



Message from our Assistant Headteacher:

🌙 Eid Festival – Monday 23rd June 🌙

We are delighted to invite you to our annual Eid Festival, taking place after school:

Monday 23rd June
School playground - 3:15 – 4:30pm

We are really pleased to be hosting this event again this year as it's always been a fantastic opportunity to bring the whole community together in a joyful celebration of faith, family, and friendship.

We are really grateful to our parent community, who are generously volunteering their time and talents. They have been working hard to organise and coordinate the festival.

Children are invited to wear non-uniform with a celebratory/party theme on Monday.
(We recommend clothes that you are happy to experience a day in the life of school!)

If you would like to make a donation on the day, we will be collecting contributions of 50p.

During the festival, there will be lots of delicious food and refreshing drinks, face painting, mehendi, music and crafts - there will be something for everyone to enjoy and everyone is welcome!

Many items will be free, and where possible, prices will be kept minimal to ensure the event is welcoming and inclusive for all.

A huge thank you to all parents, carers and community members involved — from food donations to helping on the day — your generosity truly reflects the spirit of Eid.



Thank you for your continued support,
Mrs Doyle, Assistant Headteacher for Aspiration

Merit Assembly

Congratulations to the following children who all received a certificate this week and were part of our assembly today:

Foundation 2: Itai & Adalyn
Year 1: Amore & Lara
Year 2: Bea & Zion
Year 3: Thalia-Rose & Sidar
Year 4: Kara & Hasinnit
Year 5: River & Ayaan



Writers of the Week

Foundation 2: Nanditha
Year 1: Amar
Year 2: Isla
Year 3: Giovanni
Year 4: Rome
Year 5: Raheem



Attendance

Foundation 2:	99.6%
Year 1:	99.3%
Year 2:	98.7%
Year 3:	99.0%
Year 4:	95.3%
Year 5:	90.3%
Year 6:	98.3%

Well done to this week's classes with the highest attendance:

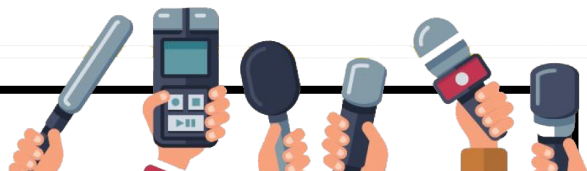
Foundation 2

F1 Stars of the Week



Iyanna, Mayas & Gabriel

In other news...



Recent enrichment highlights

Our children have had lots of exciting enrichment opportunities over the last two weeks:

- **Y3** joined Mr Buckmaster, our Attendance Officer, for a special breakfast in the community for winning best attendance last half term.
- **Our children** were joined by the Sneinton Dragon and Sneinton Festival team to share all the exciting events for the community this half term.
- A group of **Key Stage 2 children** visited Wollaton Cricket Club to take part in a cricket festival.
- **Y5** visited the Royal Concert Hall to perform Now Hear This 2025, an orchestra performance based on Earth and Space.
- Our **Primary Parliamentarians** joined other pupil leaders from Transform Trust for a session at Nottingham Castle.
- **Y1** visited Nottingham Castle as part of their learning about Castles.



Nottingham University Discovery Day

We were so pleased that so many of our families joined us for the Nottingham University Discovery session at school and then visited the University campus on Saturday for a fantastic day of exploration and aspiration. The event gave our children a powerful message: university is for everyone, and a love of learning can take you anywhere.



Diary Dates

Mon 23 Jun	Eid Festival School Playground 3:15 – 4:30pm
Tue 24 Jun	Church at School – All Welcome! School Hall – 3:15 – 4:00pm
Thu 26 – Fri 27 Jun	Year 4/5 Staycation
Tue 1 Jul	Year 3 Romans Day and Family Exhibition
Wed 2 Jul	Reading Festival
Tue 7 Jul	Y6 Visit Natural History Museum
Tue 8 Jul	Lower Phase Fun Day
Thu 10 Jul	EYFS Carnival Parade
Sat 12 Jul	Sneinton Festival Parade

*Please continue to check the school calendar
on our Reach More Parents app.
This will show you upcoming events related to your child.*

Spotlight



REFUGEE WEEK 2025 **COMMUNITY AS A SUPERPOWER**

Refugee Awareness Exhibition

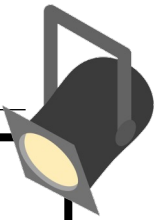
We are delighted to showcase our Refugee Awareness Exhibition of Learning, now open in the Studio.

The exhibition brings together thoughtful, creative work from every class in school, from Foundation 1 to Year 6, highlighting the empathy, understanding, and knowledge our children have developed.

Our exhibition was launched with a special collective worship and workshop led by the Nottingham Refugee Forum.

It will remain open for the next two weeks, and we warmly invite parents, carers and family members to come and view it at the start or end of the school day.

What have we been learning?



EYFS

In EYFS this week, we have been reading a book called 'A Town Called Hope' and talking about what is special about our homes. We made our own model houses as part of the Refugee Week Exhibition.

Maybe you will spot them if you visit the exhibition and you can share with us what is special about your home by adding your own label to our display.



