

Roehampton Church Forest School



Newsletter

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Value of the term is: Friendship

'A friend loves at all times. They are there to help when trouble comes.'

Proverbs 17:17



Dear All,

Welcome back to school. We are looking forward to a wonderful Summer Term 2026!

I would like to welcome Miss Kulane, Miss Daisley and Miss Joseph to our family. Miss Kulane will be teaching Y5, Y4 and Y2, while Miss Daisley will be supporting in the EYFS and Miss Joseph will be working in Y4, Y2, and Y1. They are all a wonderful addition to the staff.

At the end of the Spring Term, we said a sad farewell to Miss Anderson. I would like to thank Miss Anderson for all her hard work and dedication to the school and children over the past 4 years and, on behalf of everyone, wish her the very best of luck for the future, as she leads her team back at TSM.

Hopefully, you have noticed my introduction of a new system, where there is always a member of staff in the drop off and pick up areas in both KS1 and KS2 daily.

Please speak to them if you have any concerns.

Best wishes,

Mrs Azurdia

Acting Headteacher



Wraparound Care

Morning provision 7.45-8.45am
EVERY DAY in KS2 £3 a session.

After School Care 3.30-4.30pm
Tuesday to Thursday £3 a session

Tuesday in KS1
Wednesday in KS2
Thursday in KS1

Squirrel House got the most house points last half term so they will have a **NON UNIFORM** day on **FRIDAY 24th April 26**



Currently for this half term the house in the lead is: **Hedgehog**



Merits

The following children were awarded Merits today in Collective Worship.
Congratulations all of you. We are extremely proud of you.

Group	Merit	Group	Merit	Group	Merit	Group	Merit
EYFS	Carson and Elana For their great listening during maths lessons. They always have their hands up to answer questions and have gained great confidence in subitising.	Year 1 Willow	Carter – For his wonderful detailed diary writing that includes photographs for homework. Adjani – for great use of vocabulary when thinking about prayers.	Year 2 Ash	Matteo - For practising his writing in the holidays and coming back energised and ready to write. Tara – For spotting patterns during our maths lessons and in the world around her.	Forest School	Naila – For great colour mixing and creativity when making her own butterfly picture. All of Year 3 and Year 4 for absolutely mind-blowing pictures and labelling of trees!
Year 3 Maple	Bianca- for trying hard and answering lots of questions in our reading group. Caelan- for a good attitude to getting work done, especially Maths.	Year 4 Rowan	Lexi and Ezekiel- for working nicely together to create elephant movements to match music in our dance lesson.	Year 5 Sycamore	Marson for an amazing poem with the same rhythm and rhyme as Millers End by Charles Causeway and for fabulous enthusiasm in English lessons this week. Najja – for her detailed explanations in reasoning questions in Maths.	Year 6 Elder	Daisy – for really enthusiastic contributions to our elevated sentence writing in English. Yalmaaz – for being a hardworking, positive member of our class.

As we step into the Summer Term, everything starts to feel a little brighter - longer days, lighter mornings, and lots of hope for sunny skies ahead! It is a lovely time of year when energy is high, smiles come easily, and new adventures are just around the corner.

This term, we are encouraging our children to look out for the little happy moments each day—a kind word from a friend, a laugh in the playground, or even the joy of sunshine at break time. Being grateful doesn't have to be about big things; sometimes it is as simple as finding your jumper... or your water bottle before it turns into a mystery item!

We are also reminding our children that this is a great time to keep trying, keep learning, and keep growing. Whether it's tackling something tricky, putting a hand up in class, or learning from a mistake, every step forward counts.

As the weeks go on, we can't wait to see our children shine – showing kindness, trying their best, and enjoying their learning along the way. And if the sunshine joins us too, that's an extra bonus!

Here's to a happy, positive, and sunshine-filled summer term!
Warm wishes, Mrs Gooljar-King – School Business Manager



The Summer Term is the perfect time to get moving and enjoy being active—both in school and at home. Sport and physical activity aren't just about competition; they're about having fun, building confidence, and feeling good. Whether it's running around at the park, riding a bike, dancing in the living room, or even helping out in the garden, every little bit of movement counts. We're encouraging our children to stay active beyond the school day—trying new activities, spending time outdoors, and making healthy choices that support both body and mind. After all, a quick kickabout or a family walk can do wonders for energy levels (and might even help everyone sleep a little better too!). Living a healthy lifestyle is all about balance—keeping active, eating well, and taking time to rest and recharge. With longer, brighter days ahead, there are so many opportunities to build positive habits that can last! Let's keep moving, keep smiling, and make the most of the season! Send us your photos of you being active and tell us about your activity and we will try our best to showcase you on our socials.
Best Wishes, Mrs Govier - PE Lead



Reminders

Please refrain from using mobile phones while in the KS2 playground at drop off and pick up and in the grounds of the KS1 and EYFS drop off and pick up areas.

Please look at our social media sites (Facebook and Instagram) regularly for updates on the children's learning at RCFS. We would love it if you made comments and interacted more with our posts. Thank you so much.



'Nurturing Individuality, Growing Together, Embracing Community'

'How good and pleasant it is when God's people live together in unity.'

Psalm 133:1

'We foster opportunities to develop a growing awareness and appreciation of awe and wonder in all aspects of what we do.'

Responsible - Caring - Fearless - Secure



Diary Dates 2026

April

23rd Ash (Y2) Parent Book look drop in (9:05-9:25)

27th Willow (Y1) Forest School walk to Scio Pond (wear trainers to school)

28th Maple (Y3) Forest School walk to Scio Pond (wear trainers to school)

30th Willow (Y1) Parent Book look drop in (9:05-9:25)

29th Rowan (Y4) Forest School walk to Scio Pond (wear trainers to school)

30th Sycamore (Y5) Forest School walk to Queensmere Pond (wear trainers to school)

May

1st Elder (Y6) Forest School walk to Queensmere Pond (wear trainers to school)

4th BANK HOLIDAY – No School

7th Oak (Nursery & Reception) Parent Book look drop in (9:05-9:25)

8th Music and PE for all classes (as missed on BH)

11th Elder (Y6) SATS (Spelling & SPAG)

12th Elder (Y6) SATS (Reading)

13th Elder (Y6) SATS (Arithmetic & Maths Reasoning)

14th Elder (Y6) SATS (Maths Reasoning)

22nd Elder (Y6), Sycamore (Y5), Rowan (Y4), Maple (Y3) AI Presentation

22nd Break up for HT (3:20/3:30)

27th June Summer Fair (Time TBC)

29th June INSET day

17th July Last day of term. Finish 1.20pm

20th July INSET day