



Fiskerton CE Primary School News

Belonging, learning and flourishing together in God's love.

Welcome Back to Term 6!

A very warm welcome back to everyone as we begin Term 6. It is already shaping up to be an action-packed and exciting term, with lots of opportunities for learning, celebration and community events.

This week, our Year 6 pupils attended the Church Schools Festivals, where they joined children from across our church school family to take part in a variety of activities and a special service recognising their journey through primary school. The children were a real credit to Fiskerton and represented our school brilliantly throughout the event. We are incredibly proud of them.

A huge thank you goes to our PTA, who kindly funded the children's attendance at this special occasion.

PTA Non-Uniform for Tombola

We have also held our non-uniform day in exchange for tombola prizes for the upcoming PTA Summer Fair today. Thank you to everyone who has generously contributed a prize. The Summer Fair is shaping up to be a fantastic community event and will take place on **Saturday 20th June**. We would love to see as many families as possible there, so please do come along and join us if you can.

Uniform Reminder

Please can I remind all families that children should attend school in full school uniform, including black school shoes rather than trainers on non-PE days.

For PE lessons, children should wear:

- A plain white T-shirt
- Plain black or blue shorts

Thank you for your support in helping us maintain high standards of presentation.

Changes to the OFSTED Inspection Framework

As you may be aware, the OFSTED inspection framework has changed. The way schools are graded, and what the new grades mean, has altered considerably, particularly regarding the new **'Expected Standard'** and **'Needs Attention'** gradings. To help parents understand these changes, we have attached information on the new report card grading system alongside this newsletter. This guidance has been produced by the Lincolnshire Schools Partnership for all Lincolnshire schools and provides a useful overview of the new approach to school inspection and reporting.

Samba Drumming Showcase

A reminder that our **Squirrels and Badgers classes** will be holding their **Samba Drumming Showcase** for parents on **Monday at 3:00pm**.

We hope you will be able to join us for this exciting event. The children have worked incredibly hard and are really looking forward to demonstrating their samba drumming skills.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support. We look forward to another wonderful term together.

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

June

Monday 1st –Friday 12th—Y4 times table check window
Friday 5th—PTA Non-uniform day in exchange for a tombola prize
Monday 8th -Friday 12th —Y1 phonic screening check
Monday 8th—Squirrels & Badgers Samba Drumming performance (3pm)
Wednesday 17th—Class photos
Saturday 20th June—PTA School Fair
Wednesday 24th to Thursday 25th—Badgers residential to London

July

Monday 6th to Friday 10th—Sports Week
Wednesday 8th—Sports Day 9.30am
Tuesday 14th –Badgers' Production—Evening Performance
Wednesday 15th—New class transition day
Thursday 16th—Badgers' Production—Afternoon Performance
Friday 17th— Celebration Collective Worship @ 2.45pm
Tuesday 21st—Leavers service Time TBC
Wednesday 22nd— Rock Steady Concert (am)
Wednesday 22nd—Last Day of term

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 whole school attendance was only 92.51% . Good attendance is one of the most important factors in helping children achieve their full potential at school. Every lesson counts, and even a few days of absence can mean children miss important learning, making it more difficult for them to keep up with their peers. While we understand that family holidays can be an important opportunity to spend time together, taking holidays during term time can have a significant impact on a child's education, friendships and overall progress. We kindly ask all families to support us by arranging holidays during school holiday periods and ensuring children attend school every day unless they are genuinely unwell.

A big well done to all the children in Year 5 who had the best year group attendance at 98.75%

The Mrs Rycroft Award Winners

<i>Class</i>	<i>Award Winner</i>
<i>Rabbits</i>	<i>Katie</i>
<i>Hedgehogs</i>	<i>Ffion</i>
<i>Squirrels</i>	<i>JR</i>
<i>Badgers</i>	<i>Michael</i>