



Fiskerton CE Primary School News

Flourishing together within the love of God

Dear Families,

Welcome back! We are delighted to say that we have had a brilliant first week back after the Easter break. It has been wonderful to see the children return with such enthusiasm and positivity. They have been working incredibly hard on their learning across the whole school, and we are very proud of their efforts.

In **Rabbits**, the children have been settling back into routines and engaging enthusiastically with their new topics, and have made the most of the sunshine with lots of opportunities to learn outside. In **Hedgehogs**, the children have been building on their skills and enjoying their new History topic on transport from the past and their new class text, 'The Great Explorer'. In **Squirrels**, the children have been creating some super artwork using pastels, producing some fantastic pieces. In **Badgers**, the Year 5 children have been developing their creativity through performance poetry and exploring expressive ways to present their work and Year 6 have been working super hard towards their upcoming SATs. Well done everyone!

Revised School Vision and Values

This term, we are excited to be launching our updated **vision and values**. To develop these, we have worked closely with staff, children, parents, and governors. Thank you to all the parents who completed the survey at the end of the last academic year—your feedback has been invaluable in shaping this work.

One of the main changes (and challenges) has been to streamline our values from twelve down to six. These new values still allow us to explore all the important concepts we have previously covered, but within a clearer and more focused framework. We introduced the new vision and values during our final celebration collective worship last term, and a copy of the updated vision and values is attached with this newsletter.

Over the coming weeks, we will be working closely with the children to explore our updated vision in more depth. Our focus value for this term is **Respect**. Alongside this newsletter, you will find a value newsletter with ideas for how you can explore and support this value at home.

Morning Drop Off

Thank you to all our Key Stage 2 parents for supporting the morning drop-off at the gate. We understand that this was a significant change for some children when introduced in January, but it has had a very positive impact in classes, helping our children to start the day calmly and ensuring staff are available to support them straight away.

If you need to contact your child's class teacher, please remember that staff on the gates are happy to pass on messages, and teachers are available at the end of the day once classes have been dismissed if you need to speak to them. Alternatively, you can email enquiries@fiskerton.lincs.sch.uk or call **01522 751049** to arrange an appointment.

Parent Survey

Thank you also to everyone who completed our parent survey at the end of last term. We truly value your feedback as we continue to work together to make our school the very best place for our children to learn and flourish. If you would still like to share your views, please use this link https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdUWrV9B00dZJr8dKccx_bw_rqITFNTUDrJVSr5H0oy58Diig/viewform?usp=header or the QR code —the survey will remain open until **Friday 1st May**.



Well Being Day

Thank you as well to all those who supported the Wellbeing Ambassadors' cake sale at the end of last term. The Wellbeing Ambassadors planned a fantastic day for all classes, and everyone thoroughly enjoyed the activities. The cake sale raised **£72.65**, which the ambassadors are going to use to purchase new play equipment for the school.

We are looking forward to a brilliant term ahead.

Thank you for your continued support.
Mrs Bradbury

Co-opted Governors

The Governing Body is currently seeking **co-opted governors** to join our team. Co-opted governors are members of the governing board who are appointed based on the skills, experience or perspectives they can bring to the school. Anyone over the age of 18 can apply, and you do not need to be a parent of a child at the school. We particularly welcome applications from members of the local community, professionals, or anyone with an interest in supporting education. The role involves attending governing body meetings, working with other governors and school leaders to support and challenge the school, helping to review policies and strategic priorities, and ensuring the school continues to provide the best possible education for its pupils. It is a rewarding opportunity to contribute to the life and success of the school community. If you know of anyone who might be interested in supporting the school in this way, please pass on this information and encourage them to contact the school via enquiries@fiskerton.lincs.sch.uk, and we will be happy to provide any more information about the role and pass their interest on to the governing body.

DIARY DATES

May

Monday 11th– Thursday 14th—Y6 SATS week

Tuesday 19th May—Family Reading Afternoon from 2.30pm

Friday 22nd May—Celebration Collective Worship @9.05am
Last day of term

June

Monday 1st— First day of term 6

Monday 1st –Friday 12th—Y4 times table check window

Thursday 4th—Year 6 Church Schools Festival

Monday 8th -Friday 12th —Y1 phonic screening check

Wednesday 17th—class photos

Wednesday 24th to Thursday 25th —Badgers residential to London

July

Monday 6th to Friday 10th—Sports Week

Wednesday 8th—Sports Day (to be confirmed)

Wednesday 15th—New class transition day

Tuesday 21st—Leavers service

Wednesday 22nd—Last Day of term

TERM DATES 2025-26

Term 5: Tuesday 21st April –Friday 22nd May

Term 6: Monday 1st June—Wednesday 22 July

TERM DATES 2026-27

Term 1: Thursday 3rd September –Friday 23rd October

Term 2: Monday 2nd November—Friday 18th December

Term 3: Tuesday 5th January—Friday 12th February

Term 4: Monday 22nd February—Thursday 25th March

Term 5: Wednesday 14th April—Friday 28th May

Term 6: Monday 7th June—Wednesday 21st July

Attendance

This week our attendance was 97.8%. Let's see if we can reach 98% next week.

A massive congratulations to our all of the children in Year 2, Year 3, Year 4 and Year 5 who had 100% attendance this week. Well done—keep up the great work!

The Mrs Rycroft Award Winners

Class	Award Winner
Rabbits	Albie
Hedgehogs	Jolie
Squirrels	Ena
Badgers	Ty