

Roehampton Church Forest School



Newsletter

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Value of the term is: Respect

"Do to others as you would have them do to you." Matthew 7.12



Dear Parents and Carers,

What another incredibly busy and exciting week at RCFS!

It has certainly been an epic week for educational visits. Our Willow Class (Year 1) enjoyed a magical trip to Warner Brothers Studios where they saw all of the sets and costumes from the making of the Harry Potter films, bringing their Fantasy Worlds topic to life. They travelled on bus, train and Harry Potters Knight Bus. The children had an unforgettable day full of awe and wonder.

Continuing the fantasy theme, Ash Class (Year 2) visited Hobbledown Adventure Farm, where they explored the enchanting village of the Hobblers. The children met a variety of animals, enjoyed the imaginative play areas and immersed themselves in a world of fantasy, perfectly complementing their learning in school.

The week ended with Maple Class (Year 3) and Rowan Class (Year 4) visiting Deen City Farm as part of their Down on the Farm topic. The children loved meeting the farm animals, learning about how they are cared for and gaining a real-life understanding of life on a working farm.

Back at school, our Elder Class (Year 6) wowed audiences with their end-of-year production of Aladdin. They performed to the whole school and later to their families, demonstrating tremendous confidence, enthusiasm and talent. We are incredibly proud of every single pupil for the hard work, commitment and teamwork they showed in preparing such a fantastic performance.

Alongside all of these exciting events, we have also been busy preparing for the new academic year. This week we completed our teacher recruitment process and are delighted to have successfully appointed a new teacher who will be joining our staff in September 2026. We look forward to welcoming them to the RCFS family.

As always, thank you for your continued support. It is hard to believe we are now in the final stretch of the school year. There are still plenty of exciting activities and celebrations to look forward to, and we are determined to make every moment count. I hope you all have a wonderful weekend.

Mrs Azurdia

Acting Headteacher



Currently for this half term, the house with the most points is: Fox!



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Together, we can support every child to learn, grow and thrive.

Merits

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

Group	Merits	Group	Merits	Group	Merits	Group	Merits
EYFS	Dulcie and Aya- For being such kind friends,always	Year 2 Ash	Florence - For changing her mind, coming out of her comfort zone and asking for a solo line Joshua - For practising his solo with confidence	Year 4 Rowan	Mahrugh and Sienna for their amazing Charlotte's Web barn models made in Art.	Year 6 Elder	Faran, Daisy and Freya for making such useful contributions to our class production. They came up with good ideas and were always ready to help out.
Year 1 Willow	All of Year 1 for their behaviour and conduct during our class trip.	Year 3 Maple	Iqra and Simeon for their amazing Charlotte's Web barn models made in Art	Year 5 Sycamore	Archie - for working really well on a Maths tower building activity. Anaya- for always being very polite and an absolute pleasure in the classroom.	Forest School	Year 6 for being great at the Forest School quiz and for working as a team to tie the birds eye knot and carrying tables across using the paracord.

Hip Hip Hurray - the sun is shining at last!

To be sun safe we need all children to bring a hat to school (with their name in it), a water bottle and wear high factor sunscreen (to be applied before school).

All children regardless of the colour of their skin are vulnerable to burning and UV sun damage.

Their skin is much more sensitive than adult skin, and damage caused by repeated exposure to sunlight could lead to skin cancer developing in later life.

We encourage all children to wear a high factor sun screen.

Please see the link below on NHS guidance:
<https://www.nhs.uk/live-well/healthy-body/sunscreen-and-sun-safety/>
 Thank you.

Class Parties

are on

16th July

Your child's class teacher will correspond with you regarding food and drink.

EYFS, KS1 & KS2 SPORTS DAY

Roehampton Playing Fields

Dover House Rd, London SW15 5BP

Parents welcome from
9.30am - 12pm

Diary Dates Summer Term 2026

July

15th EYFS, KS1 & KS2 Sports Day at Roehampton Playing Fields, Dover House Rd, London SW15 5BP.

Parents welcome from 9.30am -12pm

14th Meet the teacher session and Stay and Play for new Reception & Nursery children 9.30 – 10.30

14th Reception Graduation in hall. Parents welcome at 2.30pm.

16th Festival of Football school lunch special menu – wear a football shirt day

16th Class Parties pm

17th Leaver's service at 9.15am All Parents & Carers welcome

17th Last day of term. (1.20pm finish)

20th INSET day

ATTENDANCE this academic year		This is the attendance of each class this academic year. Our target is 96% or more.		
Number of pupils 126		Elder, (Y6) have the best attendance this week so they get an extra 5 minutes playtime on Monday.		
Whole school attendance	91%	Oak Nursery 1 72.2%	Oak Nursery 2 88.4%	Oak Reception 92.1%
Authorised absence	4.1%	Willow Year 1 91.3%	Ash Year 2 94.5%	Maple Year 3 93.3%
Unauthorised absence	4.9%	Rowan Year 4 81.7%	Sycamore Year 5 92.3%	Elder Year 6 94.6%
Lates	2%			

Thank You for Another Wonderful Academic Year

As we approach the end of another fantastic academic year at RCFS, we would like to extend our heartfelt thanks to all our pupils, parents, carers and staff for your continued support, dedication and enthusiasm throughout the year.

It has been a year filled with learning, growth and many special moments. We are incredibly proud of everything our children have accomplished and grateful to everyone who has helped make this year such a success.

We now look forward to enjoying the final week of term together, celebrating all that we have achieved and creating even more wonderful memories as a school community.