



Newsletter 10 January 26th 2026

Dear Parents

We are delighted to share that our recent inspection went extremely well. The inspectors were impressed by the positive atmosphere across the school, and the children were fabulous throughout—confident, polite, and a real credit to our community. Their enthusiasm for learning and wonderful behaviour truly shone, and we couldn't be prouder of them. Thank you to our wonderful staff, families, and pupils for their continued support. I will look forward to sharing the report with you, when it becomes available. This will now be after half term.

Contact Information

As you know, it is very important that parents' contact details and other emergency contact numbers for your children are kept up to date. If any details change, especially mobile and work telephone numbers or any medical details, please inform us as soon as possible.

Exciting news:

As you will have seen the builders have carried on throughout the awful weather we have been experiencing! They are making great progress with the work. We now have some wonderful new picnic benches which the children are thoroughly making good use of.

Parent's Evenings

The next parent's evenings will be held on **Wednesday 18th** and **Thursday 19th March 2026**. This will be an opportunity to see your child's work and discuss their progress with the class teachers. Appointment letters will be sent out after half term. Please keep these dates free.

Reading

Reading together at home makes a big difference to your child's learning and confidence. We encourage parents to spend a few minutes each day reading *with* their child, listening to them read aloud, and talking about the story or text. Asking simple questions such as "What do you think will happen next?", "Who is your favourite character?" or "Why did that happen?" helps children understand what they are reading and think more deeply about it. Most importantly, sharing books should be enjoyable – these small, regular moments help build a lifelong love of reading.

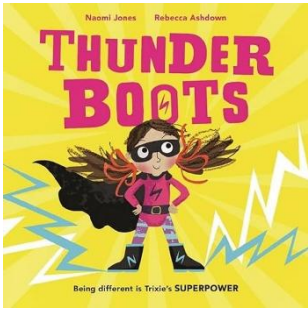
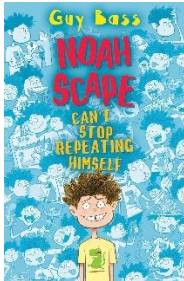



Reminders:

Breakfast Club runs from **8:00am** each morning. Gates open at **8:30am** all children should be in by **8:40am** at the **VERY** latest. Please can children have coats in school? There are several children without water bottles, please can you ensure your child has a labelled water bottle? **All uniform needs to be labelled.**

Book recommendations from Mr Hook!

Reading books is one of the keyways children learn and develop but we also foster a love of reading for pleasure. If you are looking for some inspiration for your children, why not try these books.

EYFS/KS1	Bluebirds	Eagles
<p>Thunderboots – Naomi Jones, Rebecca Ashdown</p>  <p>Trixie is the smallest person in Primrose Tower, but also the loudest and the building's residents have given her an affectionate nickname: THUNDERBOOTS.</p> <p>When it's time for Trixie to start school, she is very excited. Sometimes it's hard to concentrate in class, though. And it's really hard to read letters. Maybe what Trixie needs is a superpowered plan.</p>	<p>Noah Scape Can't Stop Repeating Himself – Guy Bass</p>  <p>Noah Scape loves dinosaurs and spaghetti with tomato sauce. But Noah doesn't always get what he wants and when school doesn't revolve around dinosaur facts and lunch isn't always his tried and tested favourite, well... enough is enough! It's time for him to stop wishing and to decide on exactly what he needs; a world full of Noahs!</p>	<p>Cosima Unfortunate Steals a Star – Laura Noakes</p>  <p>Cosima has spent all her life at the Home for Unfortunate Girls, along with her best friends: Pearl, Mary and Diya. Cos longs for a real home and a real family. But when Cos finds out that famed explorer Lord Francis Fitzroy is planning to adopt them, she and her friends know something suspicious is afoot – and they make a plan. They're going to steal Fitzroy's prized tiara, containing the legendary Star Diamond of India!</p> <p>But as the big day draws closer, Cos stumbles across a mysterious treasure map that might just reveal the one secret she's always wanted to know – the truth about her parents...</p>

January	Value - Respect
Tuesday 27 th	BB Trip to Ashmolean Museum
February	
Wednesday 11 th	History Guy WW2 Eagles
Friday 13 th	Break up for Half Term
Monday 23 rd	Term 4 begins Eagles leave for Woodlands
Friday 28 th	Eagles return
March	Value - Respect
Friday 13 th	Art Exhibition/ Open afternoon
Wednesday 18 th	Parent's Evening
Thursday 19 th	Parent's Evening
Friday 27 th	Finish for Easter @ 1pm