



Where the journey begins

Parent Communication Letter – Friday 27 March 2026

Wishing you all a happy and restful Easter break. The Academy re-opens to pupils on Tuesday 14 April 2026 – we look forward to seeing you all then!

Academy Staff INSET Days

The Academy will be closed on the following dates for Staff INSET Days:

- Monday 13 April 2026
- Monday 20 July 2026

Diary Dates

- Friday 27 March: Academy closes for Easter Break.
- Monday 13 April: Staff INSET Day.
- Tuesday 14 April: Academy reopens to pupils for Summer Term 1.
- Monday 4 May: Academy Closed for Bank Holiday.
- Monday 11 May: Y6 SATS Week.
- Wednesday 20 May: Y4 Horstead Residential.
- Friday 22 May: Academy Closes for May Half Term.
- Monday 1 June: Academy reopens to pupils for Summer Term 2.

Weekly Winners

Each week, teachers select a pupil who has particularly impressed them with their attitude to learning, behaviour, effort etc. This week's stars are:

- Adventurers: Kane
- Explorers: Ada-Rae
- Searchers: Oakley
- Seekers: Alexander
- Pioneers: Okitha
- Investigators: Thomas
- Wayfarers: Dylan-James
- Navigators: Ivie
- Creators: Elijah
- Pathfinders: Jeano

- Voyagers: Mya
- Venturers: Lily
- Crusaders: Sofia
- Discoverers: Franklin

This week's Principal Awards goes to Anvika (Y3), Isabella (Y4), Tommy (Y5).

Attendance

All children whose attendance is 98% or above for the Autumn Term will be entered into a draw to win a special prize.

The winning classes for the collective highest attendance this week are:

Early Years and Key Stage 1: Investigators

Key Stage 2: Voyagers

A big well done to both classes!

We are always striving to improve our attendance figures. Children who are in school are safe and accessing education to help them thrive. They are socialising with peers and learning how to be positive members of their community.

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Our year-to-date attendance target is 96%, the whole school's attendance is 92.87% this week.

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