

Hawkhurst

Church of England Primary School

Newsletter No 28.

Friday, 24 April 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back to term 5!
We trust you all had a lovely Easter break with your children.



Jodie Hare

Parent Consultations



We are looking forward to seeing you at parent consultations next week. There are still some spaces if you have not booked a slot yet.

Spring Assessments



Your child should have brought home the results of their spring assessments this week. Your consultation time will be a good opportunity for you to speak to your child's teacher about these if you wish to. End of year assessments will be carried out during the week beginning 15th June and results will be included in the end of term reports.

Grandparents Afternoon



Just to give you advanced notice, we will be holding our Grandparents afternoon on Friday 12th June, starting at 2pm. We will put a sign-up sheet up and send out more details nearer the time.



Sports day will be on Friday 19th June and all parents are welcome to come along. KS1 will be doing theirs in the morning, starting at 9:30am and KS2 will be doing theirs in the afternoon starting at 1:15pm. We will send out more details nearer the time.

Our wonderful PTA are going to host a mini summer fete on the field at the end of sports day which we hope you will support. More details about this will follow shortly.

Sandpit



We are delighted that the weather has improved which means we will be opening the sandpit at lunch times. Please can your child bring a sun hat or cap into school with them as it gets very hot in that spot and they can be sitting in there for a long time.

Congratulations

Congratulations to Mrs Allen for completing the Manchester marathon last Sunday in an amazing 4:04 hours!



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End of Year Production



The dates for our Year 6 end of year production will be Thursday 9th July in the afternoon and Friday 10th July in the evening. We will write out to Y6 parents separately at the beginning of term 6 with all dates for different events. We just wanted to give you plenty of notice for the production dates.



Well-done to the children who have been recognised today for demonstrating our school values: Compassion, Hope, and Community.

YR: Phoebe and Logan

Y1: Darcy and Maisie

Y2: Ezra and Alexi

Y3: Oscar and Felicity

Y4: Noah and Deseret

Y5: Lola and Esme

Y6: Violet and April



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Well done to the children who were awarded a Certificate of Excellence this week.

Rainbow

Huxley, Lucas and Teddy

Yr 1

Ivy-Rose, Pippa and Marshall

Yr 2

Evelynne, Charlotte and Tomos

Yr 3

Holly and Theo

Yr 4

Dolly, Qailah and James R

Yr 5

Ian, Samuel and Isabella

Yr 6

Benji, Nathaniel and Millie

Attendance



	Attendance %	Attendance %	% Change
	Year to Date	This Week	On Last Week
Year R	94.2	99.2	1.75
Year 1	95.7	99.6	4.83
Year 2	96.1	98.9	5.95
Year 3	91.0	86.5	-2.61
Year 4	94.6	98.4	4.18
Year 5	94.4	97.9	6.05
Year 6	96.7	93.4	1.64

The above table shows attendance for the year so far for each class together with a view on how this week has changed from last week. (Green is Good).

This week's winners were Red Class.

Forest School



Forest School sessions for after the Easter Break will be :

Tuesday: Green Class (Year 4)

Wednesday: Rainbow

Thursday: Violet Class (Year 6)

Please send children to school in their FS clothes whatever the weather.

A full Forest School Timetable for Terms 5 and 6 is now available on the school website -

<https://www.hawkhurst.kent.sch.uk/children/forest-school/forest-school-timetable-for-2025-26>

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Diary Dates

28TH APRIL

- Vision and Hearing Screening for Year R

29TH & 30TH APRIL

- Parent Consultations

6TH MAY

- Year 4 Trip : Living Land

11TH MAY

- SATS Week for Year 6

22ND MAY

- Last Day of Term 5

1ST JUNE

- First Day of term 6

12TH JUNE

- Grandparent Afternoon 2:00PM

15TH JUNE

- End of year Assessment week

19TH JUNE

- KS1 Sports Day 9:30AM
- KS2 Sports Day 1:15PM
- PTA Mini Summer Fete

9/10TH JULY

- End of year Production for YR6 Parents

17TH JULY

- Last Day of School Year for Pupils

20/21ST JULY

- School Closed staff Development Days



Swimming for Year 4 & 5 at Weald Sports Centre

Mondays : 28th Apr, 11th May, 18th May, 25th May, 2nd Jun

Catch up with Orange Class

Geography has really inspired our Art work this year.

When we looked at hot and cold places we looked at



Tinga Tinga art from Africa.

This perfectly compliments our new topic: Kenya.



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A Prayer to start the Term



Dear God,

Thank you for the start of this new term.

We pray for our school community—teachers, staff, and students.

Grant teachers creativity and patience, and give students eager minds and courageous hearts.

May this building be a place of safety, kindness, and joy.

Help us to learn, grow, and support one another in all we do.

Amen

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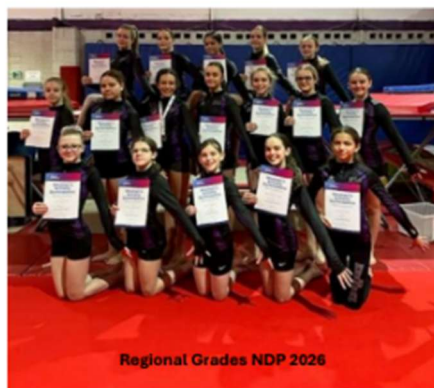
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Parent Workshop

Understanding Your Child's Behaviour

29/04/2026 10:30 -12:30pm

Are you currently experiencing difficulties with your child at home? Would you like to come and meet with other parents and carers and learn about ways to enjoy your time more with your child?

You are invited to a workshop about understanding and communicating with your child. It will help you consider factors which influence behaviour. We also discuss techniques that you can use at home for behaviours that you feel are difficult to manage.

If you would like to join, please ctrl + click the link below or scan the QR code:

[Understanding Your Child's Behaviour | Meeting-Join | Microsoft Teams](#)

Our workshops are held on Microsoft Teams. You can create an account for free. You will need access to the internet. If you have any questions please speak to your child's school. Currently, this workshop is only available to parents/carers of children attending an EWT/EST school. Please speak to your child's school or check our website for our list of schools. If you require materials in another language or have any other access needs then please email:

EWandESTenquiries@nelft.nhs.uk

We look forward to meeting you



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Please call for more information 0300 300 1955

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Supporting Your Child with Worries & Fears

11/05/2026 10:30—12:30pm

[Supporting Your Child with Worries & Fears | Meeting-Join | Microsoft Teams](#)



Understanding Neurodiversity

19.05.2026 10:30—12:30pm

[Understanding Neurodiversity | Meeting-Join | Microsoft Teams](#)



Helping Your Child Move to Secondary School

10/06/2026 10:30—12:30pm

[Starting Secondary School | Meeting-Join | Microsoft Teams](#)



Starting Primary School

23/06/2026 10:30—12:30pm

[Starting Primary School | Meeting-Join | Microsoft Teams](#)



Helping Your Child Move to Secondary School

6/07/2026 17:30—19:30pm

[Understanding Neurodiversity | Meeting-Join | Microsoft Teams](#)



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