

Friday 3rd October—Harvest festival (donations welcome)



LEARNING i-Rock

sessions are now in full swing, and the children are thoroughly enjoying the chance to work together, collaborate, and make music!



Nursery news

Afternoon parents, for safety reasons, please wait on the forecourt until just before 12:30 before buzzing the gate to drop off your child. We need to minimise the time parents are on site without staff visibly present so we can keep all children supervised and safe. Thanks in advance.



School Safety Notice: Please avoid parking across private driveways during drop-off and pick-up times. Blocking driveways reduces visibility, which increases risk to children—especially small ones—who may step out between parked cars and not be seen clearly.