



Friday 8th September 2023

Dear TSM Families,

Welcome back to the 2023-2024 academic year! It has been wonderful to see all our pupils together for their first week of term. Thank you for all the hard work from parents, staff and pupils as they settle into their new environments. I look forward to seeing their successes throughout the term.



Meet the Teachers- Don't forget!

Please can we remind families that we are hosting our meet the teacher events next week. Whether you are new to school or a Year 6 parent we would love to see you there to share messages about your child's new setting and year group.

13th Sept	'Meet the teacher' – KS1 (Ash & Beech classes), 3.45pm – 4.30pm
14th Sept	'Meet the teacher' – KS2 (Sycamore, Willow & Yew), 3.45pm – 4.30pm

News from Mrs Hughes!

We are very excited to share with you the wonderful news that Mrs Hughes has had her baby this summer. A very happy, healthy girl named Annabel. Congratulations to all the family!

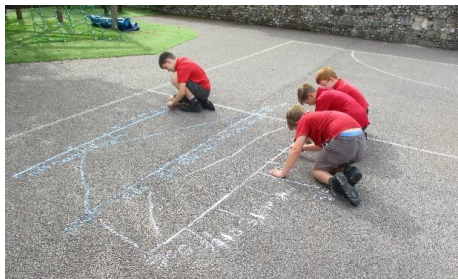
Letters coming home today

Please look out for an envelope in your child's school bag today. This includes forms for completion. Please return all 3 forms by **Friday 15th September**.



Maths fun in Yew Class

Yew Class got active in Maths on today applying their place value concepts in a team task. They created a numberline up to a hundred thousand and then zoomed into different sections of the numberline and changed the scale. They then selected three numbers and found where the numbers were on each numberline. After doing this on paper, they went on to the playground and did bigger versions using playground chalk.



Year R Buddy Lunch

Today our new Year R's enjoyed their first lunch in school accompanied by their year 6 buddies- Rafferty and James from Yew class shared "it was great to meet our new buddy friends and chat about their favourite things!"



Best Wishes

Sophie Davies
Headteacher



Star of the Week

Class	Name	Reason
Ash	Lily	For always showing the TSM value of care to her peers and helping them when they need it.
Beech	Thomas	For his excellent effort and focus when writing to the Crayons.
Sycamore	Miller	For being the most wonderful learning partner this week showing our values of care and respect.
Willow	Lucy	For showing care and respect to everyone in her class whilst creating wonderful first pieces of work for the year!
Yew	Daisy	For working so hard in Maths on her work on place value and the independence she showed when counting forward and back in powers of ten.



Roll of Honour

Class	Name	Reason
Ash	George	For hard work in computing and outstanding e-safety knowledge!
	Freya	For being incy-independent when logging in and out of the laptop.
Beech	Sumayyah	For enthusiasm and independence in her writing.
	Harley	For being a kind and thoughtful member of Beech class.
Sycamore	Seb	For having a great first week at TSM and working really hard on his handwriting.
	Morgan	For showing courage in his learning and great independence in Maths challenges.
Willow	Isaac O	For incredible vocabulary and effective description in his first write of the year!
	Rio B	For impressing the whole class with his style and narrative voice in his first write of the year!
Yew	Joe	For his enthusiasm in our first History lesson, where Joe made excellent links to his prior knowledge
	Hugo	For expressing such joy in his learning and for his impeccable manners.



Church Corner



The Next Gateway 360 Children's Service

Sunday 10th September
St Mary's Church, Twyford 4pm

GATEWAY
360 

Doors open at 4pm :
Food 4:15 to 4:45 :
Worship time 4:45 to 5:30 :
Cake and Desert 5:30 to 6:00

***"It is like a
School
Assembly
but for all
the Family"***



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Dates for your diary: Autumn Term	
w/c 11th Sept	Election week
11th Sept	Calshot Parents Information evening, 5pm
13th Sept	'Meet the teacher' – KS1 (Ash & Beech classes), 3.45pm – 4.30pm
14th Sept	'Meet the teacher' – KS2 (Sycamore, Willow & Yew), 3.45pm – 4.30pm
18th Sept	Westgate Headteacher visit to TSM to meet Year 5 and Year 6 pupils. Parents to join at 3pm.
2nd Oct	Year R Phonics meeting. 3.45pm (20 – 30 Minutes)
6th Oct	PTA Glow Party Disco – details tbc
11th Oct	Harvest Festival at the Church, 9.30am
16th – 20th Oct	Year 6 Calshot Residential
w/c 23rd Oct	Half Term
29th Oct	PTA Fireworks – details tbc
7th Nov	Parents evening, 4pm-6pm – details tbc
9th Nov	Parents evening, 4pm-7pm – details tbc
24th Nov	Inset Day 2
27th Nov	Inset Day 3
28th – 30th Nov	Enterprise week
1st Dec	Non uniform for Christmas Fair – details tbc
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6th Dec	KS1 Nativity (Ash & Beech classes) – afternoon, details tbc
7th Dec	KS1 Nativity (Ash & Beech classes) – morning, details tbc
12th Dec	KS2 Carol Service (Sycamore, Willow, Yew) – morning, details tbc
15th Dec	PTA Elf Emporium – during the school morning
15th Dec	Last day of term