Year 2

Year 2 have been loving our topic, Votes for Women! This week with Ms Kurcin, Year 2 recreated a suffragettes protest and learnt about Emmeline Pankhurst. In writing this week, we have created some amazing speeches about equality inspired by the amazing book, Drum Dream Girl.



Year 4

Year 4 loved our visit to Forest Schools. We went on a 'pilgrimage' as part of our RE learning - reflecting on our gratitude for the different points of our journey then acted out vocabulary such as 'community' and 'spirituality'



Year 6

Year 6 have had a fantastic couple of days at Bagthorpe Primary School on our residential.

We've had lots of activities from orienteering to making S'mores. We are now ready for a restful weekend!



"Eid al-Fitr is a celebration of faith, family, and community. May this joyous occasion bring you peace, prosperity, and endless blessings. Eid Mubarak!"

Eid Mubarak

Come and join us

Monday 23rd June

3.15 - school playground

Food, free drinks, Mehendi, face paint, crafts, music

Everyone Welcome!





READING FESTIVAL

WEDNESDAY 2ND JULY

3.15-4.45PM



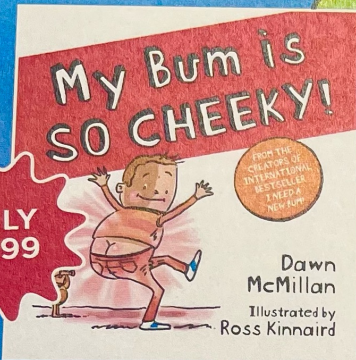
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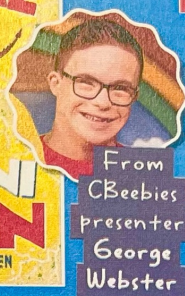
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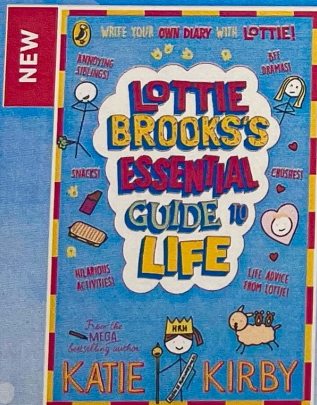
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A LAUGH OUT
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illustrated series



£12.99 **£9.99**

Date: Week beginning
30th July . 3.15 - School Hall

Also at the Reading
Festival on 2nd July!

Scan the QR code
to pay online!



LUNCHTIME

TRADITIONAL

Week 1

**Spring Summer
2025**

21/04/25, 12/05/25,
02/06/25, 23/06/25,
14/07/25, 04/08/25,
25/08/25, 15/09/25,
06/10/25

MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY



All Day Breakfast

Picnic Style
Sausage Roll
Lunch

Roast Pork,
New Potatoes
and Gravy

Tomato and Basil
Chicken
Pasta Bake

Golden Fish
Fingers or
Salmon Fingers
and Chips



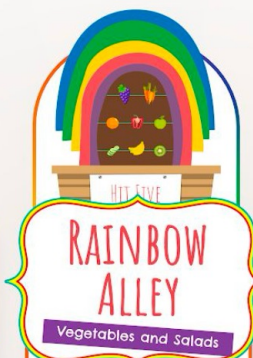
Margherita Pizza
Slice and Wedges

Picnic Style
Veggie Sausage
Roll Lunch

Vegetable and
Stuffing Loaf with
New Potatoes

Veggie Noodle
Stir Fry

Cheesy Bean Wrap
with Chips



Baked Beans

Crudites

Carrots and
Cabbage

Green Salad

Peas



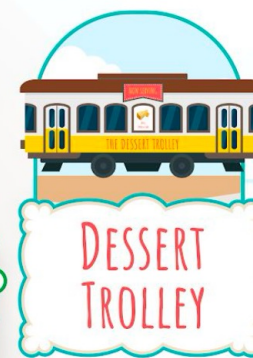
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Cheese or
Tuna Mayo

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Toffee
Biscuit Bars

Classic
Trifle

Bananas
and Custard

Strawberry and
Pineapple Jelly

Coconut Crisp
Bar



Topped Pasta
Hot Pasta
topped with
Homemade
Tomato Sauce &
Cheese

School Dates 2024-25

Aug-24							Sep-24							Oct-24						
M		5	12	19	26		M		2	9	16	23	30	M		7	14	21	28	
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-  Inset Days
-  Bank Holiday
-  School Holiday

- Half term 1 - 7 weeks 2 days
- Half term 2 - 7 weeks
- Half term 3 - 6 weeks
- Half term 4 - 6 weeks
- Half term 5 - 4 weeks 3 days
- Half term 6 - 8 weeks

Regular Community Events at School (open to all)



Family Breakfast 'Books and Breakfast'

Every Monday morning
School Hall 8:15 am – 8:45 am



Parent/Carer Tea and Coffee Drop-In

Every Friday morning (Starting 20 Sep)
Community Room 8:35 am – 9:30 am



Church at School, Led by St. Stephen's Church

Once a Month
School Hall 3:30 pm – 4:15 pm



Parent/Carer Prayer Group

2nd and 4th Monday of each month
Community Room 8:45 am – 9:15 am



For more information about these events or other ways to get involved at school, please speak to our Learning Mentor, Mrs Pruszek or our Headteacher, Mr Lowe.